

**SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

Coordination Proceeding
Special Title (Rule 1550(b))

ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER CASES

Included Actions:

Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40 v.
Diamond Farming Co.
Superior Court of California
County of Los Angeles, Case No. BC 325 201

Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. 40 v.
Diamond Farming Co.
Superior Court of California, County of Kern,
Case No. S-1500-CV-254-348

Wm. Bolthouse Farms, Inc. v. City of Lancaster
Diamond Farming Co. v. City of Lancaster
Diamond Farming Co. v. Palmdale Water Dist.
Superior Court of California, County of Riverside,
consolidated actions, Case Nos.
RIC 353 840, RIC 344 436, RIC 344 668

Willis v. Los Angeles County Waterworks District
No. 40
Superior Court of California, County of Los
Angeles, Case No. BC 364 553

Wood v. Los Angeles County Waterworks District
No. 40
Superior Court of California, County of Los
Angeles, Case No. BC 391869

Judicial Council Coordination
Proceeding No. 4408

For Court's Use Only:
Santa Clara County Case No.
1-05-CV-049053
(for E-Posting/E-Service
Purposes Only)

Date/Time: Wednesday, January 16, 2013 (9:00am)

Location: Superior Court of California
County of Santa Clara

Department 1
191 N. 1st Street
San Jose, CA 95113

Present: Hon. Jack Komar, Judge

R. Walker (Santa Clara County)

*Antelope Valley Groundwater Cases (JCCP 4408)
Los Angeles County Superior Court, Case No. BC 325 201
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MINUTE ORDER: **FURTHER CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE AND CONTINUED HEARING ON EX PARTE APPLICATIONS (FROM DECEMBER 20, 2012)**

1. Further Case Management Conference
2. Ex Parte Application by the Wood Plaintiffs (Atty McLachlan) for Clarification and Amendment of Phase 4 Case Management Order
3. Ex Parte Application by the Bolthouse Entities Regarding Phase 4 Trial
4. Ex Parte Application by Phelen Piñon Community Services District for Amendment to Discovery Order for Phase 4 Trial
5. Discovery Issues (continued from January 11, 2013; brought by Attorneys Steven Orr, Richard Zimmer, Sheldon Blum)
6. Ex Parte Application by Tejon Ranchcorp., et al. to Continue Trial Date and Amend Case Management Order, or alternatively, for a Protective Order; Various Joinders to Same

Attorney McLachlan's Proposed Modifications to Case Management Order for Phase 4 of Trial was discussed and amended; Mr. McLachlan will prepare the Order. Said modification includes continuing the Phase 4 Trial from February 11, 2013 to **May 28, 2013**; location to be determined.

As to the discovery issues between the Bolthouse Entities and Blum Trust, the Court authorized a 6-hour deposition of the Bolthouse PMK, with documents, for the week of February 4, 2013. Blum Trust's deadline to submit its declaration/stipulation is extended from January 31, 2013 to February 8, 2013. Mr. Zimmer will prepare the Order.

Tejon Ranchcorp's deadline to submit its declaration/stipulation is extended from January 31, 2013 to February 8, 2013.

Upcoming depositions are taken off calendar by Mr. Weeks.

A Further Case Management Conference is set for **February 15, 2013 at 1:30 p.m.** All parties, including the Court and Staff, are to appear via CourtCall.com.

Discussion on the (1) location of trial; and (2) Proposed Order re Joint Modification to Phase 4 Case Management Order Regarding Procedure for Depositions, prepared by Mr. McLachlan, is continued to **February 15, 2013 at 1:30 p.m.**

Future Events:

February 15, 2013 (1:30pm)

Further Case Management Conference
(all parties, including Court and Staff, to appear
via CourtCall)

May 28, 2013 (9:00am)

Trial (Phase 4) – Department 1, Superior Court of
California, County of Los Angeles
(location will be confirmed)

PARTIES/ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:

See attached CourtCall Roll Call Sheet and Sign-In Sheet/Personal Appearances.

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