Bob H. Joyce, (SBN 84607) LAW OFFICES OF 2 LeBeau • Thelen, LLP 5001 East Commercenter Drive, Suite 300 3 Post Office Box 12092 Bakersfield, California 93389-2092 4 (661) 325-8962; Fax (661) 325-1127 Attorneys for DIAMOND FARMING COMPANY, a California corporation, CRYSTAL ORGANIC FARMS, a limited liability company, GRIMMWAY 6 ENTERPRISES, INC., and LAPIS LAND COMPANY, LLC 7 8 SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA 9 IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA 10 11 Coordination Proceeding Special Title Judicial Council Coordination No. 4408 (Rule 1550 (b)) 12 ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER Case No.: 1-05-CV-049053 13 CASES DIAMOND FARMING COMPANY, 14 Included actions: CRYSTAL ORGANIC FARMS, GRIMMWAY ENTERPRISES, INC.. 15 Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. AND LAPIS LAND COMPANY, LLC'S 40 vs. Diamond Farming Company JOINDER IN STATE OF CALIFORNIA, 16 Los Angeles Superior Court CITY OF LOS ANGELES, COUNTY Case No. BC 325201 SANITATION DISTRICTS OF LOS 17 ANGELES COUNTY NOS. 14 & 20, Los Angeles County Waterworks District No. AND ANTELOPE VALLEY-EAST 18 40 vs. Diamond Farming Company KERN WATER AGENCY'S JOINT Kern County Superior Court OPPOSITION TO THE BLUM TRUST'S 19 Case No. S-1500-CV 254348 NFT MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT 20 Diamond Farming Company vs. City of Lancaster 21 Date: December 22, 2014 Riverside County Superior Court Time: 10:00 a.m. Lead Case No. RIC 344436 [Consolidated 22 Dept: TBD w/Case Nos. 344668 & 3538401 Hon. Jack Komar Judge: 23 AND RELATED CROSS-ACTIONS. 24 25 /// 26 /// 27 /// 28 DIAMOND FARMING COMPANY, CRYSTAL ORGANIC FARMS, GRIMMWAY ENTERPRISES, INC., AND

LAPIS LAND COMPANY, LLC'S JOINDER IN STATE OF CALIFORNIA, CITY OF LOS ANGELES, COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICTS OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY NOS. 14 & 20, AND ANTELOPE VALLEY-EAST KERN WATER AGENCY'S JOINT OPPOSITION TO THE BLUM TRUST'S MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

TO ALL PARTIES AND TO THEIR ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:

If and to the extent the Court overrules DIAMOND FARMING COMPANY, CRYSTAL ORGANIC FARMS, GRIMMWAY ENTERPRISES, INC., and LAPIS LAND COMPANY, LLC's (hereafter "Grimmway"), objection, and considers the motion as against Grimmway on the merits, then Grimmway joins the joint opposition filed by STATE OF CALIFORNIA, CITY OF LOS ANGELES, COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICTS OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY NOS. 14 & 20, and ANTELOPE VALLEY-EAST KERN WATER AGENCY.

Diamond Farming Company, Crystal Organic Farms, Grimmway Enterprises, Inc., and LAPIS Land Company, LLC hereby join in: (1) Joint Opposition of State of California, City of Los Angeles, County Sanitation Districts of Los Angeles County Nos. 14 & 20, and Antelope Valley-East Kern Water Agency to Blum Trust's Motion for Summary Judgment; (2) Joint Partial Opposition of State of California, City of Los Angeles, County Sanitation District's of Los Angeles County Nos. 14 & 20, and Antelope Valley-East Kern Water Agency to Blum Trust's Request for Judicial Notice; (3) Joint Objections to Blum Trust Evidence by State of California, City of Los Angeles, County Sanitation Districts of Los Angeles County Nos. 14 & 20, and Antelope Valley-East Kern Water Agency; and (4) Joint Response of State of California, City of Los Angeles, County Sanitation Districts of Los Angeles County Nos. 14 & 20, and Antelope Valley-East Kern Water Agency to Blum Trust's Separate Statement of Undisputed Facts in Support of its Motion for Summary Judgment/Summary Adjudication, filed on December 8, 2014.

Dated: December 8, 2014

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By:

DIAMOND FARMING COMPANY, CRYSTAL ORGANIC FARMS, GRIMMWAY ENTERPRISES, INC., AND LAPIS LAND COMPANY, LLC'S JOINDER IN STATE OF CALIFORNIA, CITY OF LOS ANGELES, COUNTY SANITATION DISTRICTS OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY NOS. 14 & 20, AND ANTELOPE VALLEY-EAST KERN WATER AGENCY'S JOINT OPPOSITION TO THE BLUM TRUST'S MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

PROOF OF SERVICE

1 ANTELOPE VALLEY GROUNDWATER CASES 2 JUDICIAL COUNCIL PROCEEDING NO. 4408 CASE NO.: 1-05-CV-049053 3 I am a citizen of the United States and a resident of the county aforesaid; I am over the age 4 of eighteen years and not a party to the within action; my business address is: 5001 E. Commercenter Drive, Suite 300, Bakersfield, California 93309. On December 8, 2014, I served the within 5 DIAMOND FARMING COMPANY, CRYSTAL ORGANIC FARMS, GRIMMWAY ENTERPRISES, INC., AND LAPIS LAND COMPANY, LLC'S JOINDER IN STATE OF 6 CALIFORNIA, CITY OF LOS ANGELES, COUNTY SÁNITATION DISTRICTS OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY NOS. 14 & 20, AND ANTELOPE VALLEY-EAST KERN WATER 7 AGENCY'S JOINT OPPOSITION TO THE BLUM TRUST'S MOTION FOR SUMMARY 8 JUDGMENT 9 (BY POSTING) I am "readily familiar" with the Court's Clarification Order. Electronic service and electronic posting completed through www.scefiling.org; All papers filed 10 in Los Angeles County Superior Court and copy sent to trial judge and Chair of Judicial Council. Los Angeles County Superior Court Chair, Judicial Council of California 111 North Hill Street Administrative Office of the Courts Los Angeles, CA 90012 Attn: Appellate & Trial Court Judicial Services 13 Attn: Department 1 (Civil Case Coordinator) (213) 893-1014 Carlotta Tillman 14 455 Golden Gate Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102-3688 15 Fax (415) 865-4315 (BY MAIL) I am "readily familiar" with the firm's practice of collection and processing correspondence for mailing. Under that practice it would be deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on that same day with postage thereon fully prepaid at Bakersfield, California, in 18 the ordinary course of business. (STATE) I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the above is true and correct, and that the foregoing was executed on December 8, 2014, in Bakersfield, California. 21 22 23

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