

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO
CHIEF JUDGE MARCIA S. KRIEGER**

Courtroom Deputy: Patricia Glover
Court Reporter: Terri Lindblom

Date: December 2, 2013

Consolidated Cases: Civil Action No. 49-cv-02782 (MSK)
Civil Action No. 5016
Civil Action No. 5017

Parties:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

NORTHERN COLORADO WATER
CONSERVANCY DISTRICT, *et al.*,

Defendants.

Counsel Appearing:

James Dubois

Bennett Raley

IN THE MATTER OF THE ADJUDICATION
OF PRIORITIES OF WATER RIGHTS IN
WATER DISTRICT NO. 36
FOR PURPOSES OF IRRIGATION

PETITIONERS:

THE COLORADO RIVER WATER CONSERVATION
DISTRICT;
THE GRAND VALLEY WATER USERS
ASSOCIATION;
ORCHARD MESA IRRIGATION DISTRICT;
PALISADE IRRIGATION DISTRICT;
GRAND VALLEY IRRIGATION COMPANY; and
MIDDLE PARK WATER CONSERVANCY DISTRICT

Peter Fleming
Mary Hammond
Daniel Arnold
Casey Funk
Mark Hermundstad
Fred Aldrich
Michael Gustafson
Ann Rhodes

IN THE MATTER OF THE ADJUDICATION
OF PRIORITIES OF WATER RIGHTS IN
WATER DISTRICT NO. 36

FOR PURPOSES OTHER THAN IRRIGATION

PETITIONERS:

THE COLORADO RIVER WATER CONSERVATION
DISTRICT;

THE GRAND VALLEY WATER USERS
ASSOCIATION;

ORCHARD MESA IRRIGATION DISTRICT;

PALISADE IRRIGATION DISTRICT;

GRAND VALLEY IRRIGATION COMPANY, and
MIDDLE PARK WATER CONSERVANCY DISTRICT

COURTROOM MINUTES

HEARING: Law and Motion

3:03 p.m. Court in session.

Brian Nazarenius appears for Interested Party Climax Molybdenum Company.

The Court addresses the Petition for Determination (**Doc. #355**).

Statement from counsel Dubois. Raley, Hammond.

The Court will set a briefing schedule for the parties to address the specific issues as set forth on the record.

4:04 p.m. Court in recess

4:12 p.m. Court in session

ORDER: Briefs by every party that want to express an opinion will be filed by **February 15, 2014**. The briefs will address the specific issues outlined by the Court.

ORDER: Motion to Intervene (**Doc. #357**) is **GRANTED**.

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4:28 p.m. Court in recess.

Total Time: 1 hour 17 minutes.
Hearing concluded.