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MOJAVE BASIN WATER CASES

JCCP5265
CIV208568 (Lead Case Number)

Dept. 1, Riverside Superior Court
Hon. Harold W. Hopp, Judge Presiding

Coordinated with:
Case No. CIVSB2218461

THE MOJAVE WATER AGENCY, AS THE MOJAVE BASIN AREA WATERMASTER,

Plaintiff,

v.

All persons who are not presently parties to the comprehensive groundwater adjudication in *City of Barstow, et al., v. City of Adelanto, et al.*, Riverside Superior Court Case No. CIV208568, and are either producing more than 10 acre-feet of Basin groundwater annually, or using Basin groundwater for unlawful purposes, and Does 1 through 2,000,

Defendants.

SHADOW MOUNTAIN RANCH, LLC,

Cross-Complainant,

v.

MOJAVE WATER AGENCY, The Fasoja Living Trust, Buddhist-Town LLC, S.E. Combined Services of California, Inc., Shunxing Weng, and Roes 1 through 10,

Cross-Defendants.

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF SHADOW MOUNTAIN RANCH, LLC'S AMENDED NOTICE OF DEPOSITION OF PLAINTIFF THE MOJAVE WATER AGENCY'S PERSON MOST KNOWLEDGEABLE

Date: November 18, 2026
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Location: Best Best & Krieger LLP, 3390 University Ave, 5th Floor, Riverside, CA 92501

Action Filed: May 30, 1990
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TO ALL PARTIES AND THEIR ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Defendant and Cross-Complainant SHADOW MOUNTAIN RANCH, LLC ("SMR"), hereby withdraws, without prejudice, its notice of the Person(s) Most Knowledgeable at THE MOJAVE WATER AGENCY ("MWA") on November 18, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. The deposition will not proceed on that date. This withdrawal is without prejudice to SMR's right to serve a new notice of deposition of Person(s) Most Knowledgeable at a later date, subject to applicable law and any court orders.

Dated: October 22, 2026

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I, Vanessa Guillen-Becerra, declare:

I am a citizen of the United States and employed in San Bernardino County, California. I am over the age of eighteen years and not a party to the within-entitled action. My business address is 2855 E. Guasti Road, Suite 400, Ontario, California 91761. On October 22, 2026, I served a copy of the within document(s):

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☒ by placing the document(s) listed above in a sealed envelope with postage thereon fully prepaid, the United States mail at Ontario, California addressed as set forth below.

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the above is true and correct.

Executed on October 22, 2026, at Fontana, California.

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