

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA
RENO, NEVADA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA and)
THE WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE,) Civil-C-125-B-ECR-RAM
) 3:73-CV-00127-ECR-RAM
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Plaintiff(s),) MINUTES OF PROCEEDING
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vs.) DATE: AUGUST 20, 2007
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THE WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION) TIME: 1:38 - 2:39 P.M.
DISTRICT,)
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Defendant(s).)
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PRESENT: HONORABLE ROBERT A. McQUAID, JR., U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Deputy Clerk: Frank Justiliano Reporter: Margaret Griener
FTR: 1:38:21 - 2:39:25 P.M.

Counsel appearing telephonically: John Howard
Counsel present: Dale Ferguson, Marta Adams, Karen Peterson, Lynn Steyaert, Susan Schneider, Wes Williams, Jr., Simeon Herskovits, George Benesch

MINUTES OF PROCEEDING: Status Conference

Ms. Schneider reported on the agenda items and the progress of updating the Certificate of Service. In light of the additional responses to the eleventh report and no objection by the parties, The Court deferred dealing with the eleventh service report until the next status conference.

IT IS ORDERED that: 1) The target date for the completion of service in C-125-B is December 31, 2008. 2) The Tribe and the United States submit their legal theories to all other parties on or before October 18, 2007 and that the defendants submit their legal theories on or before December 17, 2007. 3) That the parties exchange proposed threshold issues among themselves on or before February 18, 2008 and that the parties confer thereon by March 19, 2008. 4) The parties submit their respective suggested lists of threshold issues to the Court by April 18, 2008. No date set by the

Court at this time on the issues of website and discovery requests. The parties are directed to continue working and come to some sort of agreement. The "Zuni" case was discussed by the parties and the Court as a model website. Ms. Schneider to provide via email by 8/21/07 the Notice of Lawsuit with the redlined issues to Mr. Howard. Mr. Howard to review and respond by mid morning Wednesday. Ms. Schneider to then submit an order to the Court adopting the changes. Ms. Schneider to also prepare a proposed order regarding the Clerk's office limiting service to a core group of people.

The Status Conference is continued to Tuesday, November 27, 2007 @ 1:30 p.m. Counsel wishing to participate telephonically shall dial **702-464-5625** five to ten minutes prior to the time for hearing. There being nothing further, the court adjourns.

LANCE S. WILSON, CLERK

By: /s/ Frank Justiliano
Deputy Clerk