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DISTRICT OF NEVADA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff, WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE, Intervenor-Plaintiff, vs. WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT, a corporation, et al., Defendant.	IN EQUITY NO. C-125 **PROOF OF PUBLICATION** **MASON VALLEY NEWS**

Petitioners, UNITED STATES BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS and CHIEF DEPUTY WATER COMMISSIONER, JIM SHAW, by and through their undersigned counsel hereby submit the Proof of Publication of the NOTICE OF FILING REPORT & PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF BUDGET & RATE OF ASSESSMENT FOR THE YEAR JULY 1, 2005 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2006 & FOR APPROVAL OF THE AUDIT REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004 of THE MASON VALLEY NEWS, which is attached hereto.

DATED this 18th day of April, 2005.

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has published in each regular and entire issue of said newspaper on the following dates to wit:
April 8, 15, 2005

Signed Stephanie C. Foster

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
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Defendant.

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NOTICE OF FILING REPORT AND PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF BUDGET AND APPROVAL OF RATE OF ASSESSMENT FOR THE YEAR JULY 1, 2005, THROUGH JUNE 30, 2006 AND FOR APPROVAL OF THE AUDIT REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004

TO: ALL INTERESTED PERSONS YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that on the 29th day of March, 2005, there was filed in the Office of the Clerk of the above-entitled Court, a Petition for an Order requesting the following:

1. Approving the budget and assessment established by the UNITED STATES BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS on the 17th day of March, 2005;
2. Creating an assessment of Two Dollars and Fifty Cents ($2.50) per acre to replenish the fund established to pay the expenses and costs of the UNITED STATES BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS; and,
3. Approving the audit report for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2004.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that a hearing on the above-entitled Petition, and any objections thereto will be held in the Courtroom No. 606, Federal Building, 400 South Virginia Street, Reno, Nevada, on Wednesday, the 25th day of May 2005 at 10:00 a.m.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that any water users or interested per

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sons may examine the aforesaid budget and rate of assessment and Petition for approval of the same, and the said audit report, in the Office of the Clerk of the above-entitled court at the Federal Building, 400 South Virginia Street, Reno, Nevada, and may, if so desired, file written objections to either or any one of them, which said objections must be filed prior to 4:00 p.m. on the 12th day of May, 2005, and which on the same day must be served on counse for Petitioners.

DATED this 29 day of March, 2005.
LANCE S. WILSON, Clerk
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
By S/Colleen Larsen
Deputy Clerk

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to FRCP 5(b), I hereby certify that I am an employee of The Law Office of Linda A. Bowman, Ltd. and that I mailed a true and correct copy of the PROOF OF PUBLICATION - MASON VALLEY NEWS - OF NOTICE OF FILING REPORT AND PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF BUDGET AND APPROVAL OF RATE OF ASSESSMENT FOR THE YEAR JULY 1, 2005 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2006, AND FOR APPROVAL OF THE AUDIT REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2004, postage prepaid and addressed to:

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