UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 3 DISTRICT OF NEVADA UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, 5 IN EQUITY NO. C-125-MMD Case No.: 3:73-cv-00128-MMD-CSD 6 Plaintiff, 7 **ORDER** v. Re: ECF No. 1098 8 WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE, 9 Plaintiff -Intervenor, 10 v. 11 WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT, a corporation, et al., 12 Defendants. 13 MINERAL COUNTY, 14 Plaintiff -Intervenor, 15 16 WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION 17 DISTRICT, a corporation, et al., 18 Defendants. 19 20 Before the court is the Schroeder Group's Motion for Reclassification of Principal Defendant. (ECF No. 1098.) Defendants Mineral County, Nevada, and Walker Lake Working Group have filed a non-opposition to the motion. (ECF No. 1099.) No response was filed 23

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by Plaintiff. The court notes that a similar motion for reclassification by the Schroeder Group was 2 approved in Case No. 3:73-cv-00127-MMD-CSD on December 16, 2021 (ECF No. 2686).

Good cause appearing, the Schroeder Group's Motion for Reclassification of Principal Defendant (ECF No. 1098) is **GRANTED**. Henceforth, the Schroeder Group Defendants are no 5 longer required to participate and coordinate as a "Principal Defendant" as defined in this 6 litigation.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: April 9, 2024.

United States Magistrate Judge