

As you know Judge Reynolds set dates for legal filings in the Augustin Plains water grab case. The deadline for filing “Joinders” was last Friday, and as our attorney explained “joinders” is the word used for a filing that supports our Motion for Summary Judgment.

Look at all those who have joined us!

1. Pecos Valley Artesian Conservancy District
2. Navajo Nation
3. Anita Hand, the Hand Trust
4. Wildearth Guardians
5. San Augustin Water Coalition (SWAC)
6. Three Pueblos: Pueblo of Isleta, Pueblo of Sandia, and Pueblo of Santa Ana
7. Socorro County

Jaimie Park of the NM Environmental Law Center supplied this list and the documents. As always, if you want a copy of any or all of them I will be glad to send whatever you request. If you wonder why Catron County is not on the list it is because the county has filed its own motion for summary judgment.

Here’s an interesting fact: the Augustin Plains Ranch proposes to put a pipeline for our water through the Isleta Pueblo. I don’t think they are in favor of that! We are indeed fortunate to have so much support for our opposition to the application.

With thanks for your continuing support,
Carol Pittman, Datil