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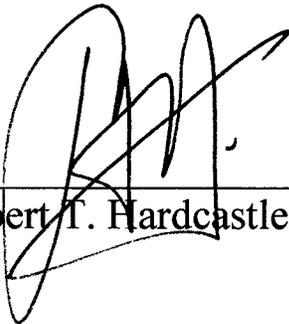
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16 IN THE MATTER OF THE)
17 APPLICATION OF CIRCLE CITY)
18 WATER COMPANY, LLC FOR)
19 DELETION OF A PORTION OF ITS)
20 EXISTING CERTIFICATE OF)
21 CONVENIENCE AND)
22 NECESSITY FOR WATER SERVICE)
23 _____)
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**STATUS UPDATE
AND
REQUEST TO SET
PROCEDURAL CONFERENCE**

25 **I. STATUS OF SETTLEMENT NEGOTIATIONS**

26 On April 6, 2015 counsel for Lake Pleasant 500, LLC (“LP5K”) filed into this
27 Docket a Status Update of the negotiations between the parties. That Status Update is not
28 accurate and not reflective of the most recent negotiation discussion conducted on March
29 24, 2015. On April 6, 2015 the undersigned contacted by electronic mail counsel for both
30 LP5K and the representatives for Rex G. Maughan and Ruth G. Maughan, Trustees of the
31 Maughan Revocable Trust of 2007 (“MRT”) raising the issue of the inaccuracy of the
32 Status Update and clarifying and recalling the nature of our discussion and the open items
33 the parties were going to further discuss with their individual clients. No reply has been
34 received from counsel for either party.

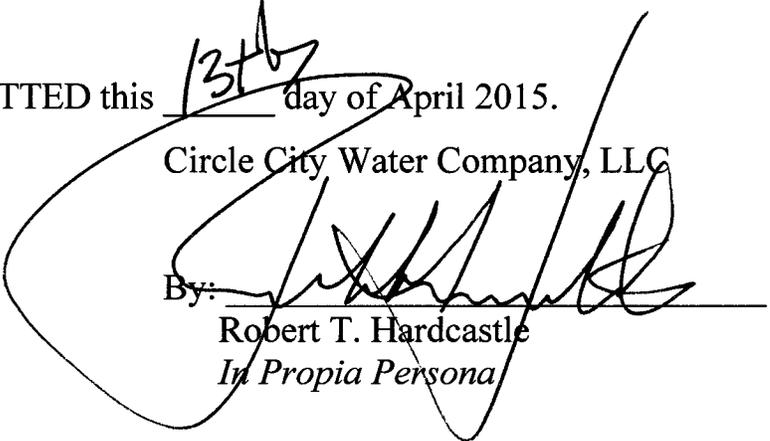
1 Based on the current status of the negotiations it seems reasonable to conclude that
2 the Interveners have no interest in further negotiations or can be expected to provide an
3 offer of settlement that is materially different from their February 11, 2015 settlement
4 offer. Circle City Water Co. LLC ("Circle City") has made it clear to the Interveners that
5 their February 11, 2015 settlement offer was unacceptable. During the April 6, 2015
6 settlement discussion Circle City provided elements of a restructured settlement offer that
7 might be acceptable but the Interveners have provided no reply that Circle City could
8 respond to. Circle City requested the Interveners further reply if its understanding of the
9 content of the March 24, 2015 was not accurate. No reply has been received from the
10 Interveners.

11 **II. REQUEST FOR SETTING A PROCEDURAL CONFERENCE**

12 As a result of the failed settlement negotiations between Circle City and the
13 Interveners, Circle City is hereby requesting that a Procedural Conference be set so that
14 an acceptable schedule can be developed for this matter to proceed to hearing as
15 expeditiously as possible.

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17 RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 13th day of April 2015.

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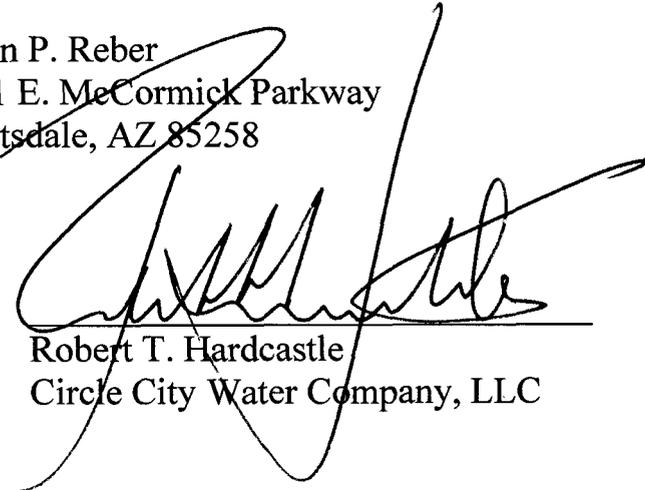
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