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9 Owned Properties; Sharon H. Booth, Trustee of The Survivor’s Trust Created Under Declaration
of Trust of Richard G. Booth and Sharon H. Booth Dated July 10,1980; David Robert Hamm and
Reeves Orchard, LLC (collectively, the "East Ojai Group")

10 **SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**
11 **COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

13 SANTA BARBARA CHANNELKEEPER, a
14 California non-profit organization

15 Petitioner,

16 vs.

17 STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL
BOARD, a California State Agency; CITY OF
18 SAN BUENAVENTURA, a California
municipal corporation,

19 Respondents.
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CASE No. 19STCP01176

Judge: Hon. William F. Highberger

**EAST OJAI GROUP'S JOINDER IN CITY
OF OJAI'S REPLY BRIEF REGARDING
OPPOSITION TO MOTION FOR
JUDGMENT ON THE PLEADINGS AND
REQUEST FOR JUDICIAL NOTICE**

Date: January 18, 2022
Time: 1:30 p.m.
Place 310 N. Spring St.
Los Angeles, CA
90012

Action Filed: September 19, 2014
Third Amended Cross-Complaint Filed:
January 2, 2020
Trial Date (Phase One): February 14, 2022

24 CITY OF SAN BUENAVENTURA, etc.,

25 Cross-Complainant,

26 DUNCAN ABBOTT, an individual, et al.,

27 Cross-Defendants.
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1 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that The Thacher School; Friend's Ranches, Inc.; Topa Topa
2 Ranch & Nursery, LLC; Finch Farms, LLC; Red Mountain Land & Farming, LLC; Thacher
3 Creek Citrus, LLC; The Finch Family Trust; James P. Finch; Robert Calder Davis, Jr.; Robert
4 Calder Davis, Jr., TTEE of Trust Owned Properties; Sharon H. Booth, Trustee of The Survivor's
5 Trust Created Under Declaration of Trust of Richard G. Booth and Sharon H. Booth Dated July
6 10,1980; David Robert Hamm and Reeves Orchard, LLC (collectively, the "East Ojai Group"), as
7 interested parties, join in the City of Ojai's Reply Brief Regarding Opposition to Motion for
8 Judgment on the Pleadings and Request for Judicial Notice ("Motion"), as to all issues raised in
9 the Reply Brief and Motion, as to each cause of action addressed in the Reply Brief and Motion,
10 and the request to grant the Motion.

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12 DATED: January 11, 2022

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