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| 2  | UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  |
| 3  | DISTRICT OF NEVADA  |
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| 5  | UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,   |
| 6  | Plaintiff,  |
| 7  | )<br>WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE, )   |
| 8  | )<br>Plaintiff-Intervenor, )  |
| 9  | )<br>V. )   |
| 10 | )<br>WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION  |
| 11 | DISTRICT, et al.,   |
| 12 | ) In Equity No. C-125<br>Defendants. ) Sub-proceeding: C-125-C                                      |
| 13 | MINERAL COUNTY,       )       3:73-cv-00128-ECR-LRL   |
| 14 | )<br>Proposed-Plaintiff-Intervenor ) <b>O R D E R</b>   |
| 15 | )<br>V. )   |
| 16 | )<br>THE WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION )  |
| 17 | DISTRICT, et al.,   |
| 18 | Proposed Defendants.  |
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| 20 | This case comes before the court on Mineral County's Report Concerning Status of Service on         |
| 21 | Proposed Defendants (#479). The court has considered the Report, Walker River Irrigation District's |
| 22 | Response (#488), Mineral County's Reply (#496), and the comments of counsel during the status       |
| 23 | conference on October 19, 2010. For good cause shown,   |
| 24 | IT IS ORDERED that the caption submitted as Exhibit C to Mineral County's Service Report            |
| 25 | (#479) is hereby approved as accurate and valid.  |
| 26 | IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Mineral County's requests to dismiss parties as set forth in             |
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| 1  | its Service Report (#479) and in Exhibits 1 and 2 of Mineral County's Reply (#496) are hereby granted. |
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| 2  | IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the corrections to the captions reflected in Exhibit 3 of                   |
| 3  | Mineral County's Reply (#496) are hereby approved.   |
| 4  | IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Mineral County's requests to substitute parties as set forth                |
| 5  | in its Service Report (#479) and in Exhibits 1 and 4 of its Reply (#496) are hereby granted.           |
| 6  | IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that service on other parties as requested in Mineral County's                   |
| 7  | Service Report (#479) and Exhibit 5 of its Reply (#496) is hereby ratified.                            |
| 8  | IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the parties who remain to be served are those set forth in                  |
| 9  | Exhibit 6 of Mineral County's Reply (#496); and that said parties shall be served without unnecessary  |
| 10 | delay.   |
| 11 | IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Mineral County shall not be required to make further service                |
| 12 | on parties who have already been validly served, and for whom the court has already ratified service.  |
| 13 | IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that for the purposes of this litigation the estate and successors-in-           |
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14 interest of a deceased party bear the burden of filing and serving a Notice of Death pursuant to Fed. R.
15 Civ. P. 25(a) in the event of a party's death.

DATED this 27th day of September, 2011.

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LAWRENCE R. LEAVITT UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE