

Legal Report  
Greeley Water & Sewer Board Meeting  
June 15, 2022

1. Case Number: **21CW3216**: State Decennial 2020 Abandonment List. Greeley's Island Grove Well No. 4503, originally decreed in Case No. W-2642, is on the list. The Board previously authorized counsel and staff to file a statement of opposition to the abandonment listing for this water right. Upon further analysis, staff and counsel have changed their recommendation and now recommend that the Board not file a statement of opposition to the abandonment of the junior right associated with this well.

**Proposed Motion Language:** "I move that the Board rescind its authorization of February 16, 2022 for staff and legal counsel to file a statement of opposition in Case No. 21CW3216 listing Greeley's Island Grove Well No. 4503 water right, originally decreed in Case No. W-2642, on the State of Colorado's Decennial Abandonment List."

2. Case Number: **22CW3055**: Ft. Collins' application for diligence of Halligan Reservoir Enlargement in the amount of 16,520AF, conditional. Ft. Collins is not claiming any portion absolute. Staff and legal counsel recommend filing a statement of opposition in this case to ensure that the diligence decree is consistent with the terms of the original decree; that Greeley's operation of Milton Seaman Reservoir is not impacted by any terms in the diligence decree; and that Ft. Collins has met its burden of diligently developing the water right.

**Proposed Motion Language:** "I move that the Board authorize the filing of a statement of opposition in Case No. 22CW3055, and for staff and legal counsel to seek resolution of issues raised by this case consistent with Water and Sewer Board Resolution No. 3-15."