

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

THE STATE OF NEVADA, ON
RELATION TO ITS DIVISION OF
WATER RESOURCES; THE STATE OF
NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF
CONSERVATION AND NATURAL
RESOURCES; AND ADAM SULLIVAN,
P.E., NEVADA STATE ENGINEER,
Petitioners,

vs.

THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA,
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF
CLARK; AND THE HONORABLE
MARK R. DENTON, DISTRICT JUDGE,
Respondents,

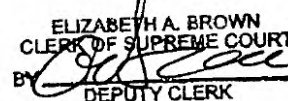
and

COYOTE SPRINGS INVESTMENT,
LLC; COYOTE SPRINGS NEVADA,
LLC; AND COYOTE SPRINGS
NURSERY, LLC,
Real Parties in Interest.

No. 87356

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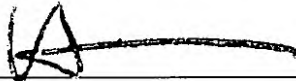
ORDER DIRECTING ANSWER

This emergency petition for a writ of mandamus challenges a district court order denying a motion to hold the underlying proceedings in abeyance pending a decision in a related appeal, *Sullivan, P.E. v. Lincoln Cty. Water District*, Docket Nos. 83739/84741/84742/84809/85137.

Having reviewed the petition and supporting documents, we conclude that an answer may assist this court in resolving the petition. Therefore, real party in interest, on behalf of respondents, shall have until 4 pm on Thursday, October 5, 2023, to file and serve an answer, including

authorities, against issuance of the requested writ.¹ NRAP 21(b)(1). Petitioner shall have until 4 pm on Friday, October 6, to file and serve any reply. No extensions to the deadlines set forth in this order will be granted absent demonstration of extraordinary and compelling circumstances by written motion.

It is so ORDERED.

_____, A.C.J.

cc: Hon. Mark R. Denton, District Judge
Attorney General/Carson City
Attorney General/Las Vegas
Robison, Sharp, Sullivan & Brust
Coulthard Law PLLC
Eighth District Court Clerk

¹For purposes of complying with this order, the provisions of NRAP 25(a)(2)(B)(ii), (iii), and (iv), which provide that a document is timely filed if, on or before its due date, it is mailed to this court, dispatched for delivery by a third party commercial carrier, or deposited in the Supreme Court drop box, are suspended. *See* NRAP 2. Accordingly, all documents shall be filed personally or by facsimile or electronic transmission with the clerk of this court in Carson City.