BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO STATE ENGINEER

IN THE MATTER OF THE CORRECTED APPLICATION OF AUGUSTIN PLAINS RANCH, LLC FOR PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE GROUNDWATER IN THE RIO GRANDE UNDERGROUND WATER BASIN IN NEW MEXICO

Hearing No. 17-005 OSE FILE NO. RG-89943 POD 1 through POD 37

WILDEARTH GUARDIANS' JOINDER IN RESPONSES BY COMMUNITY PROTESTANTS AND THE WATER RIGHTS DIVISION TO APPLICANT'S EXPEDITED REQUEST FOR A POST-DECISION EVIDENTIARY HEARING

Protestant WildEarth Guardians ("Guardians") hereby joins in the Community

Protestants' and Water Rights Division's Reponses to Applicant's Expedited Request for a Post-

Decision Evidentiary Hearing. For the reasons set forth in those Responses, Guardians

respectfully asks the State Engineer to Deny Applicant's request.

Respectfully submitted on this 31st day of August 2018,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of this JOINDER was sent via either electronic mail or first class mail on August 31, 2018, to the parties entitled to notice as listed on the OSE's website for this matter at <u>http://www.ose.state.nm.us/HU/AugustinPlains.php</u> (last visited August 31, 2018).

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