

APR update 5/21/20-

Hello Everyone,

An update is difficult when nothing seems to be happening, but in spite of how quiet it is and has been, our fight continues. As you know, the case of the Augustin Plains Ranch LLC's attempt to mine water in the Plains of San Augustin has reached the Appellate Court. Judge Reynolds' ruling to deny the application has been appealed. So far, there has been no move by the Appellate Court to schedule our case, so we have no idea when it will be on their docket. You'll know as soon as I do.

Meanwhile, we are working to take advantage of the time we have. Our legal team is preparing for whatever comes up, and not knowing what that will be, they are preparing for the worst: a full-blown hearing with lots of legal steps and the need for expert witnesses. Our case will be fully defended if need be.

Never doubt that your continued interest and support are vital to our winning this case! In a similar case, decided early this year, in the mountains east of Albuquerque, the judge took note of the packed courtroom as an indication of community interest and it influenced the community's win.

Thanks to you all for all you do and have done,  
Carol Pittman – Datil.