

Projected Aamodt Settlement Implementation Process

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| I. | Settlement Agreement Process | |
| | A. Agreement completed and approved by governments (excluding U.S.) | April 30, 2006 |
| | Agreement open for signature by individuals | February 1, 2006 |
| | B. Draft Proposed Cost-Sharing Agreement completed | June 16, 2006 |
| II. | Federal Legislation Process | |
| | A. Parties submit draft legislation to congressional delegation that would approve Agreement and authorize the settlement project | As soon as possible after Agreement approved by governments (excluding the U.S.) |
| | B. Legislation passed | As soon as possible |
| | C. Secure authorized funding | Ongoing, after legislation passed |
| III. | Administrative Process | |
| | A. Develop Rules re: Impairment Fund | Beginning April 30, 2006 |
| | B. Develop Water Master Rules and Regulations | Beginning April 30, 2006 |
| IV. | State Legislative Process | Meet with Interim Legislative Committees beginning May 1, 2006 for introduction in the 2007 Session |
| | A. Enabling Legislation | |
| | B. Construction Fund | |
| | C. Impairment Fund | |
| | D. Connection Fund | |

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| V. | Court Process | |
| A. | Motion re: process, addressing | Nov. 1, 2006 |
| | 1. Procedures for notice | |
| | 2. Schedule for joinder | |
| | 3. Opportunity to join the agreement | |
| | 4. Opportunity to object | |
| | 5. Process to address objections | |
| | 6. Process to consider Interim Administrative
Order for Administration and Water Master Rules | |
| B. | Court order approving process | At Court's discretion |
| C. | Motion to Approve Settlement Agreement
and to Enter Interim Administrative Order | No sooner than 60
days after legislation
enacted |
| | 1. Notice sent | |
| | a. Opportunity to accept settlement or object
(Deadline for individuals to sign) | |
| | b. If no response, then Motion for Order to Show Cause | |
| | 2. Objections heard and resolved | At Court's discretion |
| | a. Informal-meetings | |
| | b. Formal-litigation | |
| D. | Interim Administrative Order entered | At Court's discretion |
| E. | Complete non-Pueblo adjudication | Before Dec. 15, 2012 |
| | 1. NonPueblo surface water priorities | Beginning June 1,
2006 |
| | 2. Complete adjudication of domestic wells | Beginning Nov. 1,
2006 |
| | 3. Errors and omissions | To be determined
after completion of 1.
& 2. |
| F. | Final Decree entered, after any necessary inter se phase | Before Dec. 15, 2012 |