

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

*In re* Flint Water Cases.

Judith E. Levy  
United States District Judge

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This Order Relates To:

ALL CASES

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**AGENDA FOR APRIL 15, 2020 STATUS CONFERENCE**

The Court will hold a video status conference in these cases on April 15, 2020, at 2:00pm in Ann Arbor, Michigan. This conference will be held on Zoom and the Court will enter a notice containing access information and protocol in advance of the conference.

The agenda will be as follows, although the Court may adjust the agenda prior to the conference if necessary:

**I. *In re* Flint Water Cases Discovery Coordination**

The parties should be prepared to update the Court on how discovery is proceeding in other state and federal actions related to the

Flint Water Cases. Judge Joseph J. Farah from Genesee County Circuit Court will attend the status conference to assist in this process.

Co-Liaison Counsel and LAN Defendants request to discuss further coordination of discovery between the Flint Water Cases and the cases involving the EPA pending before Judge Parker. *See, e.g., Burgess v. United States*, Case No. 17-cv-11218. Co-liaison Counsel reported to the Court that the EPA is refusing to participate in depositions. (ECF No. 1095.)

The following dates are set for telephonic discovery conferences as needed: April 29, 2020 at 2:00pm and May 6, 2020 at 2:00pm.

## **II. Motions to Dismiss in Individual Cases**

The Court will set forth a briefing schedule for motions to dismiss or other responsive pleadings in the remaining *legionella* cases.

## **III. Report from the Special Master**

The Special Master will provide an update on her work since the last status conference.

## **IV. Scheduling of Next Status Conference**

The next status conference will be held on **Wednesday, May 20, 2020** at 2:00pm in Ann Arbor, Michigan. Parties are to file proposed

agenda items in Case No. 16-cv-10444 by May 6, 2020. Individual liaison counsel should collect proposed agenda items from all counsel representing individual plaintiffs and submit those proposed items as a single filing. The Court will issue an agenda by May 13, 2020.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: April 8, 2020  
Ann Arbor, Michigan

s/Judith E. Levy  
JUDITH E. LEVY  
United States District Judge

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned certifies that the foregoing document was served upon counsel of record and any unrepresented parties via the Court's ECF System to their respective email or First Class U.S. mail addresses disclosed on the Notice of Electronic Filing on April 8, 2020.

s/William Barkholz  
WILLIAM BARKHOLZ  
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