

**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 JULY 29, 2020 STATUS CONFERENCE

The Court will hold a video status conference in these cases on Wednesday, July 29, 2020, at 2:00pm EST in Ann Arbor, Michigan. The Court will enter a separate notice containing information to access the video 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.

The following dates are set for a video discovery conference as needed: August 5, 2020 at 2:00pm and August 12, 2020 at 2:00pm.

II. *Waid v. Snyder*, Case No. 16-cv-10444

Putative Class Plaintiffs filed a motion to seal (ECF No. 1204) portions of their motion for class certification. (ECF No. 1207.) The Court will hear any argument on this motion and issue an oral decision at the conference.

The Court will also hear argument on the Putative Class Plaintiffs' motion to amend their complaint to substitute class representatives. (ECF No. 1175.)

MDEQ Defendants request to discuss a timeline for their participation in class action discovery, responses, expert disclosures, and timing to file a summary judgment motion. (ECF No. 1200.) All parties should be prepared for this issue.

III. *Rogers v. Snyder*, Case No. 18-cv-10713

On June 30, 2020, the Court issued a show cause as to why the case *Rogers v. Snyder* should not be dismissed for failure to prosecute and failure follow the Court's order. (18-cv-10713, ECF No. 94.) Counsel for *Rogers* responded on July 17, 2020, and included a motion to amend the

complaint. (18-cv-10713, ECF No. 94-1.) The Court will hear argument on this motion and issue a decision on the record.

IV. Report from the Special Master

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

V. Scheduling of Next Status Conference

The next status conference will be held on **Wednesday, August 26, 2020** at 2:00pm. Parties are to file proposed agenda items in Case No. 16-cv-10444 by August 12, 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 August 19, 2020.

Dated: July 22, 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 July 22, 2020.

s/William Barkholz
Case Manager