IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

SCOTTS VALLEY BAND OF POMO INDIANS,)))
Plaintiff,)
v.) Case No. 1:19-CV-01544-ABJ
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, et al.,))
Defendants.)))

FEDERAL DEFENDANTS' CROSS-MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

Federal Defendants the United States Department of the Interior (the "Department"), Deb Haaland in her official capacity as Secretary of the Interior, and Bryan Newland in his official capacity as Assistant Secretary–Indian Affairs, hereby move this Court for an Order granting them summary judgment on all claims in Plaintiff Scotts Valley Band of Pomo Indians' Complaint, under Rule 56 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and Local Civil Rule 7(h). Federal Defendants' motion for summary judgment is based on this motion, the accompanying Memorandum in support thereof, the certified administrative record, and the pleadings on file in this action. As explained further in the supporting Memorandum, the administrative record supports Federal Defendants' decision and Federal Defendants did not act arbitrarily, capriciously, or otherwise not in accordance with law. Federal Defendants therefore request that the Court grant their motion for summary judgment and deny Plaintiff's.

Respectfully submitted this1st day of October, 2021.

TODD KIM Assistant Attorney General

/s/ Devon Lehman McCune
DEVON LEHMAN McCUNE
Colorado Bar No. 33223
Senior Attorney
United States Department of Justice
Environment & Natural Resources Division
Natural Resources Section
999 18th St., South Terrace, Suite 370
Denver, CO 80202
Tel: (303) 844-1487

Fax: (303) 844-1350

devon.mccune@usdoj.gov

Counsel for Federal Defendants

OF COUNSEL
John-Michael Partesotti
United States Department of the Interior
Office of the Solicitor