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POETRY

JUSTICE GREGORY J. HOBBS, JR.

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WATER INTER-FACES

Human to humans
human to the land and all other creatures
we call this community

We are a federal community
Nation to Nation (those “dependent nations” the Tribes)
dependent nations within the territory of States

A constitutional people
supremacy clause property clause commerce clause
treaties among us

U.S. Tribal Treaties
Compacts between States
Women to men all other disciplines

Necessity of life
water the universal public resource
user to user

Clean Water Act
Endangered Species Act
Federal Land Policy and Management Act

Prior appropriation water use rights
Federal reserved water rights
Native American water rights

Function of federalism
people of peoples
this opportunity for community.