

STATE OF NEBRASKA

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

APPROVAL OF MAP 17629 FOR WATER APPROPRIATIONS SERVED BY THE GOTHENBURG CANAL

NEBRASKA PUBLIC POWER DISTRICT

WATER DIVISION 1-A

BACKGROUND

1. On July 9, 2007, the Department of Natural Resources (Department) approved Nebraska Public Power District's (NPPD) applications T-1295 and T-1296 to transfer the location of use for appropriations D-645B and A-2726 via the Gothenburg Canal. The approval was conditional upon a project map being filed by January 9, 2008.
2. On July 1, 2008, the Department approved an extension of time in which to file the project map for NPPD's transfer applications T-1295 and T-1296 to transfer the location of use for appropriations D-645B and A-2726 via the Gothenburg Canal. The map filing date was extended to December 31, 2009.
3. On January 19, 2010, the Department approved a second extension of time in which to file the project map for transfers T-1295 and T-1296 to transfer the location of use for appropriations D-645B and A-2726 via the Gothenburg Canal, and all subsequent relinquishments and assignments were extended to March 31, 2010.
4. On March 4, 2010, NPPD filed map number 17629 in the Department depicting NPPD's appropriations D-645B and A-2726 after transfer applications T-1295 and T-1296 and incorporating all subsequent relinquishments and assignments for appropriations served by the Gothenburg Canal.

ORDER

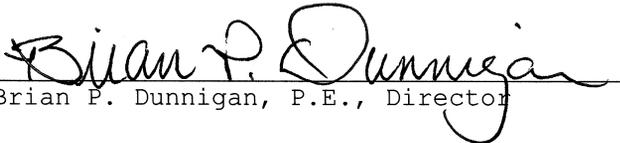
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. Map number 17629 is APPROVED.
2. Appropriations held by NPPD authorizing them to divert water for irrigation from the Platte River or Sutherland Reservoir into the Gothenburg Canal at the headgate located in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 19, Township 12 North, Range 26 West of the 6th P.M. in Lincoln County are summarized on Attachment A which is made a part of this Order. Attachment A does not reflect the portions of the appropriations that have been relinquished and not assigned by NPPD pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat. § 46-229.04(5).

3. The land authorized to be irrigated (appurtenant land) under NPPD's appropriations served by the Gothenburg Canal is listed on Attachment B (list of lands) and depicted on map number 17629 which is made a part of this Order.
4. All terms and conditions of surface water appropriations D-622R, D-624R, D-645A, D-645B, A-2039R, A-2726, A-2726R, A-3716, A-3717, A-11798, A-11799, A-15580, A-15581, A-15870, A-15992, A-16629, A-16630, A-17002, A-17003 and A-17315 remain in effect, unless specifically changed by this Order.

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

October 18, 2010


 Brian P. Dunnigan, P.E., Director

The applicant and any person with sufficient legal interest who has been or may be substantially affected by this order may request a contested case hearing in accordance with the *Neb. Admin. Procedures Act* §§ 84-901 et. seq. RRS and the Department's *Rules of Practice and Procedure* 454 *Neb. Admin. Code* Chapter 7. The request must be received by the Department at its Lincoln office (P.O. Box 94676, 301 Centennial Mall South, 4th Floor State Office Building, Lincoln, Nebraska 68509-4676) within 30 days of the date of the order and be accompanied by a filing fee of \$10.

Copies of this Order and Attachments were posted on the Department's website. Copies of this Order, Attachments A and B, and map number 17629 were provided to the Department's field offices in Bridgeport and North Platte, Nebraska. Copies of this Order, Attachments A and B, and map number 17629 were mailed on October 18, 2010, to the following:

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