

STATE OF NEBRASKA  
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

PETITION TO THE NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
FOR LEAVE TO FILE OR CONSIDER AN APPLICATION FOR A NEW  
SURFACE WATER APPROPRIATION WITHIN A MORATORIUM OR STAY AREA  
UNDER TITLE 457 N.A.C. CHAPTER 23

Complete items 1 through 5 by printing in ink or typing the appropriate information and by placing an X in the appropriate box. Attach supporting documentation and a \$10 non-refundable filing fee.	For Department Use Only
<p>1. Name and address of petitioner: The Central Nebraska Public Power and Irrigation District P.O. Box 740, 415 Lincoln Street Holdrege, NE 68949</p> <p>E-mail address: _____ Telephone No. ( 308 ) 995-8601</p>	<p>Modification No.: VAR-9007 Date Filed: July 14 2020 Time Filed: 8:24 am SW Appropriation No.: _____ (if applicable) Right ID No.: _____ (if applicable) Water Division: 1-A Receipt No.: A-5312 Amount: \$10.00</p>
<p>2. Check the situation that applies:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Application Already Filed                      Application Number: _____</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Application Not Filed (Enclose copy of proposed application)</p>	
<p>3. Description of proposed project:</p> <p>Using Environmental Account water for groundwater recharge on Cottonwood Ranch Complex, a Platte River Recovery Implementation Program (PRRIP) recharge project, intended for the benefit of fish and wildlife.</p>	
<p>4. The Proposed Project — (Check all that apply):</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 001.01 — Is a non-consumptive use</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 001.02 — Will replace (offset) any consumptive use (Attach Offset Plan)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 001.03 — Is for possible unappropriated water (Attach Analysis)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 001.04 — Existed before the stay or moratorium (Attach Proof)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 001.05 — Addresses a public safety issue (Attach Explanation)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 001.06 — Is a temporary use for public construction (&lt;10 AF)</p>	
<p>5. Other reason why a variance should be granted:</p> <p>The PRRIP desires to use EA water for groundwater recharge on the Cottonwood Ranch Complex. This application will provide a confirmed source of water that may be used for recharge operations should excess flows not be available for diversion.</p>	
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-end;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p style="font-size: 1.5em;">7-10/20</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Date</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>_____</p> <p>Signature of Applicant (or authorized agent)</p> </div> </div>	

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