

780. IRWIN, W.W.

IRWIN LATERAL (COPY)

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Petition

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El Paso Valle
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PETITION
FOR THE
TAKING OVER, RECONSTRUCTION,
A
AND OPERATING
"THE IRWIN LATERAL"

STATE OF TEXAS)
COUNTY OF EL PASO)

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that we, the undersigned owners of lands ~~in the County of El Paso and State of Texas and~~ within the boundaries of the El Paso County and State of Texas and District No. 1, being desirous of securing the irrigation and reclamation of our lands in accordance with the plans formulated and to be hereafter formulated by the United States of America under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 17, 1902, (32 Stat., 388), and acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto, pursuant to contract of December 29, 1917, between the Secretary of the Interior and the said El Paso County Water Improvement District No. 1, and for and in consideration of the benefits to be derived from the construction and operation of irrigation and other works upon or in the vicinity of our lands and for other valuable considerations, hereby agree to convey to the United States all necessary right of way over, upon and across any and all tracts of land belonging to the undersigned, or any of them; it being understood and agreed that the land included in the said right of way herein agreed to be conveyed to the United States is to be taken and used in connection with the reconstruction and maintenance of the ~~####~~ "IRWIN LATERAL" ~~#####~~, as the same is now located and staked out on the ground, as shown on the attached plat. Said right of way shall be conveyed to the United States by proper quit claim deed or deeds, or other appropriate instrument in writing, at any time such conveyance may be demanded by the proper agents and representatives of the United States after the construction and operation of said ~~##~~ "IRWIN LATERAL" shall have been definitely determined upon by the United States, or actually constructed and in operation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto affixed our hands and seals this _____ day of _____ A. D. 192__.

E. J. Washington
W. A. J. Washington
G. E. Fletcher
John T. McElroy

STATE OF TEXAS)
)
COUNTY OF EL PASO)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That we, the undersigned owners of lands situated in the County of El Paso and State of Texas and within the boundaries of the El Paso County Water Improvement District No. 1, being desirous of securing the irrigation and reclamation of our lands in accordance with the plans formulated and to be hereafter formulated by the United States of America under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 17, 1902, (32 Stat., 388), and acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto, pursuant to contract of December 29, 1917, between the Secretary of the Interior and the said El Paso County Water Improvement District No. 1, and for and in consideration of the benefits to be derived from the construction and operation of irrigation and other works upon or in the vicinity of our lands and for other valuable considerations, hereby agree to convey to the United States all necessary right of way over, upon and across any and all tracts of land belonging to the undersigned, or any of them; it being understood and agreed that the land included in the said right of way herein agreed to be conveyed to the United States is to be taken and used in connection with the reconstruction and maintenance of the # "Irwin Lateral" #####, as the same is now located and staked out on the ground, as shown on the attached plat. Said right of way shall be conveyed to the United States by proper quit claim deed or deeds, or other appropriate instrument in writing, at any time such conveyance may be demanded by the proper agents and representatives of the United States after the construction and operation of said "Irwin Lateral" # shall have been definitely determined upon by the United States, or actually constructed and in operation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto affixed our hands and seals this _____ day of _____ A. D. 192__.

L. Rubio _____
Arthur Puggison _____

STATE OF TEXAS)
) SS.
COUNTY OF EL PASO)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That the undersigned W. W. Irwin, owner of land situated in the County of El Paso and State of Texas and within the boundaries of the El Paso County Water Improvement District No. 1. being desirous of securing the irrigation and reclamation of said lands in accordance with plans formulated and to be hereafter formulated by the United States of America under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 17, 1902 (32 Stat., 388), and acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto, pursuant to contract of December 29, 1917, between the United States and the said El Paso County Water Improvement District No. 1, and for and in consideration of the benefits to be derived from the construction and operation of irrigation and other works upon or in the vicinity of said lands and for other valuable considerations, hereby agree to convey to the United States all necessary right of way over and across any and all tracts of land belonging to the undersigned, for what is known as The Irwin Lateral as the same is now located and staked out on the ground, as shown on the attached plat. Said right of way shall be conveyed to the United States by proper quitclaim deed or deeds, or other appropriate instrument in writing, at any time such conveyance may be demanded by the proper agents and representatives of the United States after the construction and operation of said canal shall have been definitely determined upon by the United States, or actually constructed and in operation.

This instrument is made with the understanding that the undersigned constructed said ditch originally in 1905 and has since had free and sole use of same and is not now acting with or granting any rights in said ditch to any other land owner. ~~In case of any shortage of water the right of the undersigned to use of such water as is available shall be first and prior.~~

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my hand and seal this 15th day of January, A. D. 1925.

W. W. Irwin

Address: Genl. Del.

El Paso

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W. W. I.

