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Petition

For the

Reconstruction and Operation

of the

"Loewenstein Lateral"

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, Thatwe the undersigned owners of land situate in the County of El Paso, Texas and/or in Dona Ana County, New Mexico, respectively, and within the boundaries of El Paso County Water Improvement District No. 1, or the Elephant Butte Irrigation District, being desirous of securing improved adequate and more efficient irrigation and drainage facilities for our lands in accordance with plans now or hereafter to be formulated by the United States of America under provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 17, 1902 (32 Stat. 388) and acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto, pursuant to contract dated June 15, 1918, and contracts supplementary thereto between the United States of America and the said Elephant Butte Irrigation District, and/or purswant to contract dated January 17, 1920 and contracts supplementary thereto between the United States of America and the said El Paso County Water Improvement District No. 1, for and in consideration of the contemplated benefits to be derived from the construction, reconstruction or improvement and subsequent operation of irrigation or drainage works or both in the vicinity of our lands, and in consideration of our mutual promises herein, do hereby agree for ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, to convey to the United States of America, by our respective proper quit claim deels; upon demand for such deeds being made by the authorized representatives of the Bureau of Reclamation of the United States, a strip or strips, of land for right of way for ditches or laterals of such width and length as may be necessary and hereafter actually occupied by such works and reasonably required for the proper operation and maintenance thereof, not to exceed however the width in feet set opposite each of said proposed works for what are or will be commonly know respectively as follows, to-wit:

Feature

Maximum width of Right of Way.

"Loewenstein Lateral"

Thirty five (35) feet.

As the same respectively are now or may hereafter be located and staked out on the ground by the United States acting thru the Bureau of Reclamation, the locations of such drainage ditches, levees, intercepting drains and laterals respectively being approximately and substantially as shown on the map attached hereto and made a part hereof.

In Witness Whereof, we have hereunto affixed our hands and

Ashur W. Goodwin.

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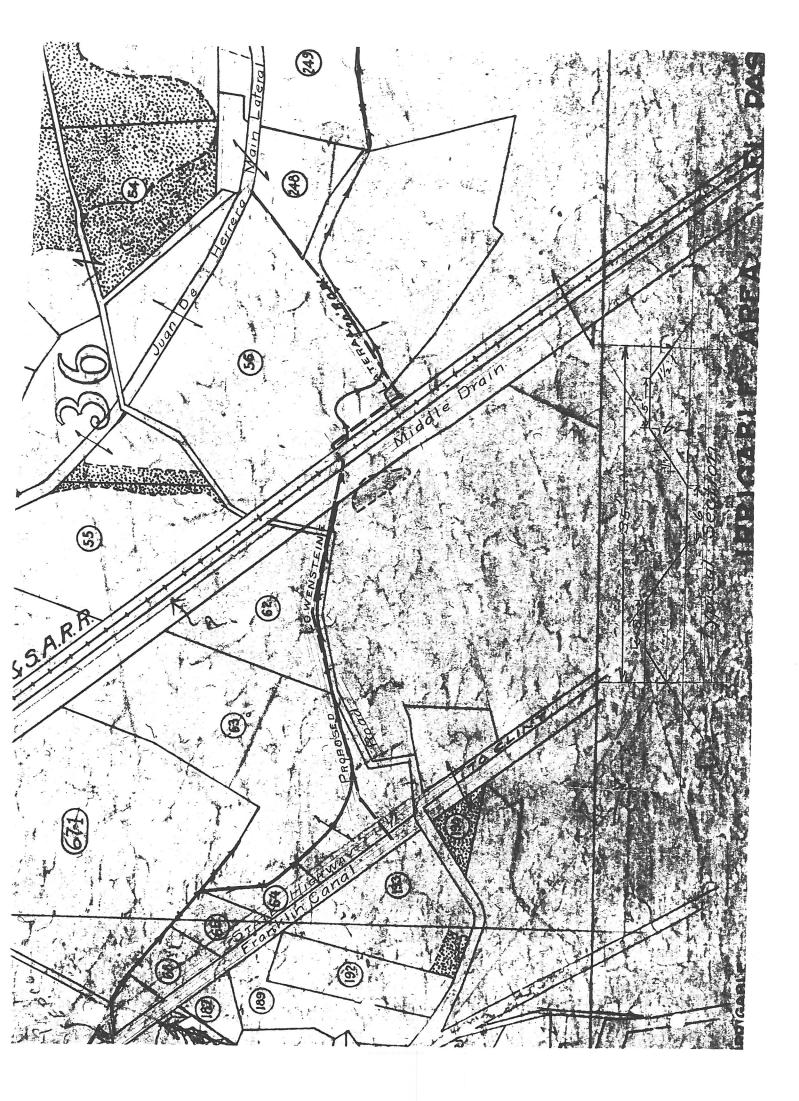
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Bureau of Reclamation, Rio Grande Project, El Paso, Texas.

Gentlemen;

We, the undersigned owners and water users out of what is known as the Lowenstein Lateral and the Juan de Herrera Lateral, respectfully request that you enlarge and repair the Lowenstein Lateral so as to act as a feeder to the Juan de Herrera Lateral.

The necessity for the work is well known to the bureau and it is respectfully requested that this job be undertaken as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

Felipa Candelain	Charles & Sterens
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