

HOADLEY, GEORGE W., et al.  
PETITIONER  
TORNILLO INTERCEPTING DRAIN NO. 2

23-(13), 26-(9) Texas

**PETITION  
FOR THE  
CONSTRUCTION OF  
TORNILLO INTERCEPTING  
DRAIN #2**

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, That we, the undersigned  
owners of land situated in the County EL PASO, and State of  
TEXAS, and within the boundaries of the EL PASO  
County Water Improvement District #2, being desirous of securing  
the improved drainage and more efficient irrigation, drainage, and  
flood protection 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 Stats.  
533), and acts amendatory thereto and supplementary thereto, pursuant  
to contract dated January 7th, 1920, and contracts sup-  
plementary thereto between the United States of America and the said  
El Paso County Water Improvement District, for and in con-  
sideration of the contemplated benefits to be derived from the con-  
struction, 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 <sup>for</sup> as follows,  
that, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns,  
to convey to the United States of America, by our respective proper  
full chain deeds, upon demand for such deeds being made by the auth-  
orized representatives of the Bureau of Reclamation of the United  
States a strip or strips of land for right of way for drainage ditches,  
levees and intercepting drains, laterals, connections therewith and  
extensions thereof, of such width and length as may be necessary not

to exceed however the width in feet set opposite each of said proposed  
works for what are or will be commonly known respectively as follows,

towels

Tornollo Intercepting Drain #2 85 feet in width.

As the same respectively are now or may hereafter be located  
and stated out on the ground by the United States acting through the  
Bureau of Reclamation, the locations of said 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  
seals this 14<sup>th</sup> day of January 1920

Signed, Sealed and delivered in  
the presence of  
W. H. Barnes  
Geo. W. Headley

J. A. Schaefer

R. C. Cook

P. C. Dunn

H. C. Lewis

J. A. Schaefer

Mrs. L. G. Rockwell

A. J. H. Green

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