STATE OF NEBRASKA

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

ORDER OF CANCELLATION IN PART OF WATER APPROPRIATION A-13354

WATER DIVISION 2-A

BACKGROUND

1. Records on file in the Department of Natural Resources (Department) show that surface water appropriation A-13354 is held by Marian Gossman.

2. Appropriation A-13354 has a priority date of January 13, 1975, and authorizes the use of water for irrigation of the 101.0 acres of land described below. The water may be diverted from the Loup River through the headgate of the Loup River Public Power District Canal located in the NE¼NW¼ of Section 6, Township 16 North, Range 4 West of the 6th P.M. in Nance County. Water diverted shall not exceed the ratio of one cubic foot per second (cfs) for every 70 acres irrigated at a maximum rate of 1.44 cfs.

Township 18 North, Range 1 West of the 6th P.M. in Platte County		Acres
Section 34:	NW¼NE¼	3.6
	NE¼NE¼	21.0
	SW¼NE¼	37.4
	SE¼NE¼	39.0
	TOTAL	101.0

3. On March 27, 2015, Marian Gossman filed relinquishment REL-5361, relinquishing the right to divert water under a portion of appropriation A-13354 to irrigate the 83.6 acres of land described below.

Township 18 North, Range 1 West of the 6th P.M. in Platte County		Acres
Section 34:	NW¼NE¼	2.8
	NE¼NE¼	6.2
	SW¼NE¼	37.0
	SE¼NE¼	37.6
	TOTAL	83.6

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. Part of appropriation A-13354 at the rate of 1.19 cfs for use upon the land described below is CANCELLED.

Township 18 North, Range 1 West of the 6th P.M. in Platte County		Acres
Section 34:	NW¼NE¼	2.8
	NE¼NE¼	6.2
	SW¼NE¼	37.0
	SE¼NE¼	37.6
	TOTAL	83.6

2. Appropriation A-13354 now authorizes the appropriator to divert water from the Loup River to irrigate the 17.4 acres of land described below and depicted on map number 19309 which is made a part of this Order. The water may be diverted from the Loup River through the headgate of the Loup River Public Power District Canal located in the NE¼NW¼ of Section 6, Township 16 North, Range 4 West of the 6th P.M. in Nance County, as depicted on map number 19309. Water diverted shall not exceed the ratio of one cfs for every 70 acres irrigated at a maximum rate of 0.25 cfs (112 gallons per minute).

Township 18 North, Range 1 West of the 6th P.M. in Platte County		Acres
Section 34:	NW¼NE¼	0.8
	NE¼NE¼	14.8
	SW¼NE¼	0.4
	SE¼NE¼	1.4
	TOTAL	17.4

3. All terms and conditions of appropriation A-13354 remain in effect unless specifically changed by this Order.

4. The appropriator must comply with all relevant statutes. This includes, but is not limited to, the following:

   A. Notify the Department of any change in ownership or address.

   B. Notify the Department of the name and address of the person responsible for the use of the water appropriation (this may include farm managers, tenants, or relatives that actually apply the water to the approved use).

   C. Obtain approval from the Department prior to taking any action that changes the location of the point of diversion, the location of the place of use, the type of use, or the type of appropriation.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Failure to comply with all laws and regulations pertaining to surface water appropriations and any orders issued by the Director of the Department of Natural Resources may result in the cancellation of the appropriation, temporary closing of the appropriation, administrative penalty, criminal prosecution, or any combination thereof.

Nebraska law provides that failure to use a portion or all of a perfected appropriation for more than five consecutive years may result in cancellation of the appropriation.

This appropriation is not a guarantee that water will be available. Nebraska law gives priority to senior appropriations. This appropriation may be closed if there is insufficient water to satisfy senior appropriations. If you are not able to divert sufficient amounts of water, you may call for water by contacting your local field office.

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July 27, 2015

James C. Schneider, Ph.D.
Acting Director

A copy of this Order was posted on the Department's website. Copies of this Order and map number 19309 were provided to the Department's field office in Norfolk, Nebraska. Copies of this Order and map number 19309 were mailed on July 27, 2015, to the following:

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