

STATE OF NEBRASKA
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

APPROVAL OF MAP 17774 FOR WATER APPROPRIATION A-18741A AND A-18741B

WATER DIVISION 2-C

BACKGROUND

1. On January 20, 2011, Jerry Gokie, on behalf of Jerry and Virginia Gokie, Mike Gokie, Richard Gokie and Terry Gokie, filed in the Department of Natural Resources (Department) application A-18741 for a Permit to Appropriate Water.
2. On March 24, 2011, Jerry Gokie filed map number 17774 showing land proposed to be irrigated under application A-18741.
3. Water stored in Gokie Reservoir No. 2 will come from two sources. Therefore, application A-18741 was divided into two storage appropriations that correspond to the stream that supplies the storage water.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. Map number 17774 is APPROVED.
2. The following is a description of all the land which is authorized to be irrigated (appurtenant land) under surface water appropriations A-18741A and A-18741B as depicted on map number 17774:

<u>Township 31 North, Range 12 West of the</u>		
<u>6th P.M. in Holt County</u>		<u>Acres</u>
Section 10:	NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	24.6
	NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	23.7
Section 11:	NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	33.5
	NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	33.5
	SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	33.5
	SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	<u>33.5</u>
	TOTAL	182.3

3. Appropriations A-18741A and A-18741B provide supplemental water to irrigate land under surface water natural flow appropriations A-12975 and A-18691 held by Jerry and Virginia Gokie, Mike Gokie, Richard Gokie and Terry Gokie.

4. The appropriator is allowed to divert a total of 40 acre-feet of water annually from a tributary to Honey Creek, stored in Gokie Reservoir No. 2, under storage appropriation A-18739. Gokie Reservoir No 2 is located in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 10, Township 31 North, Range 12 West of the 6th P.M. in Holt County, to irrigate the land described above.
5. The appropriator is allowed to divert a total of 233 acre-feet of water annually from Honey Creek, also stored in Gokie Reservoir No. 2, under supplemental storage appropriation A-18740 to irrigate the land described above.
6. The appropriator is bound by all terms and conditions of the approval of application A-18741.

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June 17, 2011


 Brian P. Dunnigan, P.E., Director

The applicant and any person with sufficient legal interest who has been or may be substantially affected by this order may request a contested case hearing in accordance with the *Neb. Admin. Procedures Act* §§ 84-901 et. seq. RRS and the Department's *Rules of Practice and Procedure* 454 *Neb. Admin. Code* Chapter 7. The request must be received by the Department at its Lincoln office (4th Floor Nebraska State Office Building, 301 Centennial Mall South, P.O. Box 94676, Lincoln, Nebraska 68509-4676) within 30 days of the date of the order and be accompanied by a filing fee of \$10.

A copy of this Order was posted on the Department's website. Copies of this Order and map number 17774 were provided to the Department's field office in Ord, Nebraska. Copies of this Order and map number 17774 were mailed on June 17, 2011, to the following:

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