

Decision No. 23285

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of
ALTON W. HALL, for release from
obligation to furnish certain irriga-
tion water as required under certifi-
cate of public convenience and
necessity.

Application No. 23285.

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BY THE COMMISSION:

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Alton W. Hall supplies water for domestic and irrigation purposes in Lot 31 and a portion of Lot 32 of the E. J. Baldwin Addition No. 1 to Santa Anita Colony and in Tract No. 8822, and also for irrigation use only in the fractional part of said Lot 32 consisting of an area of twenty (20) acres lying easterly and adjacent to Tract No. 8822, said lands adjoining the southerly boundary of the City of Arcadia in the County of Los Angeles. The southerly seven and one-half ($7\frac{1}{2}$) acres of said twenty acre parcel has been resubdivided into small lots and since the first day of January, 1939, all residents therein have received domestic water service from California Water and Telephone Company, a corporation, engaged in the public utility water business and operating in this territory.

There is no demand for irrigation water for agricultural purposes in this seven and one-half acre tract of land and it appears that said California Water and Telephone Company will continue to provide adequate water service to all consumers and residents residing therein. In order to make way for certain private and county improvements it is desirable that applicant remove his irrigation pipe lines in this section of his former service area. The Commission being of the opinion that a public hearing on this matter is unnecessary and that the request should be granted,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Alton W. Hall be and he is hereby authorized to discontinue and abandon on the first day of May, 1940, all public utility water service within the area comprising the southerly seven and one-half ($7\frac{1}{2}$) acres of the easterly fractional part of Lot 32 of E. J. Baldwin Addition No. 1 to Santa Anita Colony, which area lies south of a line parallel to and four hundred and ninety-five (495) feet northerly of the center line of Daines Drive and which is bounded on the east by El Monte Avenue, on the south by Daines Drive, and on the west by Pal Mal Avenue, an undedicated street along the easterly edge of Tract No. 8822, Los Angeles County, subject to the following terms and conditions:

1. Within fifteen (15) days from the date of this Order, Alton W. Hall shall notify, in writing, each resident and water-user affected by this Order, of his intention to discontinue on the first day of May, 1940, all water service within the above described area.
2. Within thirty (30) days from the date of this Order, Alton W. Hall shall refund to such consumers as may be entitled thereto all amounts, if any, due such consumers, arising from deposits made to guarantee payment of water bills, or for main extensions, meter or other service connections and for any other purpose whatsoever.
3. Within sixty (60) days from the date of this Order, Alton W. Hall shall notify the Commission in writing that he has complied with the terms and conditions set forth in paragraph 1 and 2 above.
4. Within thirty (30) days from the date of this Order, Alton W. Hall shall file with this Commission four copies of a suitable map or sketch, drawn to scale, upon a sheet approximately $8\frac{1}{2}$ " x 11" in size, delineating thereupon in distinctive markings the boundaries of the remaining area authorized to be served by him with domestic and irrigation water and the location thereof with reference to the surrounding territory, provided further, however, that such map or sketch shall not thereby be considered by this Commission or any other public body as a final or conclusive determination or establishment of the dedicated area of service, or any portion thereof.

For all other purposes, the effective date of this Order shall be twenty (20) days from and after the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 23rd
day of April, 1940.

Ray & Riley
Frank Blum
Rafael
H. K. H.
Justus F. Craven
COMMISSIONERS.