

Decision No. 46605

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application

of

SANTA PAULA WATER WORKS, LTD.,

a corporation, for an Order authorizing it to enter into agreements under which it will transfer priorities under certain water rights owned by it. Application No. 32953

## OPINION AND ORDER

Santa Paula Water Works, Ltd., a corporation, asks for authority to enter into an agreement with Glen Anlauf and Winifred Anlauf, his wife, permitting them to take a portion of the surface flow of Santa Paula Creek for garden irrigation purposes.

The company furnishes domestic water service in and in the vicinity of the City of Santa Paula, Ventura County. One of the sources of the company's water supply is the Santa Paula Creek, in which the company owns a prior right to all of the water of the stream. The company depends on wells for the balance of its water supply.

Glen Anlauf and Winifred Anlauf are owners of property that is located at an elevation above the company's distribution system and outside its service area and water is desired for irrigating the yard and garden of their said premises.

The agreement provides that during its term Glen Anlauf and Winifred Anlauf, his Wife, shall have the right as against the company to take from the surface flow of the Santa Paula Creek a maximum of 65,340 cubic feet of water per year, but not in excess of 179 cubic feet in any 24-hour period. The use of the water is limited to

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irrigation purposes on their premises and shall not be used for human consumption. The price to be paid for the right to take water is \$36.25 per year.

The agreement expires on December 31, 1952, but may be extended by mutual agreement in writing and with the consent and approval of this Commission.

The Commission having considered the request of the company and being of the opinion that the application should be granted and that a public hearing is not necessary; therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Santa Paula Water Works, Ltd., a corporation, be and it is authorized to permit Glen Anlauf Winifred Anlauf, his wife, to receive the quantities of water set forth in the agreement attached to the application herein and marked Exhibit A, and made a part hereof by reference, and to render the service described therein subject to the following conditions:

- 1. Santa Paula Water Works, Ltd., shall file with this Commission, within thirty (30) days after the effective date of this order, two certified copies of the agreement as executed, together with a statement of the date on which the agreement is deemed to have become effective.
- 2. Santa Paula Water Works, Ltd., shall notify this Commission of the date of termination of said agreement within thirty (30) days from and after said date of termination.

The effective date of this order shall be twenty (20) days after the date hercof.

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Dated at San Francisco, California, this day of Masu, 1952. ommissioners.