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RIGHT-OF-WAY STIPULATIONS
IRRIGATION DITCH

1. The right-of-way for the irrigation ditch will not be more than 50 feet in width, 25 feet on either side of the center line of subject ditch.
2. Range improvements, such as fencing, reservoirs, etc., within the right-of-way will not be disturbed; or where disturbance is necessary, they will be left in the original or better condition as determined by the District Manager or his delegate.
3. The applicant will build and repair roads, fences, and trails as may be destroyed or damaged by construction work. The applicant will build suitable crossings for all roads or trails that intersect the works constructed.
4. The grantee will effect a minimum of vegetative or soil disturbances consistent with practical construction operations and will smooth all disturbed areas to conform as near as practical with the adjacent terrain, provide adequate water drainage for any roads constructed to minimize erosion and will permit the free use of any such service roads by employees of the Federal Government or their authorized agents. The grantee will correct any deficiencies as determined to be necessary by the District Manager of the Bureau of Land Management.
5. The irrigation water will be confined to a narrow ditch and will not be allowed to back water beyond the right-of-way.
6. Proper precaution will be taken at all times to prevent and suppress fires. The applicant will be held responsible for suppression costs for any fires on public lands caused through negligence of his employees, contractors, or sub-contractors. No debris burning will be allowed without specific permission from the District Manager in charge of administration of the public lands involved.
7. The ditch grade or the velocity of water flow shall not cause erosion. The ditch walls or liner shall be sufficient to prevent excessive seepage or water loss. All necessary precaution shall be taken to prevent pollution of the surface or underground water. Any on-site or downstream erosion, land depletion, or pollution caused in construction or use of the ditch shall be the responsibility of the applicant and the applicant shall be liable for rehabilitation.