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August 28, 2025

BRET JONES WWC/MWC #1684
JONES WELL DRILLING COMPANY INC.
29400 SANTIAM HIGHWAY
LEBANON, OR 97355

FINAL ORDER

Dear Mr. Jones:

The Special Standards Request Form you submitted for owner: Oregon State University, Start Card number: 1077733, is hereby approved for the following: You may temporarily remove your drilling machine from this well site as described on your Special Standards Request Form dated August 26, 2025. ***The stipulation of this approval is that the drilling machine must be returned to this well site no later than September 29, 2025.*** All other well construction standards apply as required under Oregon Administrative Rules 690-210. A copy of your Special Standards Request Form is enclosed.

Verbal approval of this Special Standards Request was provided on August 26, 2025.

The Well Construction Standards serve to protect ground water resources. By approving and issuing this special construction standard the Oregon Water Resources Department is not representing that a well constructed in accordance with this condition will maintain structural integrity or that it meets engineering standards. The well constructor/or landowner is responsible for ensuring that a well is constructed in a manner that protects ground water resources as required under Oregon Administrative Rules 690-200 through 690-240.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, I may be contacted at (503) 302-8618, or by e-mail at tommy.k.laird@water.oregon.gov.

Sincerely,

Tommy Laird
Well Construction Program Coordinator
Well Construction Section

enclosure

cc: Ryan Pillsbury, Well Inspector, Northwest Region
Josh Lucas, Well Inspector, Northwest Region

This is a FINAL ORDER other than contested case. This final order is subject to judicial review under ORS 183.484. Any petition for judicial review of the final order must be filed within the time specified by ORS 183.484(2). Pursuant to ORS 536.075 and OAR 137-004-0080 you may either petition for judicial review or petition the Director for reconsideration of this order. A petition for reconsideration may be granted or denied by the Director, and if no action is taken within 60 days following the date the petition was filed, the petition shall be deemed denied.

No images found that matches selected special standard

Note:

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(2) If it should be determined at some future date that the well, due to its construction, is allowing groundwater contamination, waste or loss of artesian pressure, the undersigned shall return to the site and rectify the problem.

(3) If oral approval was granted, a written request must be submitted to the Department either within three (3) working days of the date of oral approval or prior to completion of the associated well work. Failure to submit a written request as described above may void prior oral approval.