

STATE OF OREGON

COUNTY OF MARION

CERTIFICATE OF WATER RIGHT

THIS CERTIFICATE ISSUED TO

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confirms the right to store the waters of INTERMITTENT SURFACE RUN-OFF/NURSERY RUN-OFF, tributary to SIDNEY DITCH, a tributary of the WILLAMETTE RIVER, in EIGHT RESERVOIRS, appropriated under Permit 51511, for PROPAGATION OF WETLAND PLANT SPECIES (PONDS 1 - 6), AGRICULTURE USE (NURSERY OPERATIONS), and IRRIGATION AND SUPPLEMENTAL IRRIGATION (PONDS 7 AND 8).

The right to store these waters was perfected under Permit R-11478. The date of priority is MAY 11, 1992. The amount of water entitled to be stored each year under this right is not more than 8.25 ACRE-FEET (AF), BEING 0.12 AF IN POND 1, 0.05 AF IN POND 2, 0.05 AF IN POND 3, 0.04 AF IN POND 4, 0.04 AF IN POND 5, 0.08 AF IN POND 6, 4.00 AF IN POND 7, AND 3.87 AF IN POND 8.

The area submerged by these reservoirs is as follows:

Twp	Rng	Mer	Sec	Q-Q	GLot	DLC
9 S	3 W	WM	21	SE SE		51
9 S	3 W	WM	22	SW SW		51
9 S	3 W	WM	27	NW NW		51
9 S	3 W	WM	28	NE NE		51

The storage of water allowed herein is subject to the installation and maintenance of a fully functional conduit/gate assembly having a minimum diameter of 8 inches, or the provision of other means to evacuate water when determined necessary by the Water Resources Director to satisfy prior to downstream rights.

Measurement, recording and reporting conditions:

- A. The Director may require the water user to install a meter or other suitable measuring device as approved by the Director. If the Director notifies the water user to install a meter or other measuring device, the water user shall install such device within the period stated in the notice. Such installation period shall not be less than 90 days unless special circumstances warrant a shorter installation period. Once installed, the water user shall maintain the meter or measuring device in good working order and shall allow the watermaster access to the meter or measuring device. The Director may provide an opportunity for the water user to submit alternative measuring procedures for review and approval.

NOTICE OF RIGHT TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION OR JUDICIAL REVIEW

This is an order in other than a contested case. This order is subject to judicial review under ORS 183.484. Any petition for judicial review must be filed within the 60-day time period 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. In addition, under ORS 537.260 any person with an application, permit or water right certificate subsequent in priority may jointly or severally contest the issuance of the certificate at any time before it has issued, and after the time has expired for the completion of the appropriation under the permit, or within three months after issuance of the certificate.

B. The Director may require the water user to keep and maintain a record of the amount (volume) of water used and may require the water user to report water use on a periodic schedule as established by the Director. In addition, the Director may require the water user to report general water use information, the periods of water use and the place and nature of use of water under the right. The Director may provide an opportunity for the water user to submit alternative reporting procedures for review and approval.

Failure to comply with any of the provisions of this right may result in action including, but not limited to, restrictions on the use, civil penalties, or cancellation of the right.

This right is for the beneficial use of water without waste. The water user is advised that new regulations may require the use of best practical technologies or conservation practices to achieve this end.

By law, the land use associated with this water use must be in compliance with statewide land-use goals and any local acknowledged land-use plan.

The storage of water allowed herein may be made only at times when sufficient water is available to satisfy all prior rights, including prior rights for maintaining instream flows.

The right to store and use the water for the above purpose is restricted to beneficial use at the place of use described.

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