

STATE OF OREGON
COUNTY OF DESCHUTES
CERTIFICATE OF WATER RIGHT

THIS CERTIFICATE ISSUED TO

CITY OF SISTERS
520 E CASCADE
PO BOX 39
SISTERS OR 97759

confirms the right to the use of water perfected under the terms of Permit G-18270. The amount of water used to which this right is entitled is limited to the amount used beneficially, and shall not exceed the amount specified, or its equivalent in the case of rotation, measured at the point of diversion from the source. The specific limits and conditions of the use are listed below.

APPLICATION FILE NUMBER: G-14486
SOURCE OF WATER: A WELL IN WHYCHUS CREEK BASIN
PURPOSE OR USE: QUASI-MUNICIPAL
MAXIMUM RATE: 2.15 CUBIC FEET PER SECOND
PERIOD OF USE: YEAR ROUND
DATE OF PRIORITY: MARCH 27, 1997

WELL LOCATION:

Twp	Rng	Mer	Sec	Q-Q	Measured Distances
15 S	10 E	WM	9	SW NE	WELL 4 (EASTSIDE WELL) - 1505 FEET SOUTH AND 1715 FEET WEST FROM NE CORNER, SECTION 9

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED AS FOLLOWS:

QUASI-MUNICIPAL
WITHIN THE SERVICE BOUNDARIES OF THE CITY OF SISTERS

Water use measurement conditions:

- A. The water user shall maintain the totalizing flow meter or other suitable measuring device approved by the Director at each point of appropriation (new and existing) in good working order, shall keep a complete record of the amount of water used each month, and shall submit a report which includes the recorded water use measurements to the Department annually or more frequently as may be required by the Director. Further, the Director may require the water user to report general water use information, including the place and nature of use of water under the right.

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 and ORS 536.075. Any petition for judicial review must be filed within the 60-day time period specified by ORS 183.484(2). Pursuant to ORS 183.484, ORS 536.075 and OAR 137-004-0080, you may petition for judicial review and 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 within three months after issuance of the certificate.

B. The water user shall allow the Watermaster access to the meters or measuring devices; provided however, where the meters or measuring devices are located within a private structure, the Watermaster shall request access upon reasonable notice.

The water user shall monitor and report the impact of water use under this right in accordance with the approved water level monitoring plan on file with the Department. The reference level against which any future measurements will be compared is 79.30 feet below land surface for Well 4 (Eastside Well). If a well listed on this right (or replacement well) displays a total static water-level decline of 25 or more feet over any period of years, as compared to the reference level, then the water user shall discontinue use of, or reduce the rate or volume of withdrawal from, the well(s). Such action shall be taken until the water level recovers to above the 25-foot decline level or until the Department determines, based on the water user's and/or the Department's data and analysis, that no action is necessary because the aquifer in question can sustain the observed declines without adversely impacting the resource or senior water rights. The water user shall in no instance allow excessive decline, as defined in Commission rules, to occur within the aquifer as a result of use under this right.

The combined quantity of water diverted at the new point of appropriation, together with that diverted at the old point of appropriation, shall not exceed the quantity of water lawfully available at the original point of appropriation as described as follows:

Twp	Rng	Mer	Sec	Q-Q	Measured Distances
15 S	10 E	WM	8	SW NE	ORIGINAL WELL - 390 FEET NORTH AND 1509 FEET WEST FROM E 1/4 CORNER, SECTION 8

Water shall be acquired from the same aquifer as the original point of appropriation.

If substantial interference with a senior water right occurs due to withdrawal of water from any well listed on this right, then use of water from the well(s) shall be discontinued or reduced and/or the schedule of withdrawal shall be regulated until or unless the Department approves or implements an alternative administrative action to mitigate the interference. The Department encourages junior and senior appropriators to jointly develop plans to mitigate interferences.

Use of water under authority of this right may be regulated if analysis of data available after the right is issued discloses that the appropriation will measurably reduce the surface water flows necessary to maintain the free-flowing character of a scenic waterway in quantities necessary for recreation, fish and wildlife in effect as of the priority date of the right or as those quantities may be subsequently reduced.

The well(s) shall be maintained in accordance with the General Standards for the Construction and Maintenance of Water Wells in Oregon. The works shall be equipped with a usable access port, and may also include an air line and pressure gauge adequate to determine the water level elevation in the well at all times.

The Director may require water level or pump test results every ten years.

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.

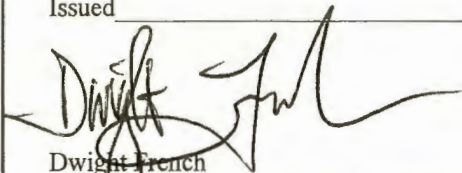
By law, the land use associated with this water use must be in compliance with statewide land-use goals and any local acknowledged land-use plan.

The use of water shall be limited when it interferes with any prior surface or ground water rights.

The right to the use of the water for the above purpose is restricted to beneficial use on the place of use described; however, water may be applied to lands which are not specifically described above, provided the holder of this right complies with ORS 540.510(3).

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Issued _____

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Dwight French
Water Right Services Division Administrator, for
Douglas E. Woodcock, Acting Director
Oregon Water Resources Department