

STATE OF OREGON

COUNTY OF CROOK

CERTIFICATE OF WATER RIGHT

THIS CERTIFICATE ISSUED TO

FRYER CREEK RANCH LLC  
40791 SE SHOTGUN RD  
POST OR 97752

confirms the right to the use of water perfected under the terms of Permit G-17307. 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 well(s). The specific limits and conditions of the use are listed below.

SOURCE OF WATER: THREE WELLS IN CROOKED RIVER BASIN

PURPOSE OR USE: IRRIGATION OF 32.0 ACRES

MAXIMUM RATE: 0.38 CUBIC FOOT PER SECOND

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 THROUGH OCTOBER 31

DATE OF PRIORITY: MARCH 27, 2014

The wells are located as follows:

Twp	Rng	Mer	Sec	Q-Q	GLot	Measured Distances
17 S	19 E	WM	2	NW NE	2	WELL 1 (ADDITIONAL) - 1130 FEET SOUTH AND 2700 FEET EAST FROM NW CORNER, SECTION 2
17 S	19 E	WM	1	NW NW	4	WELL 2 (ADDITIONAL) - 50 FEET SOUTH AND 10 FEET EAST FROM NW CORNER, SECTION 1
17 S	19 E	WM	2	NW NW	4	WELL 3 (ORIGINAL) - 80 FEET SOUTH AND 1120 FEET EAST FROM NW CORNER, SECTION 2

The amount of water used for irrigation under this right, together with the amount secured under any other right existing for the same lands, is limited to a diversion of ONE-EIGHTIETH of one cubic foot per second and 3.0 acre-feet per acre for each acre irrigated during the irrigation season of each year.

A description of the place of use is as follows:

Twp	Rng	Mer	Sec	Q-Q	GLot	Acres
17 S	19 E	WM	2	NW NE	2	17.0
17 S	19 E	WM	2	SW NE		13.0
17 S	19 E	WM	2	NW NW	4	2.0

**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 183.482. Any petition for judicial review must be filed within the 60-day time period specified by ORS 183.482. Pursuant to ORS 183.482, ORS 536.075 and OAR 137-003-0675, 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.



Water use measurement conditions:

- A. The water user shall maintain the totalizing flow meters or other suitable measuring devices as approved by the Director in good working order at each point of appropriation.
- 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.
- C. The Director may require the water user to keep and maintain a record of the volume of water diverted, 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.
- D. The Director may provide an opportunity for the water user to submit alternative reporting procedures for review and approval.

Static Water Level Conditions

The Department requires the water user to obtain, from a qualified individual (see below), and report annual static water levels for each well on the right. The static water level shall be measured in the month of March. Reports shall be submitted to the Department within 30 days of measurement.

The water user shall report annual March static water-level measurements whether or not the well is used. The reference level against which future measurements will be compared is 187.95 feet below ground surface for Well 3 (original well). The Director may require the user to obtain and report additional water levels each year if more data are needed to evaluate the aquifer system.

All measurements shall be made by a certified water rights examiner, registered professional geologist, registered professional engineer, licensed well constructor or pump installer licensed by the Construction Contractors Board. Measurements shall be submitted on forms provided by, or specified by, the Department. Measurements shall be made with equipment that is accurate to at least the standards specified in OAR 690-217-0045. The Department requires the individual performing the measurement to:

- A. Associate each measurement with an owner's well name or number and a Department well log ID; and
- B. Report water levels to at least the nearest tenth of a foot as depth-to-water below ground surface; and
- C. Specify the method of measurement; and
- D. Certify the accuracy of all measurements and calculations reported to the Department.

The water user shall discontinue use of, or reduce the rate or volume of withdrawal from, the well(s) if any of the following events occur:

- A. Annual water-level measurements reveal an average water-level decline of three or more feet per year for five consecutive years; or
- B. Annual water-level measurements reveal a water-level decline of 15 or more feet in fewer than five consecutive years; or
- C. Annual water-level measurements reveal a water-level decline of 25 or more feet; or
- D. Hydraulic interference leads to a decline of 25 or more feet in any neighboring well with senior priority.

The period of restricted use shall continue until the water level rises above the decline level which triggered the action or 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 causing substantial interference with senior water rights. The water user shall not allow excessive decline, as defined in Commission rules, to occur within the aquifer as a result of use under this right. If more than one well is involved, the water user may submit an alternative measurement and reporting plan for review and approval by the Department.

Groundwater production shall be from no shallower than 100 feet below land surface.



The quantity of water diverted at the additional points of appropriation, together with that diverted at the original point of appropriation, shall not exceed the quantity of water available from the original point of appropriation.

Water shall be acquired from the same aquifer (water source) as the original point of appropriation.

The water user shall ensure that the well has been assigned an OWRD Well Identification Number (Well ID tag), which shall be permanently attached to the well. The Well ID shall be used as a reference in any correspondence regarding the well, including any reports of water use, water level, or pump test data.

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.

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.

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 to determine the water-level elevation in the well at all times.

The use may be restricted if the quality of downstream waters decreases to the point that those waters no longer meet existing state or federal water quality standards due to reduced flows.

Where two or more water users agree among themselves as to the manner of rotation in the use of water and such agreement is placed in writing and filed by such water users with the watermaster, and such rotation system does not infringe upon such prior rights of any water user not a party to such rotation plan, the watermaster shall distribute the water according to the agreement.

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

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 right to the use of the water for the above purpose is restricted to beneficial use on place of use described.

This certificate is issued to confirm changes in ADDITIONAL POINTS OF APPROPRIATION and PLACE OF USE approved by an order of the Water Resources Director entered JUNE 21, 2018, at Special Order Volume 108, Page 655, approving Transfer Application T-12841, supersedes Certificate 93545, State Record of Water Right Certificates.

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