

BEFORE THE STATE ENGINEER OF OREGON

Jackson County

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)
OF JAMES F. JOHNSON FOR THE)
APPROVAL OF A CHANGE IN POINT OF)
DIVERSION OF WATER FROM ROGUE)
RIVER)

ORDER APPROVING
TRANSFER NO. 2619

On March 30, 1972, James F. Johnson filed an application in the office of the State Engineer for the approval of a change in point of diversion of water from Rogue River, pursuant to the provisions of ORS 540.510 to 540.530.

Certificate of water right issued to R. E. and J. F. Johnson and recorded at page 10542, Volume 10, State Record of Water Right Certificates, confirms a right to the use of not to exceed 0.37 cubic foot per second of water from Rogue River for the irrigation of, among other lands, 15.5 acres in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 21, and 1.4 acres in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 28, Township 34 South, Range 1 West, W.M., with a date of priority of July 5, 1928. These lands are irrigated through Dennis, Johnson and Hall Ditch at a point of diversion located 1320 feet North and 800 feet West from the SE corner of Section 16, being within the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, of Section 16, Township 34 South, Range 1 West, W.M.

The applicant herein, owner of the lands above described, proposes to divert the water for irrigation through a pump to be located at a point of diversion 475 feet North and 1230 feet West from the SE corner of Section 21, being within the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 21, Township 34 South, Range 1 West, W.M.

Notice of the filing of the application was given by publication setting forth a time and place certain for hearing objections to the proposed change in point of diversion of water, if any there were, namely: at the county courthouse in Medford, Oregon, on June 28, 1972, at 9:30 a.m. The notice was published in the Medford Mail Tribune, a newspaper printed and having general circulation in Jackson County, Oregon, for a period of three weeks in the issues of May 5, 12 and 19,

1972. The date set for hearing in said notice was not less than thirty days after the last publication of the notice.

Mr. David C. Hendrix, Watermaster of District No. 13, has filed a report to the effect that the proposed change in point of diversion may be made without injury to existing rights.

No objections having been filed and it appearing that the proposed change in point of diversion may be made without injury to existing rights, the application should be approved.

NOW, THEREFORE, it hereby is ORDERED that the proposed change in point of diversion of water from Rogue River, to-wit:

From a point located 1320 feet North and 800 feet West from the SE corner of Section 16, being within the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 16, Township 34 South, Range 1 West, W.M.

To a point to be located 475 feet North and 1230 feet West from the SE corner of Section 21, being within the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 21, Township 34 South, Range 1 West, W.M.

for the irrigation of 15.5 acres in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 21, and 1.4 acres in NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 28, Township 34 South, Range 1 West, W.M., with a date of priority of July 5, 1928, is approved.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the construction work shall be completed and the change in point of diversion of water made on or before October 1, 1973.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the quantity of water diverted at the new point of diversion shall not exceed the quantity of water available at the old point of diversion, and shall not exceed 0.21 cubic foot per second.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the following provisions shall be effective when in the judgement of the watermaster it becomes necessary to install headgates and measuring devices.

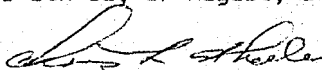
That the diversion works shall include an in-line flow meter, a weir, or other suitable device for measuring

the water to which the applicant is entitled.

That the type and plans of the measuring device be approved by the watermaster before the beginning of construction work and that the weir or measuring device be installed under the general supervision of said watermaster.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that certificate of water right heretofore issued to R. E. and J. F. Johnson and recorded at page 10542, Volume 10, State Record of Water Right Certificates is canceled and in lieu thereof a new certificate be issued covering the balance of the lands not involved in this proceeding and upon receipt of proof satisfactory to the State Engineer of completion of the authorized change in point of diversion, a certificate of water right shall be issued to James F. Johnson confirming the change in point of diversion.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 8th day of August, 1972.



CHRIS L. WHEELER
State Engineer