

BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR OF OREGON

UMATILLA COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)
OF WAYNE H. AND MARLENE L. SCHNELL)
(WEST EXTENSION IRRIGATION DISTRICT))
FOR APPROVAL OF A CHANGE IN PLACE)
OF USE OF WATER)

ORDER APPROVING
TRANSFER 4280

On August 17, 1979, an application was filed in the office of the Water Resources Director by Wayne H. and Marlene L. Schnell for approval of a change in place of use of water from Umatilla River, pursuant to the provisions of ORS 540.510 to 540.530.

The certificate recorded at page 10142, Volume 9, State Record of Water Right Certificates, in the name of United States Reclamation Service, describes a right which includes the use of not to exceed 0.56 cubic foot per second from Umatilla River for irrigation of a certain 7.8 acres in NE 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 26, Township 5 North, Range 26 East, WM, with a date of priority of March 28, 1909.

Water for the said right is diverted, through the West Extension Canal, from a point located 1730 feet North and 200 feet West from the Southwest Corner of Section 17, being within the SW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 28, Township 5 North, Range 28 East, WM.

The applicants herein propose to sever the right therefrom and, without loss of priority, to irrigate in lieu thereof a certain 7.8 acres in SW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 30, Township 5 North, Range 27 East, WM.

Steven P. Applegate, Watermaster, has filed a statement to the effect that the proposed change in place of use may be made without injury to existing rights.

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

NOW, THEREFORE, it hereby is ORDERED that the requested change in place of use, as described herein, without loss of priority, is approved.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that said water so transferred shall be applied to beneficial use on or before October 1, 1982.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that upon receipt of proof satisfactory to the Water Resources Director of complete application of water to beneficial use on the lands to which the water is transferred hereby, a certificate of water right will be issued to the West Extension Irrigation District confirming this and prior changes within the District.

Dated at Salem, Oregon this 29th day of December, 1980.

JAMES E. SEXSON
Director



By CHRIS L. WHEELER
Deputy Director