BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of the Proposed Water)	FINAL ORDER APPROVING WATER
Management and Conservation Plan for)	MANAGEMENT AND
Tumalo Irrigation District, Deschutes)	CONSERVATION PLAN
County, Oregon) .	

Authority

OAR Chapter 690, Division 086, establishes the process and criteria for approving water management and conservation plans required under the conditions of permits, permit extensions and other orders of the Department.

Background

Tumalo Irrigation District had a water management and conservation plan which was approved on May 22, 2000.

Findings of Fact

- 1. The Tumalo Irrigation District submitted a Water Management and Conservation Plan Update to the Department on November 23, 2005.
- 2. Public notice was published as required under OAR Chapter 690, Division 086. No comments were received
- 3. The Department reviewed the draft plan and supplied comments to the District on March 22, 2006. The District supplied an addendum to the plan in response to the Department Comments. The Department finds that the plan and the addendum are generally consistent with the relevant requirements under OAR Chapter 690, Division 086 (2002).

Conclusion of Law

The water management and conservation plan submitted by the Tumalo Irrigation District is consistent with the criteria in OAR Chapter 690, Division 086.

This is a final order in other than 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.

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Now, therefore, it is ORDERED:

- 1. The Tumalo Irrigation District Water Management and Conservation Plan is approved and shall remain in effect until May 17, 2016 (completion date for updated plan), unless this approval is rescinded pursuant to OAR 690-086-0920.
- 2. The Tumalo Irrigation District shall submit an updated plan meeting the requirements of OAR Chapter 690, Division 86 (effective November 1, 2002) within ten years and no later than May 1, 2016.

Dated at Salem, Oregon this f day of August, 2006

Phillip C. Ward, Director

Mailing date: ___ AUG 1 4 2006