BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR OF OREGON

UMATILLA COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)	
PENDLETON COUNTRY CLUB, INC.)	ORDER APPROVING
FOR APPROVAL OF AN ADDITIONAL)	TRANSFER 5796
POINT OF APPROPRIATION OF WATER)	

On May 12, 1986, an application was filed in the office of the Water Resources Director by Pendleton Country Club, Inc. for approval of an additional point of appropriation of water from ground water, pursuant to the provisions of ORS 537.705.

The certificate recorded at page 30216, Volume 22, State Record of Water Right Certificates, in the name of Pendleton Country Club, Inc., describes a right which includes the use of not to exceed 0.02 cubic foot per second from ground water for clubhouse use at Pendleton Country Club in SW 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 15, Township 1 North, Range 32 East, WM, with a date of priority of March 23, 1956.

The authorized point of appropriation is located 2380 feet North and 2570 feet East from the Southwest Corner of Section 15, being within the NE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 15, Township 1 North, Range 32 East, WM.

The applicant herein, owner of the lands above described, proposes to construct an additional point of appropriation at a well located 2350 feet North and 2413 feet West from the Southeast Corner of Section 15, being within the NW 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 15, Township 1 North, Range 32 East, WM. The applicant further has submitted an affidavit authorizing cancellation of a portion of the right described by said Cerificate 30216, for the irrigation of:

9.0 acres SW 1/4 NE 1/4
7.0 acres SE 1/4 NW 1/4
5.0 acres NE 1/4 SW 1/4
4.0 acres SE 1/4 SW 1/4
22.4 acres NW 1/4 SE 1/4
5.4 acres SW 1/4 SE 1/4
Section 15
Township 1 North, Range 32 East, WM.

Michael F. Ladd, Watermaster, has filed a statement to the effect that the proposed additional point of appropriation may be made without injury to existing rights.

Michael J. Zwart, Hydrogeologist, has filed a statement to the effect that the proposed additional point of appropriation may be made without injury to existing rights.

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

NOW, THEREFORE, it hereby is ORDERED that the proposed additional point of appropriation is approved, without loss of priority, and the portion of the right tabulated above for irrigation is cancelled.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the quantity of water appropriated at the new well, together with that appropriated at the old well, shall not exceed the quantity of water available at the old well under the subject right, and shall not exceed 0.02 cubic foot per second.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the following provisions shall be carried out prior to using water from the new well as herein confirmed:

That the pump system shall include an in-line flow meter 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 measuring device be installed under the general supervision of said Watermaster.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the construction work shall be completed and the change in point of appropriation of water made on or before October 1, 1987.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the certificate recorded at page 30216, Volume 22, State Record of Water Right Certificates, is canceled; and in lieu thereof a new certificate be issued covering the balance of the right NOT involved in this proceeding; and upon proof satisfactory to the Water Resources Director of completion of works and beneficial use of water to the extent intended under the provisions of this order, a confirming certificate of water right shall be issued to the applicant herein.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 27th day of August, 1986.

WILLIAM H. YOUNG

NOTE:

Approval of a water right transfer application does not confirm the status of the right in regard to the provisions of ORS 540.610 pertaining to forfeiture or abandonment.

A party may file objections and exceptions to the Proposed Order with the Water Resources Commission. Such objections and exceptions must be filed within 45 days from the date of service (date of mailing) of the Proposed Order on the party. The Commission will provide opportunity for oral argument in support of written objections and exceptions. If no objections and exceptions are filed within the time allowed, the Proposed Order will automatically become the Final Order of the Commission.

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