

BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR OF OREGON

Marion County

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)
OF GEROME GEHRING FOR APPROVAL OF)
A CHANGE IN PLACE OF USE OF WATER)
FROM DRIFT CREEK - - - - -)

ORDER APPROVING
TRANSFER NO. 3975

On June 19, 1978, an application was filed in the office of the Water Resources Director by Gerome Gehring for approval of a change in place of use of water from Drift Creek, pursuant to the provisions of ORS 540.510 to 540.530.

As modified in accord with the provisions of the orders of the State Engineer, entered April 23, 1969 and May 31, 1973, approving transfer applications numbered G-83 and 2787, a part of the right previously described by the certificate recorded at page 35284, Volume 27, State Record of Water Right Certificates, now exists for the use of not to exceed 0.056 cubic foot of water per second from Drift Creek for the irrigation of 4.5 acres in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 16, Township 7 South, Range 1 West, W. M., with a date of priority of March 28, 1949.

Water for the said right is diverted from a point located 950 feet North and 520 feet East from the N $\frac{1}{4}$ Corner of Section 16, being within the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 9, Township 7 South, Range 1 West, W. M.

The applicant herein proposes to change the place of use therefrom and, without loss of priority, to irrigate in lieu thereof a certain 4.5 acres in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 9, Township 7 South, Range 1 West, W. M.

Mr. Clifton R. King, 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, 1980.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that no certificate be issued confirming the change as provided by the order entered May 31, 1973 approving transfer application No. 2787, 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 23rd day of October, 1978.


James E. Sexson
Director