

BEFORE THE STATE ENGINEER OF OREGON

IN THE MATTER OF FIXING THE
BOUNDARIES OF WATER DISTRICTS
IN OREGON.

ORDER

It appearing that a more efficient regulation of the use of the waters of Oregon can be effected by establishing a water master's district in those portions of Marion and Linn Counties within the water sheds of North Santiam River, a tributary of Santiam River, and Mill Creek, a tributary of Willamette River, and an unnamed stream in Sections 5 and 6, Township 9 South, Range 3 West, W. M., a tributary of Willamette River,

It is ORDERED that the Order of the State Engineer dated May 21, 1943, be and the same is hereby amended by eliminating from District No. 24 those parts of Marion and Linn Counties within the water sheds of North Santiam River and Mill Creek and the aforesaid unnamed stream within Sections 5 and 6, Township 9 South, Range 3 West, W. M., and creating an additional district including the drainage areas of said North Santiam River, Mill Creek and unnamed stream in Sections 5 and 6, Township 9 South, Range 3 West, W. M. to be known as District No. 25.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that all water districts in Oregon shall be defined as follows:

District No. 1 Shall consist of Malheur County (excepting that part within the drainage basin of the South Fork of Malheur River and that part within the drainage basin of Willow Creek, tributary of Malheur River); also all that part of Grant and Baker Counties situated within the drainage basin of Malheur River and its tributaries; also all that part of Harney County situated within the drainage basin of the North Fork of Malheur River or its tributaries, and the Middle Fork of the Malheur River from the upper flow line of the Warnsprings Reservoir.

District No. 1A Shall consist of that part of Malheur County within the drainage basin of Willow Creek, tributary of Malheur River,

- District No. 2 Shall consist of Baker County (excepting that part within the Malheur River drainage basin, and that part irrigated with water from North Powder River).
- District No. 3 Shall consist of that part of Union County within the drainage basin of the Grande Ronde River and its tributaries.
- District No. 4 Shall consist of Wallowa County, and that part of Union County situated within the drainage basin of Minam River and its tributaries.
- District No. 5 Shall consist of Umatilla County and that part of Morrow County within the drainage basin of Butter Creek except the drainage basin of South Fork or Little Butter Creek.
- District No. 6 Shall consist of Grant County (excepting that part within the drainage basin of Silvies River and tributaries and Malheur River and tributaries, and that part within the drainage basin of Crooked River and its tributaries).
- District No. 7 Shall consist of Harney County (excepting that part situated within the drainage basin of the North Fork of the Malheur River and that part of the drainage basin of the Middle Fork of Malheur River below and including the Warm Springs Reservoir and that part within the drainage basin of the John Day River and its tributaries). It shall also include that part of Grant County within the Silvies River drainage basin, and that part of Malheur County situated within the drainage basin of the South Fork of Malheur River, and that part of Lake County within the drainage basin of Rock Creek and tributaries.
- District No. 8 Shall consist of Wheeler County and that part of Jefferson County within the drainage basin of Cherry and Muddy Creeks.
- District No. 9 Shall consist of that part of Morrow County and that part of Gilliam County within the drainage basins of Willow Creek, tributary of Columbia River and Rock Creek, tributary of John Day River, and that part of Morrow County within the drainage basin of South Fork or Little Butter Creek.
- District No. 10 Shall consist of Jefferson County (excepting that part in the drainage basin of the John Day River and its tributaries, and Metolius River and Squaw Creek, tributaries of Deschutes River; also excepting any parts supplied with water from the canals of the Central Oregon Irrigation Project, or the system operated by the Crook County Improvement District No. 1), and that part of Crook County within the drainage basin of Hay Creek and Willow Creek, tributaries of Deschutes River, and that part of Wasco County within the drainage basin of Antelope Creek, tributary of Trout Creek.

District No. 11 Shall consist of Crook County (excepting that part supplied with water from the system operated by the Central Oregon Irrigation District or Crook County Improvement District No. 1, and that part within the drainage basins of Kay Creek and Willow Creek, tributaries of Deschutes River). The district shall also include that part of Grant County in the drainage basin of Crooked River and its tributaries.

District No. 12 Shall consist of Deschutes County; also that part of Jefferson County situated within the drainage basin of Metolius River and Squaw Creek; also that part of Crook County and Jefferson County supplied with water from the irrigation system operated by the Central Oregon Irrigation District and the Crook County Improvement District No. 1. The district shall also include that part of Klamath County within the drainage basin of the Deschutes River.

District No. 14 Shall consist of that part of Union and Baker Counties within the drainage basin of North Powder River and its tributaries, and that part of Union County within the drainage basins of Jimmy Creek, Clover Creek, and Wolf Creek and their tributaries.

District No. 15 Shall consist of Jackson County (excepting that part within the drainage basins of Grave Creek and Jump-Off Joe Creek; tributaries of Rogue River, and of Slagle Creek and Caris Creek, tributaries of Applegate River) and that part of Josephine County within the drainage basins of Carberry Creek and Thompson Creek, tributaries of Applegate River, and within the drainage basin of Savage Creek, tributary of Rogue River, and that part of Applegate River proper lying within Josephine County down to and including the headworks of the Laurel Hill Ditch.

District No. 16 Shall consist of Josephine County (excepting that part within the drainage basins of Carberry Creek and its tributaries, and Thompson Creek, tributaries of Applegate River, and that part within the watershed of Savage Creek, tributary of Rogue River, and that portion of the Applegate River proper lying within Josephine County down to and including the headworks of the Laurel Hill Ditch) and that part of Jackson County lying within the drainage basins of Grave Creek and Jump-Off Joe Creek, tributaries of Rogue River, and of Slagle Creek and Caris Creek, tributaries of Applegate River, and that part of Douglas County within the drainage basin of Cow Creek and its tributaries, a tributary of South Umpqua River.

District No. 17 Shall consist of that part of Washington County within the drainage basin of an unnamed stream, tributary of Tualatin River, emptying into said Tualatin River in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 25, T. 1 S., R. 4 W., W. M., and embracing portions of Secs. 19, 29, 30, 31, 32, T. 1 S., R. 3 W., W. M., and a portion of Sec. 25, T. 1 S., R. 4 W., W. M.

District No. 18 Shall consist of Lake County (excepting that part situated in the drainage basin of Sprague River and that part within the drainage basin of Rock Creek and tributaries).

District No. 19 Shall consist of Klamath County (excepting that part within the drainage basin of the Deschutes River); also all that part of Lake County within the drainage basin of Sprague River.

District No. 22 Shall consist of Hood River County.

District No. 23 Shall consist of Wasco County (excepting that part within the drainage basin of the John Day River and its tributaries, and that part within the drainage basin of Antelope Creek, tributary of Trout Creek).

District No. 24 Shall consist of Benton, Clackamas, Clatsop, Columbia, Coos, Curry, Lane, Lincoln, Linn (excepting that part within the drainage basin of North Santiam River), Marion County (excepting that part within the drainage basins of North Santiam River, Mill Creek and unnamed stream in Sections 5 and 6, Township 9 South, Range 3 West, W. M.), Multnomah, Polk, Sherman, Tillamook, and Yamhill Counties, all of Gilliam County (excepting that part within the drainage basin of Willow Creek, tributary of Columbia River, and Rock Creek and tributaries, tributary of John Day River), all of Douglas County (excepting that part within the drainage basin of Cow Creek and its tributaries), that part of Wasco County within the drainage basin of John Day River and its tributaries, and all of Washington County (excepting that part within the drainage basin of an unnamed stream tributary of Tualatin River, emptying into said Tualatin River in the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 25, T. 1 S., R. 4 W., W. M., and embracing within its drainage area portions of Secs. 19, 29, 30, 31, 32, T. 1 S., R. 3 W., W. M., and a portion of Sec. 25, T. 1 S., R. 4 W., W. M.).

District No. 25 Shall consist of those parts of Linn and Marion Counties within the drainage basins of North Santiam River, Mill Creek and an unnamed stream in Sections 5 and 6, Township 9 South, Range 3 West, W. M.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 3rd day of July, 1943.


CHAS. E. STRICKLIN

State Engineer