

BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR OF OREGON

UMATILLA COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF )  
MERVIN LEONARD FOR APPROVAL OF A )  
CHANGE IN PLACE OF USE OF WATER )

ORDER APPROVING  
TRANSFER 5702

On September 11, 1985, an application was filed in the office of the Water Resources Director by Mervin Leonard for approval of a change in place of use of water from Columbia River, pursuant to the provisions of ORS 540.510 to 540.530.

Pursuant to the provisions of ORS 537.250, proof has been made to the satisfaction of the Water Resources Director that a right has been perfected under the terms of Permit 42856 in the name of L & L Farm for the use of not to exceed 1.50 cubic feet per second from Columbia River, for irrigation of 11.7 acres NE 1/4 NE 1/4, 1.7 acres NW 1/4 NE 1/4, 0.2 acre SW 1/4 NE 1/4, 13.5 acres SE 1/4 NE 1/4, 25.6 acres NE 1/4 SE 1/4 and 15.5 acres SE 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 29, Township 5 North, Range 28 East, WM, with a date of priority of January 11, 1978.

Water for the said right is diverted from a point located 1850 feet North and 150 feet East from the Southwest Corner of Section 17, being within the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 17, Township 5 North, Range 28 East, WM.

The applicant herein, owner of the lands above described, proposes to transfer the right therefrom to a certain 24.0 acres NE 1/4 NE 1/4 and 8.4 acres NE 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 32; 1.8 acres NE 1/4 NW 1/4 and 34.0 acres NW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 33, Township 5 North, Range 28 East, WM.

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

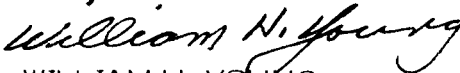
No objections having been filed and it appearing that the proposed change in place of use may be made without injury to existing rights, the application should be approved.

NOW, THEREFORE, it hereby is ORDERED that the proposed change in place of use is approved, without loss of priority.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that said water so transferred shall be applied to beneficial use on or before October 1, 1987.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that 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 5<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1985.

  
WILLIAM H. YOUNG  
Director

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.