

BEFORE THE STATE ENGINEER OF OREGON

Deschutes County

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
RICHARD THOMSON, (TUMALO IRRIGATION
DISTRICT) FOR THE APPROVAL OF A CHANGE
IN PLACE OF USE OF WATER FROM TUMALO
CREEK, DESCHUTES RIVER, CRATER CREEK,
LITTLE CRATER CREEK, AND THREE SPRINGS
AND CRESCENT LAKE RESERVOIR

ORDER APPROVING
TRANSFER NO. 2926

On November 20, 1973, Richard Thomson filed an application in the office of the State Engineer for the approval of a change in place of use of water from Tumalo Creek, Deschutes River, Crater Creek, Little Crater Creek and Three Springs and Crescent Lake Reservoir, pursuant to the provisions of ORS 540.510 to 540.530.

By Decree of the Circuit Court for Crook County, Oregon, entered May 1, 1911, In the Matter of the Determination of the Relative Rights to the use of the Waters of Tumalo Creek, a tributary of the Deschutes River, a water right was established in the name of Tumalo Irrigation District for the irrigation of, among other lands, 7.8 acres in NW¹/₄ SW¹/₄, Section 34, Township 16 South, Range 11 East, W.M., with a date of priority of August 5, 1900, as evidenced by certificate recorded at page 31410, Volume 23, State Record of Water Right Certificates.

These lands also have supplemental rights evidenced by certificate recorded at page 31412, Volume 23, State Record of Water Right Certificates, to the use of water from Deschutes River, with a date of priority of 1905; certificate recorded at page 26050, Volume 18, State Record of Water Right Certificates, to the use of water from Tumalo Creek, Crater Creek, Little Crater Creek and Three Springs, with a date of priority of October 29, 1913; certificate recorded at page 26051, Volume 18, State Record of Water Right Certificates, to the use of the waters of Crescent Lake Reservoir, with a date of priority of April 7, 1911; and permit No. 27841 for the use of waters

of Crescent Lake Reservoir, with a date of priority of December 8, 1961.

The applicant herein, owner of the lands above described, proposes to transfer the water rights therefrom, without loss of priority, to 4.8 acres in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 34, 1.0 acre in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 36, Township 16 South, Range 11 East, W.M., and 2.0 acres in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 30, Township 16 South, Range 12 East, W.M.

Notice by publication as provided by ORS 540.520 was not given in connection with this application for the reason that said section provides notice is not required on an application for a change in place of use of water.

The lands involved herein are within the boundaries of the Tumalo Irrigation District and the Board of Directors of said District approved the proposed change in place of use of water at a regular meeting held September 5, 1972.

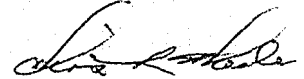
No objections having been filed and it appearing that the proposed change in place of use of water may be made without injury to existing rights, the application should be approved.

NOW, THEREFORE, it hereby is ORDERED that the proposed change in place of use of water is approved and the water right hereinbefore described as appurtenant to 7.8 acres in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 34, Township 16 South, Range 11 East, W.M., as evidenced by certificate recorded at page 31410, with a priority date of August 5, 1900, together with the supplemental rights evidenced by certificates recorded at pages 26050, 26051, and 31412, be severed therefrom and simultaneously and without loss of priority transferred to 4.8 acres in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 34, 1.0 acre in SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 36, Township 16 South, Range 11 East, W.M., and 2.0 acres in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 30, Township 16 South, Range 12 East, W.M.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that said water so transferred shall be applied to beneficial use on or before October 1, 1975.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that upon receipt of proof satisfactory to the State Engineer of complete application of water to beneficial use on the lands to which the water is transferred hereby, certificate of water right shall be issued to Tumalo Irrigation District confirming this and prior changes within the District.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 28th day of May, 1974.



CHRIS L. WHEELER
State Engineer