

BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR OF OREGON

UMATILLA COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF )  
WAYNE HOCKETT FOR APPROVAL OF A )  
CHANGE IN POINT OF APPROPRIATION )  
OF WATER )  
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ORDER APPROVING  
TRANSFER 5503

On July 13, 1984, an application was filed in the office of the Water Resources Director by Wayne Hockett for approval of a change in point of appropriation of water from ground water, pursuant to the provisions of ORS 537.705.

The certificate recorded at page 46239, Volume 38, State Record of Water Right Certificates, in the name of Vernon E. Brumbach, describes a right which includes the use of not to exceed 0.04 cubic foot per second from ground water for irrigation of 3.2 acres in NW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 30, Township 6 North, Range 36 East, WM, with a date of priority of November 6, 1961.

The authorized point of appropriation is located 610 feet South and 1100 feet West from the East Quarter Corner, Section 25, being within the NE 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 25, Township 6 North, Range 35 East, WM.

The applicant herein, owner of the lands above described, proposes to change the point of appropriation therefrom to a well located 2270 feet North and 203 feet East from the Southwest Corner of Section 30, being within the NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 30, Township 6 North, Range 36 East, WM.

Larry H. Nunn, Watermaster, has filed a statement to the effect that the proposed change in point of appropriation may be made without injury to existing rights.

William L. Robertson, Hydrogeologist, has filed a statement to the effect that the proposed change in point of appropriation may be made without injury to existing rights.

No objections having been filed and it appearing that the proposed change in 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 change in point of appropriation is approved, without loss of priority.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the quantity of water appropriated at the new well shall not exceed the quantity of water available at the old well under the subject right, and shall not exceed 0.04 cubic foot per second.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the following provisions shall be effective when in the judgment of the Watermaster it becomes necessary to install measuring devices:

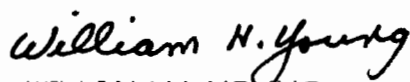
That the pump system shall include an in line flow meter or other suitable device for measuring the water to which the applicant is entitled;

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, 1986.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the certificate recorded at page 46239, Volume 38, 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 8th day of October, 1984.

  
WILLIAM H. YOUNG,  
Director

NOTE: The 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.

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