

**BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT  
OF THE  
STATE OF OREGON**

In the Matter of a Request for an ) FINAL ORDER APPROVING AN EXTENSION  
Extension of Time for Finalization of ) OF TIME  
Allocation of Conserved Water Application )  
CW-116, Deschutes County, Oregon )

**Applicant**

Tumalo Irrigation District  
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**Agent**

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**Authority**

Oregon Administrative Rules (OAR) 690-018-0050(4) establishes the criteria for an allocation of conserved water application.

OAR 690-018-0050(4)(i) specifies the Department shall determine the periods to be allowed for the applicants to file a notice of completion of the conservation measures and to request the allocation be finalized. The time allowed between filing the notice of completion of the conservation measures and requesting the allocation be finalized shall not exceed five years.

**Findings of Fact**

1. On May 26, 2023, the agent for Tumalo Irrigation District, filed a request for an extension of time to finalize the conservation project described in Allocation of Conserved Water Application CW-116.
2. On October 24, 2022, the Department issued Special Order Volume 125, Pages 950-976, approving Allocation of Conserved Water Application CW-116. The Order required the Applicant to submit a Notice of Completion by January 1, 2023, and Request for Finalization by June 1, 2023.

This is an order in other than a contested case. This order is subject to judicial review under ORS 183.484. Any petition for judicial review must be filed within the 60-day time period specified by ORS 183.484(2). Pursuant to ORS 536.075 and OAR 137-004-0080, you may petition for judicial review or petition the Director for reconsideration of this order. A petition for reconsideration may be granted or denied by the Director, and if no action is taken within 60 days following the date the petition was filed, the petition shall be deemed denied.

3. On March 1, 2023, the Department issued Special Order Volume 127, Pages 931-943, approving Completion of Conserved Water Application CW-116. The Order required the Applicant to submit a Request for Finalization by June 1, 2023.
4. The Applicant has requested that the time for finalization of the project approved by Allocation of Conserved Water Application CW-116 be extended until September 1, 2023.

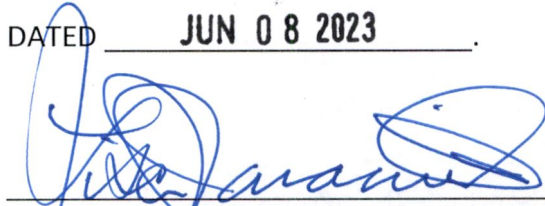
**Conclusions of Law**

The Department has determined that the Applicant has shown reasonable diligence to finalize the conservation project within the time period established by the Order Approving Allocation of Conserved Water CW-116.

**Now, therefore, it is ORDERED:**

The deadline for submitting the Request for Finalization shall be extended to September 1, 2023.

DATED     **JUN 08 2023**    .



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Lisa J. Jaramillo, Transfer and Conservation Section Manager, for  
DOUGLAS E. WOODCOCK, ACTING DIRECTOR  
Oregon Department of Water Resources

Mailing date:     **JUN 09 2023**