

BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR OF OREGON

BAKER COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)
POWDER VALLEY WATER CONTROL DISTRICT) ORDER APPROVING
FOR APPROVAL OF AN ADDITIONAL POINT) TRANSFER 6234
OF DIVERSION OF WATER)

The Powder Valley Water Control District filed an application with the Water Resources Director for approval of an additional point of diversion of water from Kilmerque Creek, Rock Creek, Big and Little Muddy Creeks, as provided by ORS 540.510 to 540.530.

By Decree of the Circuit Court for Baker County, Oregon, entered March 18, 1918, In the Matter of the Determination of the Relative Rights to the Use of the Waters of the Powder River and its tributaries, a water right was allowed in the name of J.O. Maxwell (now Frank Loennig) for the use of Water from Kilmerque Creek, Rock Creek, Big and Little Muddy Creeks for irrigation of a certain 40 acres SE 1/4 NE 1/4, 40 acres NE 1/4 SE 1/4, 40 acres SW 1/4 SE 1/4, 40 acres NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 23, 40 acres NW 1/4 NW 1/4, 40 acres SW 1/4 NW 1/4, 40 acres NW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 24, Township 7 South, Range 38 East, W.M.; being tabulated in Volume 6, page 291, with date of priority of 1883, as evidenced by certificate 57911. These lands are irrigated by means of the Ruby-Ingram-Ford Ditch.

The applicant proposes to retain the present point of diversion and add a diversion located 3040 feet South and 3102 feet West from the northeast corner of Section 34, being within the NE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 34, Township 7 South, Range 38 East, W.M.

No objections having been filed, and it appearing that the proposed additional point of diversion may be made without injury to existing rights, the proposed change should be approved.

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby ORDERED that the proposed additional point of diversion is approved, without loss of priority.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the quantity of water diverted at the new point of diversion, together with that diverted at the Ruby-Ingram-Ford Ditch, shall not exceed the quantity of water available at the Ruby-Ingram-Ford Ditch under the subject right.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the following provisions shall be carried out prior to the diverting of water at the new point of diversion as herein confirmed:

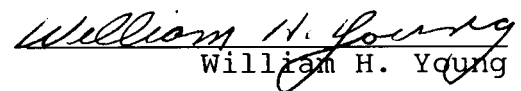
The diversion works shall include a headgate, an in-line flow meter, a weir, or other suitable device for measuring the water to which the applicant is entitled;

The type and plans of the headgate and measuring device must be approved by the Watermaster before the beginning of construction work and that the weir or measuring device be installed under the general supervision of said Watermaster.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that water shall be used from the new diversion point on or before October 1, 1991.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that certificate 57911 is canceled. 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.

WITNESS the signature of the Water Resources Director, affixed December 29, 1989.


William H. Young

Recorded in Special Order Records at Volume 43, page 508.

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