## BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR OF OREGON

## POLK COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION	( )	
OF KENNETH GARDNER FOR APPROVAL	)	ORDER APPROVING
OF CHANGES IN PLACE OF USE AND	)	TRANSFER NO. 3576
POINT OF DIVERSION OF WATER	)	
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On March 10, 1977, an application was filed in the office of the Water Resources Director by Kenneth Gardner for approval of changes in place of use and point of diversion from Little Luckiamute River, pursuant to the provisions of ORS 540.510 to 540.530.

The certificate recorded at page 39287, Volume 31, State Record of Water Right Certificates, in the name of Kenneth Gardner, describes a right which includes the use of not to exceed 0.28 cubic foot per second from Little Luckiamute River for irrigation of a certain 8.6 acres in  $NE_4^1$   $NW_4^1$ , 0.3 acre in  $NW_4^1$   $NW_4^1$ , 1.3 acres in  $SW_4^1$   $NW_4^1$ , and 15.8 acres in  $SE_4^1$   $NW_4^1$  of Section 36, Township 8 South, Range 6 West, W.M., with a date of priority of March 10, 1966.

Water for the said right is diverted from a point located 430 feet North and 2560 feet East from the Southwest Corner of Section 25, being within the SE¼ SW¼ of Section 25, Township 8 South, Range 6 West, W.M.

The applicant herein, owner of the lands above described, proposes to change the place of use and point of diversion therefrom, without loss of priority, and to irrigate in lieu thereof a certain 7.5 acres in NE4 SW4, 11.0 acres in NW4 SW4, 3.8 acres in SW4 SW4 and 3.7 acres in SE4 SW4 of Section 26, Township 8 South, Range 6 West, W.M., from a point of diversion located 1780 feet North and 3430 feet East from the Southwest Corner of Section 26, being within the NW4 SE4 of Section 26, Township 8 South, Range 6 West, W.M.

Notice of the application, pursuant to ORS 540.510, was published in the Polk County Itemizer-Observer, a newspaper printed and having general circulation in Polk County, Oregon, for a period of three weeks in the issues of May 25; June 1 and 8, 1977.

Mr. Benjamin E. Monroe, Watermaster, has filed a statement to the effect that the proposed changes in place of use and point of diversion may be made without injury to existing rights.

No objections having been filed and it appearing that the proposed changes

may be made without injury to existing rights, the application should be approved.

NOW, THEREFORE, it hereby is ORDERED that the requested changes in place of use and point of diversion as described herein, without loss of priority, are approved.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the quantity of water diverted at the new point of diversion shall not exceed the quantity of water available at the old point of diversion under the subject right, and shall not exceed 0.28 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 headgates and measuring devices:

That the diversion works shall include an in line flow meter, a weir, 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 weir or 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 diversion of water made and said water so transferred shall be applied to beneficial use on or before October 1, 1979.

The order approving transfer No. 3576 provided for the cancellation of said certificate recorded at page 39287 and issuance of a new certificate covering the balance of the right NOT involved in the transfer proceedings; therefore,

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 28th day of April, 1978.

James E. Sexson

Director

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