

BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR OF OREGON

DESCHUTES COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION )  
OF ROY M. RUNCO FOR APPROVAL OF )  
A CHANGE IN PLACE OF USE OF )  
WATER )

ORDER APPROVING  
TRANSFER 4784

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On June 1, 1981, an application was filed in the office of the Water Resources Director by Roy M. Runco for approval of a change in place of use of water from Squaw Creek, 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 Squaw Creek and Its Tributaries, a water right was established in the name of Samuel Wiehl, tabulated in Volume 1, page 128, Order Record of the Water Resources Director, for use of the waters of Squaw Creek for irrigation of, among other lands, a certain 36.0 acres in NW 1/4 SW 1/4 and 2.5 acres in SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 28, Township 15 South, Range 10 East, WM, with a date of priority of 1900, as evidenced by the certificate recorded at page 310, Volume 1, State Record of Water Right Certificates.

Water for the said right is diverted, through the Plainview-Wiehl Ditch, from a point located 710 feet North and 2,640 feet West from the Southwest Corner of Section 28, being within the SW 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 29, Township 15 South, Range 10 East, WM.

The applicant herein, owner of the lands above described, proposes to sever the right therefrom and, without loss of priority, to irrigate in lieu thereof a certain 38.5 acres in SW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 28, Township 15 South, Range 10 East, WM.

Robert F. Main, Jr., Watermaster, has filed a statement to the effect that the proposed change in place of use may be made without injury to existing rights.

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

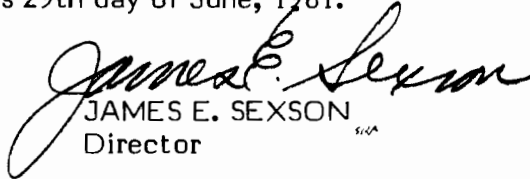
NOW, THEREFORE, it hereby is ORDERED that the requested change in place of use, as described herein, without loss of priority, is approved.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the quantity of water diverted at the point of diversion shall not exceed 0.77 cubic foot per second.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that said water so transferred shall be applied to beneficial use on or before October 1, 1982.

It is FURTHER ORDERED that the certificate recorded at page 310, Volume 1, 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 29th day of June, 1981.

  
JAMES E. SEXSON  
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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