

**STATE OF OREGON**

**COUNTY OF UNION**

**ORDER APPROVING A CHANGE IN POINT OF DIVERSION**

Pursuant to ORS 540.510 to 540.530, after notice was given and no objections were filed, and finding that no injury to existing water rights would result, this order approves, as conditioned or limited herein, a portion of TRANSFER 7152 submitted by

GRANDE RONDE VALLEY IMPROVEMENT DITCH COMPANY  
205 MAIN STREET  
LA GRANDE, OREGON 97850.

The right to be modified, as evidenced by a portion of Certificate 3323, was perfected under Permit 902 with a date of priority of JULY 25, 1911. The right allows the use of GRANDE RONDE RIVER, a tributary of COLUMBIA RIVER, for IRRIGATION of 1311.5 ACRES. The amount of water to which this right is entitled is limited to an amount actually beneficially use and shall not exceed 16.39 cubic feet per second, if available at the authorized point of diversion: SW $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 32, T 2 S, R 38 E, WM, or its equivalent in case of rotation, measured at the point of diversion from the source.

The amount of water used for irrigation, together with the amount secured under any other right existing for the same lands, is limited to a diversion of ONE-EIGHTIETH of one cubic foot per second (or its equivalent) irrigated during the irrigation season of each year.

The use shall conform to any reasonable rotation system ordered by the proper state officer.

The authorized place of use is located as follows:

NE $\frac{1}{4}$	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	40.0 ACRES	NE $\frac{1}{4}$	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	39.1 ACRES
NW $\frac{1}{4}$	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	39.1 ACRES	NW $\frac{1}{4}$	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	40.0 ACRES
SW $\frac{1}{4}$	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	38.2 ACRES	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	40.0 ACRES
SE $\frac{1}{4}$	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	39.1 ACRES	SE $\frac{1}{4}$	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	39.1 ACRES
NW $\frac{1}{4}$	SE $\frac{1}{4}$	20.0 ACRES			SECTION 17
SW $\frac{1}{4}$	SE $\frac{1}{4}$	19.6 ACRES			
		SECTION 13	NE $\frac{1}{4}$	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	39.1 ACRES
			NW $\frac{1}{4}$	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	40.0 ACRES
SW $\frac{1}{4}$	NE $\frac{1}{4}$	12.0 ACRES	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	39.1 ACRES
NE $\frac{1}{4}$	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	5.9 ACRES	SE $\frac{1}{4}$	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	38.2 ACRES
SW $\frac{1}{4}$	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	39.1 ACRES	NE $\frac{1}{4}$	SE $\frac{1}{4}$	40.0 ACRES
SE $\frac{1}{4}$	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	39.1 ACRES	NW $\frac{1}{4}$	SE $\frac{1}{4}$	39.1 ACRES
NE $\frac{1}{4}$	SE $\frac{1}{4}$	39.1 ACRES	SW $\frac{1}{4}$	SE $\frac{1}{4}$	39.1 ACRES
NW $\frac{1}{4}$	SE $\frac{1}{4}$	40.0 ACRES	SE $\frac{1}{4}$	SE $\frac{1}{4}$	40.0 ACRES
SW $\frac{1}{4}$	SE $\frac{1}{4}$	39.1 ACRES			SECTION 18
SE $\frac{1}{4}$	SE $\frac{1}{4}$	38.2 ACRES	NE $\frac{1}{4}$	NW $\frac{1}{4}$	38.2 ACRES
		SECTION 14	NW $\frac{1}{4}$	NW $\frac{1}{4}$	39.1 ACRES
NE $\frac{1}{4}$	NE $\frac{1}{4}$	20.0 ACRES			SECTION 19
SE $\frac{1}{4}$	NE $\frac{1}{4}$	20.0 ACRES	NE $\frac{1}{4}$	NE $\frac{1}{4}$	39.1 ACRES
		SECTION 15	SE $\frac{1}{4}$	NE $\frac{1}{4}$	40.0 ACRES
NE $\frac{1}{4}$	NE $\frac{1}{4}$	39.1 ACRES			SECTION 30
NW $\frac{1}{4}$	NE $\frac{1}{4}$	39.1 ACRES			TOWNSHIP 3 SOUTH,
SW $\frac{1}{4}$	NE $\frac{1}{4}$	38.2 ACRES			RANGE 39 EAST, W.M.
SE $\frac{1}{4}$	NE $\frac{1}{4}$	40.0 ACRES			
NE $\frac{1}{4}$	NW $\frac{1}{4}$	37.4 ACRES			
		SECTION 24			
		TOWNSHIP 3 SOUTH,			
		RANGE 38 EAST, W.M.			

The right to use the water for the above purpose is restricted to beneficial use on the lands or place of use described and is subject to all other conditions and limitations contained in the certificate.

The applicant proposes to change the point of diversion to:

SW $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , SECTION 32, T 2 S, R 38 E, WM; 640 FEET NORTH AND 190 FEET EAST FROM THE S $\frac{1}{4}$  CORNER, SECTION 32.

An affidavit was received from Union County Board of Commissioners, the owner of certain land and the water right appurtenant to it. This water right has been abandoned and is requested to be canceled.

The abandoned water right is a portion of the right described by Certificate 3323, State Record of Water Right Certificates. The abandoned water right is for the use of 2.46 cubic foot per second from Grande Ronde River, a tributary of Columbia River. The date of priority is July 25, 1911. The abandoned water right is for irrigation of 196.5 acres.

A description of the place of use of the abandoned right is as follows:

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$	0.9 ACRE	NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$	0.9 ACRE
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$	1.8 ACRES	SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$	0.9 ACRE
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$	0.9 ACRE	SECTION 17	
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	0.9 ACRE		
SECTION 13		NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$	0.9 ACRE
		SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$	0.9 ACRE
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$	0.9 ACRE	SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$	1.8 ACRES
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$	0.9 ACRE	NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	0.9 ACRE
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	0.9 ACRE	SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	0.9 ACRE
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	0.9 ACRE	SECTION 18	
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	1.8 ACRES	NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	1.8 ACRES
SECTION 14		NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	0.9 ACRE
		SECTION 19	
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	0.9 ACRE		
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	0.9 ACRE	NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	0.9 ACRE
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	1.8 ACRES	SECTION 30	
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	2.6 ACRES	TOWNSHIP 3 SOUTH,	
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	40.0 ACRES	RANGE 39 EAST, W.M.	
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	40.0 ACRES		
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	29.6 ACRES		
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	30.0 ACRES		
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	30.0 ACRES		
SECTION 24			
TOWNSHIP 3 SOUTH,			
RANGE 38 EAST, W.M.			

ORS 540.621 provides: "Whenever the owner of a perfected and developed water right certifies under oath to the Water Resources Commission that the water right has been abandoned by the owner and that the owner desires cancellation thereof, the commission shall enter an order canceling the water right."

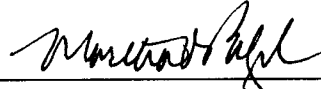
A portion of this transfer application will be considered along with Transfer Application 7362, which requests a change in place of use of a portion of the water right described by Certificate 3323.

THIS CHANGE TO AN EXISTING WATER RIGHT MAY BE MADE PROVIDED THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS ARE MET BY THE WATER USER:

1. The proposed change shall be completed on or before October 1, 1997.
2. The quantity of water diverted at the new point of diversion, shall not exceed the quantity of water available at the original point of diversion.
3. The water user shall install and maintain a headgate, an in-line flow meter, weir, or other suitable device for measuring and recording the quantity of water diverted. The type and plans of the headgate and measuring device must be approved by the Department prior to beginning construction and shall be installed under the general supervision of the Department.
4. The improvement company shall operate and maintain the headgate and measuring device, as needed. The improvement company shall report total flow figures when requested by the Watermaster. The Watermaster may operate the headgate and monitor accuracy of the measuring device, as needed.

Certificate 3323 is canceled. The water rights requested to be canceled herein are canceled. A new certificate will be issued to confirm that portion of the right NOT involved in this transfer. When satisfactory proof of the completed change is received, a new certificate confirming this water right will be issued.

WITNESS the signature of the Water Resources Director, affixed     OCT 2 1996    .



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Martha O. Pagel, Director