BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of the Proposed Water)	FINAL ORDER APPROVING A
Management and Conservation Plan for the)	WATER MANAGEMENT AND
City of Ashland, Jackson County)	CONSERVATION PLAN

Authority

OAR Chapter 690, Division 086, establishes the process and criteria for approving water management and conservation plans required under the conditions of permits, permit extensions and other orders of the Department.

Findings of Fact

- 1. The City of Ashland (City) submitted a Water Management and Conservation Plan (plan) to the Water Resources Department (Department) on November 29, 2012. The plan was required by a condition set forth under Permit S-54337.
- 2. The Department published notice of receipt of the plan on December 4, 2012, as required under OAR Chapter 690, Division 086. No comments were received.
- 3. The Department provided written comments on the plan to the City on February 14, 2013. In response, the City submitted a revised plan on February 28, 2014.
- 4. The Department reviewed the revised plan and finds that it is consistent with the relevant requirements under OAR Chapter 690, Division 086.

Conclusion of Law

The Water Management and Conservation Plan submitted by the City of Ashland is consistent with the criteria in OAR Chapter 690, Division 086.

Now, therefore, it is ORDERED:

- 1. The City of Ashland Water Management and Conservation Plan is approved and shall remain in effect until March 3, 2024, unless this approval is rescinded pursuant to OAR 690-086-0920.
- 2. The City of Ashland shall submit an updated plan meeting the requirements of OAR Chapter 690, Division 086 within 10 years and no later than March 3, 2023.
- 3. The City of Ashland shall submit a progress report containing the information required under OAR 690-086-0120(4) by March 3, 2019.

This is a final 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.

4. The deadline established herein for the submittal of an updated Water Management and Conservation Plan (consistent with OAR Chapter 690, Division 086) shall not relieve the City of Ashland from any existing or future requirement(s) for submittal of a Water Management and Conservation Plan at an earlier date as established through other final orders of the Department.

Dated at Salem, Oregon this ____ day of March, 2014.

Dwight French, Water Right Services Administrator for

PHILLIP C. WARD, DIRECTOR

Mailing date: MAR 0 7 2014