BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT OF THE STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of Transfer Application)	FINAL ORDER APPROVING
T-10525, Lake County)	CHANGES IN POINT OF
)	APPROPRIATION AND PLACE OF
)	USE

Authority

ORS 537.705 and 540.505 to 540.580 establish the process in which a water right holder may submit a request to transfer the point of appropriation, place of use, or character of use authorized under an existing water right. OAR Chapter 690, Division 380 implements the statutes and provides the Department's procedures and criteria for evaluating transfer applications.

Applicant

CITY OF LAKEVIEW PO BOX 28 LAKEVIEW OR 97630

Findings of Fact

Background

- 1. On January 30, 2008, the City of Lakeview filed an application to change the point of appropriation under Certificate 19943. The Department assigned the application number T-10525.
- 2. On March 9, 2009, the applicant submitted a revised map, identifying a proposed new place of use for transfer.
- 3. The right to be transferred is as follows:

Certificate: 19943 in the name of CITY OF LAKEVIEW (perfected under Permit U-128)

Use: DOMESTIC, CITY WATER SUPPLY

Priority Date: JUNE 29, 1940

Rate: 1.56 CUBIC FEET PER SECOND Source: A WELL in the Goose Lake Basin

This final order is subject to judicial review by the Court of Appeals under ORS 183.482. Any petition for judicial review must be filed within the 60-day time period specified by ORS 183.482(1). Pursuant to ORS 536.075 and OAR 137-003-0675, 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.

Authorized Point of Appropriation:

Twp	Rng	Mer	Sec	Q-Q	Survey Coordinates
39 S	20 E	WM	16	NW NE	SOUTH 57 DEGREES WEST, 1600 FEET FROM THE NE CORNER OF SECTION 16

Authorized Place of Use:

DOMESTIC, CITY WATER SUPPLY					
Twp	Rng	Mer	Sec	Q-Q	
39 S	20 E	WM	10	NE SW	
39 S	20 E	WM	10	NW SW	
39 S	20 E	WM	10	SW SW	
39 S	20 E	WM	10	SE SW	
39 S	20 E	WM	10	NE SE	
39 S	20 E	WM	10	NW SE	
39 S	20 E	WM	10	SW SE	
39 S	20 E	WM	10	SE SE	
39 S	20 E	WM	15	NE NE	
39 S	20 E	WM	15	NW NE	
39 S	20 E	WM	15	SW NE	
39 S	20 E	WM	15	SE NE	
39 S	20 E	WM	15	NE NW	
39 S	20 E	WM	15	NW NW	
39 S	20 E	WM	15	SW NW	
39 S	20 E	WM	15	SE NW	
39 S	20 E	WM	15	NE SW	
39 S	20 E	WM	15	NW SW	
39 S	20 E	WM	15	SW SW	
39 S	20 E	WM	15	SE SW	
39 S	20 E	WM	15	NE SE	
39 S	20 E	WM	15	NW SE	
39 S	20 E	WM	15	SW SE	
39 S	20 E	WM	15	SE SE	

4. Application T-10525 proposes to move the authorized point of appropriation approximately 80 feet north from the existing point of appropriation to:

Twp	Rng	Mer	Sec	Q-Q	Survey Coordinates
39 S	20 E	WM	16	NW NE	1861.35 FEET NORTH AND 1327.62 FEET WEST FROM THE E¼ CORNER OF SECTION 16

5. Transfer Application T-10525 also proposes to change the place of use of the right to:

DOM	ESTIC, CIT	Y WA	TER S	UPPLY
Twp	Rng	Mer	Sec	Q-Q
39 S	20 E	WM	3	NW NW
39 S	20 E	WM	3	NW SW
39 S	20 E	WM	3	SW SW
39 S	20 E	WM	4	NE NE
39 S	20 E	WM	4	NW NE
39 S	20 E	WM	4	SW NE
39 S	20 E	WM	4	SE NE
39 S	20 E	WM	4	NE NW
39 S	20 E	WM	4	
39 S	20 E	WM	4	NW NW
39 S			4	SW NW
	20 E	WM		SE NW
39 S	20 E	WM	4	NE SW
39 S	20 E	WM	4	NW NW
39 S	20 E	WM	4	SW SW
39 S	20 E	WM	4	SE SW
39 S	20 E	WM	4	NE SE
39 S	20 E	WM	4	NW SE
39 S	20 E	WM	4	SW SE
39 S	20 E	WM	4	SE SE
39 S	20 E	WM	9	NE NE
39 S	20 E	WM	9	NW NE
39 S	20 E	WM	9	SW NE
39 S	20 E	WM	9	SE NE
39 S	20 E	WM	9	NE NW
39 S	20 E	WM	9	NW NW
39 S	20 E	WM	9	SWNW
39 S	20 E	WM	9	SE NW
39 S	20 E	WM	9	NE SW
39 S	20 E	WM	9	NW SW
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39 S	20 E	WM	9	NE SE
39 S	20 E	WM	9	NW SE
39 S	20 E	WM	9	SW SE
39 S	20 E	WM	9	SE SE
39 S	20 E	WM	10	NE NW
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39 S	20 E	WM	10	NE SE
39 S	20 E	WM	10	NW SE
39 S	20 E	WM	10	SW SE
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DOM	ESTIC, CIT	TY WA	TER S	UPPLY
Twp	Rng	Mer	Sec	Q-Q
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39 S	20 E	WM	15	NE NW
39 S	20 E	WM	15	NW NW
39 S	20 E	WM	15	SW NW
39 S	20 E	WM	15	SE NW
39 S	20 E	WM	15	NE SW
39 S	20 E	WM	15	NW SW
39 S	20 E	WM	15	SW SW
39 S	20 E	WM	15	SE SW
39 S	20 E	WM	15	NE SE
39 S	20 E	WM	15	NW SE
39 S	20 E	WM	15	SW SE
39 S	20 E	WM	15	SE SE
39 S	20 E	WM	16	NE NE
39 S	20 E	WM	16	NW NE
39 S	20 E	WM	16	SW NE
39 S	20 E	WM	16	SE NE
39 S	20 E	WM	16	NE NW
39 S	20 E	WM	16	NW NW
39 S	20 E	WM	16	SWNW
39 S	20 E	WM	16	SE NW
39 S	20 E	WM	16	NE SW
39 S	20 E	WM	16	NW SW
39 S	20 E	WM	16	SW SW
39 S	20 E	WM	16	SE SW
39 S	20 E	WM	16	NE SE
39 S	20 E	WM	16	NW SE
39 S	20 E	WM	16	SW SE
39 S	20 E	WM	16	SE SE
39 S	20 E	WM	17	NE NE
39 S	20 E	WM	17	SE NE
39 S	20 E	WM	21	NE NE
39 S	20 E	WM	21	SE NE
39 S	20 E	WM	21	NE SE
39 S	20 E	WM	21	SE SE
39 S	20 E	WM	22	NW NE
39 S	20 E	WM	22	SW NE
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- 6. Notice of the application for transfer was published on February 12, 2009, pursuant to OAR 690-380-4000. No comments were filed in response to the notice.
- 7. On March 20, 2009, the Department delivered a copy of the Preliminary Determination proposing to approve Transfer Application T-10525 to the applicant. The Preliminary Determination set forth a deadline of April 28, 2009, for the applicant to respond. On March 23, 2009, the applicant responded and identified a few corrections to the place of use listing in the draft and requested that the Department proceed with issuance of a Preliminary Determination. This document reflects those corrections.
- 8. On April 15, 2009, the Department issued a Preliminary Determination proposing to approve Transfer Application T-10525 and mailed a copy to the applicant. Additionally, notice of the Preliminary Determination for the transfer application was published on the Department's weekly notice on April 21, 2009, pursuant to ORS 540.520 and OAR 690-380-4020. No protests were filed in response to the notice.

Transfer Review Criteria (OAR 690-380-4010)

- 9. Water has been used within the last five years according to the terms and conditions of the right, and there is no information in the record that would demonstrate that the right is subject to forfeiture under ORS 540.610.
- A pump, pipeline, and delivery system sufficient to use the full amount of water allowed under the existing right were present within the five-year period prior to submittal of Application T-10525.
- 11. The proposed change would not result in enlargement of the right.
- 12. The proposed change would not result in injury to other water rights.

Conclusions of Law

The changes in point of appropriation and place of use proposed in application T-10525 are consistent with the requirements of ORS 537.705 and 540.505 to 540.580 and OAR 690-380-5000. If protests are not filed pursuant to OAR 690-380-4030, the application will be approved.

Now, therefore, it is ORDERED:

- 1. The changes in point of appropriation and place of use proposed in application T-10525 are approved.
- 2. The right to the use of the water is restricted to beneficial use at the place of use described, and is subject to all other conditions and limitations contained in Certificate 19443 and any related decree.
- 3. Water right certificate 19443 is cancelled.

- 4. Water shall be acquired from the same aquifer (water source) as the original point of appropriation.
- 5. The quantity of water diverted at the new point of appropriation, shall not exceed the quantity of water lawfully available at the original point of appropriation.
- 6. Prior to diverting water, the water user shall install an in-line flow meter or other suitable device for measuring and recording the quantity of water diverted. The type and plans of the measuring device must be approved by the Department prior to beginning construction and shall be installed under the general supervision of the Department. The water user shall maintain and operate the measuring device as required by the Department.
- 7. The approved changes shall be completed and full beneficial use of the water shall be made on or before **October 1, 2014**. A Claim of Beneficial Use prepared by a Certified Water Rights Examiner shall be submitted by the applicant to the Department within one year after the deadline for completion of the changes and full beneficial use of the water.
- 8. When satisfactory proof of the completed changes is received, a new certificate confirming the right transferred will be issued.

Dated at Salem, Oregon this 1 day of May	2009.
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Phillip C. Ward, Director Pr

Mailing date: ____JUN 0 1 2009

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