BEFORE THE WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OF THE
STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of the Proposed Water Management and Conservation Plan for City of Junction City, Lane County	)))	FINAL ORDER APPROVING A WATER MANAGEMENT AND 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. An approved water management and conservation plan may authorize the diversion and use of water under a permit extended pursuant to OAR Chapter 690, Division 315.

Findings of Fact

1. The City of Junction City submitted a Water Management and Conservation Plan (plan) to the Water Resources Department (Department) on March 6, 2019. The plan was required by a condition set forth under the City's previously approved plan (Sp. Or. Vol. 62, Pg. 315 issued on December 14, 2004.

2. The Department published notice of receipt of the plan on March 12, 2019, 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 May 3, 2019, July 18, 2019 and August 8, 2019. In response, the City submitted revised plans on June 26, 2019, July 22, 2019, and September 4, 2019.

4. The Department reviewed the revised plan and finds that it contains all of the elements required under OAR 690-086-0125 and OAR 690-086-0130.

Conclusion of Law

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

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.

Now, therefore, it is ORDERED:

Duration of Plan Approval:

1. The City of Junction City Water Management and Conservation Plan is approved and shall remain in effect until **February 14, 2030,** unless this approval is rescinded pursuant to OAR 690-086-0920.

Development Limitations:

2. The limitation of the diversion of water under Permits G-12121 and G-12057 established in the Final Orders approving Extensions of Time for Permits G-12121 and G-12057 *(issued on November 1, 2019)* remains unchanged. Subject to other limitations or conditions of the permit, therefore, the City of Junction City remains authorized to divert only up to **0.77 cfs** (*out of the total permitted 2.23 cfs*) of water under **Permit G-12121** and up to **1.60 cfs** (*out of the total permitted 2.23 cfs*) of water under **Permit G-12057**.

Plan Update Schedule:

3. The City of Junction City shall submit an updated plan meeting the requirements of OAR Chapter 690, Division 086 within 10 years and no later than **August 14, 2029**.

Progress Report Schedule:

4. The City of Junction City shall submit a progress report containing the information required under OAR 690-086-0120(4) by **February 14, 2025**.

Other Requirements for Plan Submittal:

5. 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 Junction City 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 FEB 21 2020

Lisa J. Jaramillo, Transfer and Conservation Section Manager for
THOMAS M. BYLER, DIRECTOR
Oregon Water Resources

Mailing date: FEB 24 2020

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