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)	WATER MANAGEMENT AND
Brasada Ranch, Crook 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. Brasada Ranch submitted a Water Management and Conservation Plan (plan) to the Water Resources Department (Department) on April 10, 2013. The required statutory fee for review of the plan was received by the Department on May 9, 2013. The plan was required by conditions set forth under Permit G-15855 (Eagle Crest/Brasada Ranch) and in the final order (issued on August 4, 2011) approving an extension of time for Permit G-15855.
- 2. The Department published notice of receipt of the plan on May 14, 2013, as required under OAR Chapter 690, Division 086. No comments were received.
- 3. The Department provided written comments on the plan to Brasada Ranch on July 24, 2013. In response, Brasada Ranch submitted a final revised plan on November 21, 2013.
- 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 Brasada Ranch is consistent with the criteria in OAR Chapter 690, Division 086.

Now, therefore, it is ORDERED:

 The Brasada Ranch Water Management and Conservation Plan is approved and shall remain in effect until November 21, 2023, unless this approval is rescinded pursuant to OAR 690-086-0920.

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.

- 2. The limitation of the diversion of water under Permit G-15855 (Eagle Crest/Brasada Ranch) established in the Final Order approving an Extension of Time for Permit G-15855 (issued on August 4, 2011) remains unchanged. Subject to other limitations or conditions of the permit, therefore, access to the diversion of water under Permit G-15855 remains authorized at up to 1.68 cfs.
- 3. Brasada Ranch shall submit an updated plan meeting the requirements of OAR Chapter 690, Division 086 within 10 years and no later than May 21, 2023.
- 4. Brasada Ranch shall submit a progress report containing the information required under OAR 690-086-0120(4) by November 21, 2018.
- 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 Brasada Ranch 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 2 day of November, 2013.

Dwight French, Water Right Services Administrator for

PHILLIP C. WARD, DIRECTOR

Mailing date: NOV 2 5 2013