

STATE OF OREGON

County of MALHEUR "CERTIFICATE NO. 6046 "

PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS

This is to certify that I have examined APPLICATION G-10147 and do hereby grant the same SUBJECT TO EXISTING RIGHTS and the following limitations and conditions:

This permit is issued to Gum Creek Farms, c/o Bill Heid, of Route 2, Box 174, Vale, Oregon 97918, phone 473-3324, for use of the waters from Well 12,

for the PURPOSE of irrigation of 145.5 acres

that the PRIORITY OF THE RIGHT dates from October 3, 1983

and is limited to the amount of water which can be applied to beneficial use and shall not exceed 400 gallons of water per minute

measured at the point of diversion from the well , or its equivalent in case of rotation with other water users.

The well is to be LOCATED: North 67 degrees 10 minutes West from the Southeast Corner of Section 8 a distance of 4140 feet, being within the NE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Section 8, Township 16 South, Range 43 East, WM, in the County of Malheur.

A description of the PLACE OF USE under the permit, and to which such right is appurtenant, is as follows:

Township 16 South, Range 43 East, WM Section 17 SW 1/4 NE 1/4 6.0 acres

SE 1/4 NE 1/4 3.5 acres NE 1/4 SW 1/4 5.0 acres

NW 1/4 SE 1/4 38.0 acres NE 1/4 SE 1/4 34.0 acres

SE 1/4 SW 1/4 2.0 acres

SW 1/4 SE 1/4 32.0 acres

SE 1/4 SE 1/4 25.0 acres

The AMOUNT OF WATER used for irrigation, together with the amount secured under any other right existing for the same lands shall be limited to 1/80 of one cubic foot per second per acre, and shall be further limited to a diversion of not to exceed 3.0 acre-feet per acre for each acre irrigated during the irrigation season of each year, and shall be further limited to appropriation of water only to the extent that it does not impair or substantially interfere with existing surface water rights of others, and shall conform to such reasonable rotation system as may be ordered by the proper state officer.

The well shall be constructed in accordance with the General Standards for the Construction and Maintenance of Water Wells in Oregon. The works constructed shall include an air line and pressure gauge or an access port for measuring line, adequate to determine water level elevation in the well at all times. The permittee shall install and maintain a weir, meter, or other suitable measuring device, and shall keep a complete record of the amount of ground water withdrawn.

Actual construction work shall begin on or before **February 27, 1986**, and shall thereafter be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and be completed on or before October 1, 19 86.

Complete application of the water to the proposed use shall be made on or before October 1, 19 87.

Witness my hand this 27th day of February , 19 85.

/s/ WILLIAM H. YOUNG

WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR

This permit is for the beneficial use of water. By law, the land use associated with this water use must be in compliance with statewide land-use goals and any local acknowledged land-use plan. It is possible that the land use you propose may not be allowed if it is not in keeping with the goals and the acknowledged plan. Your city or county planning agency can advise you about the land-use plan in your area.