

STATE OF OREGON

COUNTY OF CROOK

PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS

THIS PERMIT IS HEREBY ISSUED TO

GUTIERREZ CATTLE COMPANY
c/o AGRICULTURE INDUSTRIES, INC.
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The specific limits for the use are listed below along with conditions of use.

APPLICATION FILE NUMBER: G-13520

SOURCE OF WATER: A WELL IN THE CROOKED RIVER BASIN

PURPOSE OR USE: IRRIGATION OF 237.9 ACRES

MAXIMUM RATE: 2.97 CUBIC FEET PER SECOND

PERIOD OF ALLOWED USE: MARCH 1 THROUGH OCTOBER 31

DATE OF PRIORITY: SEPTEMBER 30, 1993

POINT OF DIVERSION LOCATION: SE 1/4 SW 1/4, SECTION 14, T16S, R22E, W.M.; 100 FEET NORTH AND 1485 FEET EAST FROM THE SW 1/4 CORNER OF SECTION 14

The amount of water used for irrigation under this right, together with the amount secured under any other right existing for the same lands, is limited to a diversion of ONE-EIGHTIETH of one cubic foot per second (or its equivalent) and 3.0 acre-feet for each acre irrigated during the irrigation season of each year.

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED AS FOLLOWS:

SW 1/4 SW 1/4	8.1 ACRES
SE 1/4 SW 1/4	15.6 ACRES
NW 1/4 SE 1/4	0.4 ACRE
SW 1/4 SE 1/4	39.4 ACRES
SE 1/4 SE 1/4	19.4 ACRES
SECTION 14	
SE 1/4 SE 1/4	6.0 ACRES
SECTION 15	
NE 1/4 NE 1/4	1.7 ACRES
SECTION 22	
NE 1/4 NE 1/4	27.0 ACRES
NW 1/4 NE 1/4	40.0 ACRES
SW 1/4 NE 1/4	14.8 ACRES
SE 1/4 NE 1/4	3.2 ACRES

NE 1/4 NW 1/4	23.0 ACRES
NW 1/4 NW 1/4	32.1 ACRES
SW 1/4 NW 1/4	5.2 ACRES
SE 1/4 NW 1/4	2.0 ACRES

SECTION 23

TOWNSHIP 16 SOUTH, RANGE 22 EAST, W.M.

Measurement, recording and reporting conditions:

- A. Before water use may begin under this permit, the permittee shall install a meter or other suitable measuring device as approved by the Director. The permittee shall maintain the meter or measuring device in good working order, shall keep a complete record of the amount of water used each month and shall submit a report which includes the recorded water use measurements to the Department annually or more frequently as may be required by the Director. Further, the Director may require the permittee to report general water use information, including the place and nature of use of water under the permit.
- B. The permittee shall allow the watermaster access to the meter or measuring device; provided however, where the meter or measuring device is located within a private structure, the watermaster shall request access upon reasonable notice.

If substantial interference with a senior water right occurs due to withdrawal of water from any well listed on this permit, then use of water from the well(s) shall be discontinued or reduced and/or the schedule of withdrawal shall be regulated until or unless the Department approves or implements an alternative administrative action to mitigate the interference. The Department encourages junior and senior appropriators to jointly develop plans to mitigate interferences.

Use of water under authority of this permit may be regulated if analysis of data available after the permit is issued discloses that the appropriation will measurably reduce the surface water flows necessary to maintain the free-flowing character of a scenic waterway in quantities necessary for recreation, fish and wildlife in effect as of the priority date of the right or as those quantities may be subsequently reduced.

STANDARD CONDITIONS

The wells shall be constructed in accordance with the General Standards for the Construction and Maintenance of Water Wells in Oregon. The works shall be equipped with a usable access port, and may also include an air line and pressure gauge adequate to determine water level elevation in the well at all times.

