STATE OF OREGON

COUNTY OF JOSEPHINE

PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS

THIS PERMIT IS HEREBY ISSUED TO

DAVE BRACKEN, FOR THREE RIVERS SCHOOL DISTRICT 126 RINGUETTE STREET GRANTS PASS, OREGON 97527

(541) 476-6304

The specific limits and conditions of the use are listed below.

APPLICATION FILE NUMBER: G-15336

SOURCE OF WATER: TWO WELLS IN WILLIAMS CREEK BASIN

PURPOSE OR USE: IRRIGATION OF 1.8 ACRES AND AND COMMERCIAL USE

MAXIMUM RATE: 0.032 CUBIC FOOT PER SECOND (CFS), BEING 0.023 CFS FOR IRRIGATION AND 0.009 CFS FOR COMMERCIAL USE

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 1 THROUGH OCTOBER 31 FOR IRRIGATION AND YEAR ROUND FOR COMMERCIAL USE

DATE OF PRIORITY: MARCH 5, 2001

WELL LOCATION:

WELL 1: NE 1/4 SE 1/4, SECTION 34, T38S, R5W, W.M. 1260 FEET SOUTH & 1085 FEET WEST FROM E1/4 CORNER, SECTION 34

WELL 2: NE 1/4 SE 1/4, SECTION 34, T38S, R5W, W.M. 1175 FEET SOUTH & 1085 FEET WEST FROM E1/4 CORNER, SECTION 34

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 2.5 acre-feet for each acre irrigated during the irrigation season of each year.

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED AS FOLLOWS:

NE ¼ SE ¼ 1.8 ACRES AND COMMERCIAL USE SECTION 34
TOWNSHIP 38 SOUTH, RANGE 5 WEST, W.M.

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Measurement, recording and reporting conditions:

- A. The Director may require the permittee to install a meter or other suitable measuring device as approved by the Director. If the Director notifies the permittee to install a meter or other measuring device, the permittee shall install such device within the period stated in the notice. Such installation period shall not be less than 90 days unless special circumstances warrant a shorter installation period. Once installed, the permittee shall maintain the meter or measuring device in good working order and shall allow the watermaster access to the meter or measuring device. The Director may provide an opportunity for the permittee to submit alternative measuring procedures for review and approval.
- B. The Director may require the permittee to keep and maintain a record of the amount (volume) of water used and may require the permittee to report water use on a periodic schedule as established by the Director. In addition, the Director may require the permittee to report general water use information, the periods of water use and the place and nature of use of water under the permit. The Director may provide an opportunity for the permittee to submit alternative reporting procedures for review and approval.

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.

If the number, location, or construction of any well deviates from that proposed in the permit application or permit conditions, the conclusions of the Proposed Final Order and Final Order under which this permit was granted may be revised, conditions may be appropriately revised, or this permit may not be valid.

Ground water for use under this permit shall be produced only from the Bedrock Aquifer.

Groundwater shall be appropriated from only two drilled wells, Well 1 (JOSE 12404) located approximately 1260 feet south and 1085 feet west of the 1/4 corner of section 34, and Well 2 (JOSE 2125), located 1175 feet

south and 1085 feet west of the 1/4 corner of section 34. Both wells are completed in the fractured bedrock aquifer.

STANDARD CONDITIONS

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.

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.

The use shall conform to such reasonable rotation system as may be ordered by the proper state officer.

Prior to receiving a certificate of water right, the permit holder shall submit the results of a pump test meeting the department's standards, to the Water Resources Department. The Director may require water level or pump test results every ten years thereafter.

Failure to comply with any of the provisions of this permit may result in action including, but not limited to, restrictions on the use, civil penalties, or cancellation of the permit.

This permit is for the beneficial use of water without waste. The water user is advised that new regulations may require the use of best practical technologies or conservation practices to achieve this end.

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.

The use of water shall be limited when it interferes with any prior surface or ground water rights.

The Director finds that the proposed use(s) of water described by this permit, as conditioned, will not impair or be detrimental to the public interest.

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Complete application of the water to the use shall be made on or before October 1, 2006. If the water is not completely applied before this date, and the permittee wishes to continue development under the permit, the permittee must submit an application for extension of time, which may be approved based upon the merit of the application.

Within one year after complete application of water to the proposed use, the permittee shall submit a claim of beneficial use, which includes a map and report, prepared by a Certified Water Rights Examiner (CWRE).

Teary, Director Water Resources Department

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS: Pursuant to ORS 537.330, in any transaction for the conveyance of real estate that includes any portion of the lands described in this permit, the seller of the real estate shall, upon accepting an offer to purchase that real estate, also inform the purchaser in writing whether any permit, transfer approval order, or certificate evidencing the water right is available and that the seller will deliver any permit, transfer approval order or certificate to the purchaser at closing, if the permit, transfer approval order or certificate is available.

CULTURAL RESOURCES PROTECTION LAWS: Permittees involved in grounddisturbing activities should be aware of federal and state cultural resources protection laws. ORS 358.920 prohibits the excavation, injury, destruction or alteration of an archeological site or object, or removal of archeological objects from public and private lands without an archeological permit issued by the State Historic Preservation Office. 16 USC 470, Section 106, National Historic Preservation Act of 1966 requires a federal agency, prior to any undertaking to take into account the effect of the undertaking that is included on or eligible for inclusion in the National Register. For further information, contact the State Historic Preservation Office at 503-378-4168, extension 232.