

STATE OF OREGON

COUNTY OF HARNEY

PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS

THIS PERMIT IS HEREBY ISSUED TO

GORDON PERLOT
SILVER CREEK RANCHES OF OREGON, LLC
70223 BEST LANE
RILEY, OR 97758

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

APPLICATION FILE NUMBER: G-16625

SOURCE OF WATER: A WELL (HARN 51210) IN CHICKAHOMINY CREEK BASIN

PURPOSE AND PERIOD OF USE: IRRIGATION OF 147.4 ACRES,

BEING IRRIGATION OF 28.3 ACRES FROM MARCH 1 THROUGH OCTOBER 31,

IRRIGATION OF 119.1 ACRES FROM AUGUST 2 THROUGH OCTOBER 31, &

SUPPLEMENTAL IRRIGATION OF 119.1 ACRES MARCH 1 THROUGH AUGUST 1

MAXIMUM RATE: 1.84 CUBIC FEET PER SECOND (CFS), NOT TO EXCEED 1.49 CFS
FOR SUPPLEMENTAL IRRIGATION USE

DATE OF PRIORITY: FEBRUARY 13, 2006

WELL LOCATION: NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SECTION 10, T23S, R25E, W.M.; 5278 FEET NORTH
AND 1938 FEET EAST FROM SW CORNER, SECTION 10

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

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED AS FOLLOWS:

$\frac{1}{4}$ - $\frac{1}{4}$	IRRIGATION (3/1 - 10/31)	IRRIGATION (8/2 - 10/31) SUPPLEMENTAL IRRIGATION(3/1 -8/1)
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$		5.8 ACRES
SECTION 2		
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	18.7 ACRES	
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$		34.5 ACRES
SECTION 3		
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$		31.6 ACRES
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$		22.2 ACRES
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	1.8 ACRES	12.0 ACRES
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$	7.8 ACRES	13.0 ACRES
SECTION 10		
TOWNSHIP 23 SOUTH, RANGE 25 EAST, W.M.		

Measurement, recording and reporting conditions:

- A. Before water use may begin under this permit, the permittee shall install a totalizing flow 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.

At the time of perfection, the permittee may request that the use be certificated as primary irrigation, if water has been used beneficially according to the terms and conditions of this permit, and if underlying primary water rights are simultaneously diminished or canceled.

STANDARD CONDITIONS

If the number, location, source, or construction of any well deviates from that proposed in the permit application or required by permit conditions, this permit may not be valid, unless the Department authorizes the change in writing.

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 well(s) 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.

Where two or more water users agree among themselves as to the manner of rotation in the use of water and such agreement is placed in writing and filed by such water users with the watermaster, and such rotation system does not infringe upon such prior rights of any water user not a party to such rotation plan, the watermaster shall distribute the water according to such agreement.

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.

Completion of construction and complete application of the water to the use shall be made on or before October 1, 2013. 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).

Issued

May 15, 2009

E. Timothy Ward

Phillip C. Ward, Director
Water Resources Department