

STATE OF OREGON

COUNTY OF DOUGLAS

PERMIT TO STORE THE PUBLIC WATERS

THIS PERMIT IS HEREBY ISSUED TO

U.S. BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
777 NW GARDEN VALLEY
ROSEBURG, OREGON 97470

(503)440-4930

The specific limits for the use are listed below along with conditions of use.

APPLICATION FILE NUMBER: R-80594

SOURCE OF WATER: AN UNNAMED SEEP, A TRIBUTARY OF YELLOW CREEK, WITHIN THE UMPQUA BASIN

STORAGE FACILITY: YELLOW CREEK MOUNTAIN RESERVOIR

PURPOSE OR USE OF THE STORED WATER: TO BE APPROPRIATED AND MAINTAINED UNDER APPLICATION S-80593, PERMIT 52958, FOR FOREST MANAGEMENT

VOLUME OF USE: 4.2 ACRE-FEET EACH YEAR

PERIOD OF ALLOWED USE: WATER MAY BE APPROPRIATED FOR STORAGE DURING THE PERIOD DECEMBER 1 THROUGH JUNE 15 AND SEPTEMBER 16 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30

DATE OF PRIORITY: AUGUST 24, 1995

The area submerged by the reservoir, when full, will be 0.26 acre and the maximum depth of water will be 14.5 feet. The maximum height of the dam shall not exceed 19.5 feet.

DAM LOCATION: SE 1/4 NE 1/4, SECTION 3, T24S, R6W, W.M.; 700 FT NORTH & 750 FEET WEST FROM E1/4 CORNER, SECTION 3

THE AREA TO BE SUBMERGED BY THE RESERVOIR IS LOCATED AS FOLLOWS:

SE 1/4 NE 1/4
SECTION 3
TOWNSHIP 24 SOUTH, RANGE 6 WEST, W.M.

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.

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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.

The permittee shall install, maintain, and operate fish screening to prevent fish from entering the proposed diversion. The permittee shall also install a fishway at the obstruction that will provide adequate upstream and downstream passage for fish. The required screens and fishways are to be in place, functional, and approved by Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife before diversion of any water.

STANDARD CONDITIONS

The storage of water allowed herein is subject to the installation and maintenance of a fully functional conduit/gate assembly having a minimum diameter of 8 inches.

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.

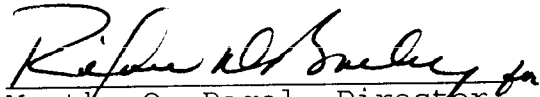
By law, the land use associated with this water use must be in compliance with statewide land-use goals and any local acknowledged land-use plan.

The use of water allowed herein may be made only at times when sufficient water is available to satisfy all prior rights, including prior rights for maintaining instream flows.

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.

Actual construction work shall begin within one year from permit issuance and shall be completed on or before October 1, 1998. The reservoir shall be filled and complete application of the water to the use shall be made on or before October 1, 1999.

Issued November 29, 1996


Martha O. Pagel, Director
Water Resources Department

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Basin 16

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