

STATE OF OREGON

COUNTY OF POLK

PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT A RESERVOIR AND STORE THE PUBLIC WATERS

THIS PERMIT IS HEREBY ISSUED TO

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

APPLICATION FILE NUMBER: R-84588

SOURCE OF WATER: MIDDLE FORK ASH CREEK, A TRIBUTARY OF ASH CREEK

STORAGE FACILITY: MOUNT PISGAH RESERVOIR

PURPOSE OR USE OF THE STORED WATER: TO BE APPROPRIATED UNDER APPLICATION S-84589, PERMIT 53746, FOR IRRIGATION OF 181.8 ACRES. TO BE MAINTAINED UNDER PERMIT 53746 FOR FISH AND WILDLIFE USE

MAXIMUM VOLUME: 45.0 ACRE-FEET PER YEAR

WATER MAY BE APPROPRIATED FOR STORAGE: NOVEMBER 1 THROUGH JUNE 30

DATE OF PRIORITY: NOVEMBER 20, 2000

The area submerged by the reservoir, when full, will be 5.2 acres and the maximum depth of water will be 18.0 feet. The maximum height of the dam shall not exceed 22.0 feet.

DAM LOCATION: NW 1/4 SE 1/4, SECTION 10, T8S, R5W, W.M.; 595 FEET SOUTH & 2095 FEET WEST FROM SE CORNER DLC 44

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

NW 1/4 SE 1/4  
SECTION 10  
TOWNSHIP 8 SOUTH, RANGE 5 WEST, 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.
- 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.
- C. 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.

If the riparian area is disturbed in the process of developing a point of diversion, the permittee shall be responsible for restoration and enhancement of such riparian area.

The use may be restricted if the quality of the source stream or downstream waters decrease to the point that those waters no longer meet existing state or federal water quality standards due to reduced flows.

The outlet gate shall be cycled at least once each year and shall be fully operational at all times.

Routine maintenance of the dam, its spillway and all appurtenant structures shall be performed as necessary to remove trees, brush and debris, and to repair slumps, areas of erosion, or defective equipment.

The embankment, the resultant reservoir, and the emergency spillway, shall be constructed and maintained according to the approved plans and specifications on file with the Oregon Water Resources Dam Safety program. Any significant change in the approved design prior to or during construction shall be documented by the project engineer in a letter to Dam Safety. All construction shall be performed under the supervision of a registered professional engineer licensed in Oregon.

No fill shall be placed until preparation of the foundation and the excavation of the core trench has been completed and examined in

entirety by the engineer of record, or by the Water Resources Dam Safety Engineer, or both.

No water shall be stored until the Water Resources Department receives written certification from the engineer of record that construction has been completed in accordance with the approved plans and specifications. If construction deviates from the approved design a set reproducible asbuilt drawings, including a revised reservoir capacity graph or table, must accompany the engineer's written certification of completion.

The completed structure shall not be enlarged, modified, altered or reconfigured without the prior written approval of the Director of the Water Resources Department or the Director's authorized representative. Except for routine repair and maintenance, approved plans and specifications prepared by an Oregon licensed engineer are required for any enlargement, signification modification, alteration, or rehabilitation of the dam, spillway or its appurtenant structures.

Flashboards shall be removed from the emergency spillway no later than October 31st of each year not to be reinserted before the beginning of the irrigation season, which begins March 1st.

#### STANDARD CONDITIONS

Use under this permit is limited to the reservoir area. This permit does not provide for the appropriation of water for maintaining the water level or maintaining a suitable fresh water condition.

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.

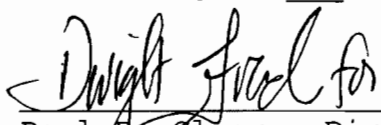
By law, the land use associated with this water use must be in compliance with statewide land-use goals and any local acknowledged land-use plan.

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.

The reservoir shall be filled and complete application of the stored water to the use shall be made on or before October 1, 2005. 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 August 23, 2001

  
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Paul H. Cleary, Director  
Water Resources Department

NOTE: 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.