



STATE OF OREGON

UNION COUNTY

PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS

This is to certify that I have examined APPLICATION 61438 and do hereby grant the same SUBJECT TO EXISTING RIGHTS INCLUDING THE APPROPRIATE MINIMUM FLOW POLICIES ESTABLISHED BY THE WATER POLICY REVIEW BOARD and the following limitations and conditions:

This permit is issued to Paul G. Wares of Medical Springs Stage, Baker, Oregon 97814, phone 853-2352, for the use of the waters of South Catherine Creek, a tributary of Grande Ronde River, for the PURPOSE of supplemental irrigation; that the PRIORITY OF THE RIGHT dates from August 5, 1981, and is limited to the amount of water which can be applied to beneficial use and shall not exceed 2.35 cubic feet per second measured at the point of diversion from the stream, or its equivalent in case of rotation with other water users.

The POINT OF DIVERSION is to be LOCATED: 2,650 feet South and 1,300 feet West from the Northeast Corner of Section 24, being within the NE 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 24, Township 5 South, Range 42 East, WM, in the County of Union.

A description of the PLACE OF USE under the permit, and to which such right is appurtenant, is as follows:

Township 7 South	Range 41 East, WM	Section 24	NW 1/4	NW 1/4	16.3 acres
			NE 1/4	NW 1/4	12.6 acres
			SE 1/4	NW 1/4	17.3 acres
			SW 1/4	NW 1/4	2.0 acres
			NW 1/4	NE 1/4	1.4 acres
			NE 1/4	NE 1/4	21.0 acres
			SE 1/4	NE 1/4	19.0 acres
			SW 1/4	NE 1/4	4.4 acres

The AMOUNT OF WATER used for irrigation, together with the amount secured under any other right existing for the same lands, shall be limited to 1/40 of one cubic foot per second per acre, from direct flow and shall be further limited to a diversion of not to exceed 3.5 acre-feet per acre for each acre irrigated during the irrigation season of each year, provided further that the right allowed herein shall be limited to any deficiency in the available supply of any prior right existing for the same land and shall not exceed the limitation allowed herein, and shall conform to such reasonable rotation system as may be ordered by the proper state officer.

Actual construction work shall begin on or before April 29, 1983 and shall thereafter be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and be completed on or before October 1, 1984.

Complete application of the water to the proposed use shall be made on or before October 1, 1985.

WITNESS my hand this 29th day of April, 1982.

/s/ JAMES E. SEXSON

WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR

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"CERTIFICATE NO. 65726"