

STATE OF OREGON

UMATILLA COUNTY

"CERTIFICATE NO. 56281

PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS

This is to certify that I have examined APPLICATION 63597 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 John Vermeul of Route 3, Box 73-I, Milton-Freewater, Oregon 97862, phone 938-5178, for the use of the waters of West Prong Little Walla Walla River, a tributary of Walla Walla River, for the PURPOSE of irrigation; that the PRIORITIES OF THE RIGHT date from June 7, 1982 for 23.84 gallons per minute and June 21, 1982 for 23.86 gpm, and is limited to the amount of water which can be applied to beneficial use and shall not exceed 47.7 gpm 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: 1,380 feet North and 400 feet West from the Southeast Corner of Section 22, being within the NE 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 22, Township 6 North, Range 35 East, WM, in the County of Umatilla.

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

Township 6 North Range 35 East, WM Section 22 NE 1/4 NE 1/4 4.25 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 3.0 acre-feet per acre for each acre irrigated during the irrigation season of each year, 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 August 17, 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 17th day of August, 1982.

/s/ JAMES E. SEXSON
WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR

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