STATE OF OREGON

COUNTY OF COOS

PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE 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: S-72431

SOURCE OF WATER: FOUR UNNAMED RESERVOIRS, CONSTRUCTED UNDER APPLICATION R-72430, PERMIT R-12102, TRIBUTARIES OF CONNER CREEK

PURPOSE OR USE: CRANBERRY OPERATIONS ON 7.1 ACRES AND IRRIGATION OF 1.2 ACRES

MAXIMUM VOLUME ALLOWED: 23.0 ACRE-FEET (AF) PER YEAR, BEING 22.0 AF FOR CRANBERRY OPERATIONS AND 1.0 AF FOR IRRIGATION

PERIOD OF USE: YEAR ROUND FOR CRANBERRY OPERATIONS AND MARCH 1 THROUGH OCTOBER 31 FOR IRRIGATION

DATE OF PRIORITY: JUNE 3, 1992

POINT OF DIVERSION LOCATION: NE 1/4 SE 1/4, SE 1/4 SE 1/4, SECTION 12, TOWNSHIP 30 SOUTH, RANGE 15 WEST, W.M.; RESERVOIR 1 - 1700 FEET NORTH & 100 FEET WEST; RESERVOIR 2 - 1250 FEET NORTH & 150 FEET NORTH; RESERVOIR 3 - 1270 FEET NORTH & 700 FEET WEST AND 1660 FEET NORTH & 780 FEET WEST; RESERVOIR 4 - 1700 FEET NORTH & 780 FEET WEST; ALL FROM THE SOUTHEAST CORNER, SECTION 12

The amount of water diverted for CRANBERRY OPERATIONS, together with amounts secured under any other rights existing for the same lands, is limited as follows: For temperature control, 0.15 cubic foot per second per acre; For flood harvesting or pest control, 0.05 cubic foot per second per acre; For irrigation of cranberries, ONE-FORTIETH of one cubic foot per second and 3.0 acre-feet per acre for each acre irrigated during the irrigation season of each year. For the irrigation of any other crop, ONE-EIGHTIETH of one cubic foot per second and 2.5 acre-feet per acre for each acre irrigated during the irrigation season of each year.

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED AS FOLLOWS:

NE 1/4 SE 1/4 1.2 ACRES IRRIGATION
NE 1/4 SE 1/4 6.4 ACRES CRANBERRY OPERATIONS
SE 1/4 SE 1/4 0.7 ACRES CRANBERRY OPERATIONS
SECTION 12

TOWNSHIP 30 SOUTH, RANGE 15 WEST, W.M.

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Measurement, recording and reporting conditions:

A. Before water use may begin under this permit, a totalizing flow meter or other suitable measuring device(s) as approved by the watermaster must be installed at each diversion point. The totalizing flow meter must be installed and maintained as identified in OAR 690-507-645. The permittee shall keep a complete record of the amount of water used each month. The permittee shall submit a report which includes the recorded water use measurements to the Department at its request. The permittee may be required to report 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.

Diversion and use of water under this permit must comply with the Clean Water Act and utilize best management practices as identified in the plan developed as specified in the New River Alternative Dispute Resolution Team Agreement on file with the Department.

STANDARD CONDITIONS

The use shall conform to such reasonable rotation system as may be ordered by the proper state officer.

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.

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Actual construction work shall begin within one year from permit issuance and shall be completed on or before October 1, 1999. Complete application of the water to the use shall be made on or before October 1, 2000.

Issued January 3/, 1997

Martha O. Pagel, Director Water Resources Department

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