

STATE OF OREGON

COUNTY OF YAMHILL

PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS

THIS PERMIT IS HEREBY ISSUED TO

PALMER CREEK WATER DISTRICT IMPROVEMENT COMPANY
PO BOX 152
DAYTON, OREGON 97114

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

APPLICATION FILE NUMBER: S-70109

SOURCE OF WATER: WILLAMETTE BASIN PROJECT RESERVOIRS, CONSTRUCTED UNDER PERMITS R-1625 AND R-5363, AND WILLAMETTE RIVER, A TRIBUTARY OF COLUMBIA RIVER

PURPOSE OR USE: AGRICULTURAL USE AND SUPPLEMENTAL IRRIGATION OF CONTAINERIZED NURSERY STOCK ON 6.1 ACRES

RATE OF USE: LIMITED TO 0.06 CFS FROM LIVE FLOW. THE AMOUNT OF STORED WATER ALLOWED WILL BE DETERMINED BY THE WATER SERVICE CONTRACT, BUT SHALL NOT EXCEED 15.25 ACRE-FEET PER YEAR.

PERIOD OF ALLOWED USE: YEAR ROUND FOR AGRICULTURAL USE BUT LIMITED TO MARCH 1 THROUGH OCTOBER 31 OR AS MAY BE FURTHER LIMITED BY THE BUREAU OF RECLAMATION WATER SUPPLY CONTRACT FOR IRRIGATION.

DATE OF PRIORITY: OCTOBER 31, 1989

POINT OF DIVERSION LOCATION: NW 1/4 SW 1/4, SECTION 4, T6S, R3W, W.M.; 4700 FEET NORTH & 1290 FEET EAST FROM THE SE CORNER OF GAY DLC 58

The amount of water used for NURSERY OPERATIONS is limited to a diversion of 0.15 cubic foot per second per acre. For the irrigation of **containerized nursery plants**, the amount of water diverted is limited to ONE-FORTIETH of one cubic foot per second (or its equivalent) and 5.0 acre feet per acre per year. For the irrigation of **in ground nursery plants** the amount of water diverted is limited to ONE-EIGHTIETH of one cubic foot per second (or its equivalent) and 2.5 acre feet per acre per year. The use of water for NURSERY OPERATIONS may be made at anytime of the year that the use is beneficial. For the irrigation of **any other crop**, the amount of water diverted is limited to ONE-EIGHTIETH of one cubic foot per second (or its equivalent) and 2.5 acre feet per acre during the irrigation season of each year.

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED AS FOLLOWS:

SW 1/4 NW 1/4 0.6 ACRES

SE 1/4 NW 1/4 4.2 ACRES

NW 1/4 SW 1/4 1.3 ACRES

SECTION 7

TOWNSHIP 5 SOUTH, RANGE 3 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. 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 use of water under this right is subject to the terms and conditions of contract No. 119E101760, or a satisfactory replacement, between the Bureau of Reclamation and the applicant, a copy of which is on file in the records of the Water Resources Department.

The permittee shall install, maintain, and operate fish screening and by-pass devices as required by the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife to prevent fish from entering the proposed diversion. The required screens and by-pass devices are to be in place, functional and approved by an ODFW representative prior to diversion of any water.

In the event of a request for a change in point of appropriation, an additional point of appropriation or alteration of the appropriation facility associated with this authorized diversion, the quantity of water allowed herein, together with any other right, shall not exceed the capacity of the facility at the time of perfection of this right.

This right is limited to any deficiency in the available supply of any prior right existing for the same land.

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.

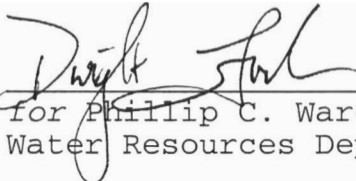
The use of water allowed herein may be made only at times when sufficient water is available to satisfy all prior rights, including prior rights for maintaining instream flows.

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.

Actual construction work shall begin within one year from permit issuance and shall be completed within one year of commencement of construction. Complete application of the water to the use shall be made within five years of the date of permit issuance.

Within one year after making beneficial use of water, the permittee shall submit a claim of beneficial use, which includes a map and report, prepared by a Certified Water Rights Examiner.

Issued June 7, 2012


for Phillip C. Ward, Director
Water Resources Department