STATE OF OREGON

COUNTY OF MALHEUR

PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS

THIS PERMIT IS HEREBY ISSUED TO

J C WATSON CO. PO BOX 300 PARMA ID 83660

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

APPLICATION FILE NUMBER: S-88064

SOURCE OF WATER: LOCKET GULCH, TRIBUTARY TO SNAKE RIVER

PURPOSE OR USE OF THE WATER: SUPPLEMENTAL IRRIGATION OF 434.7 ACRES

MAXIMUM RATE: 5.43 CUBIC FEET PER SECOND

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 1 THROUGH MARCH 31 AND OCTOBER 16 THROUGH OCTOBER 31

DATE OF PRIORITY: MARCH 23, 2015

AUTHORIZED POINT OF DIVERSION:

Twp	Rng	Mer	Sec	Q-Q	Measured Distances				
20 S	47 E	WM	7	SW SW	1240 FEET NORTH AND 230 FEET EAST FROM SW CORNER, SECTION 7				

AUTHORIZED PLACE OF USE:

Twp	Rng	Mer	Sec	Q-Q	Acres
20 S	46 E	WM	13	NE NE	24.7
20 S	46 E	WM	13	NW NE	35.0
20 S	46 E	WM	13	SW NE	37.0
20 S	46 E	WM	13	SE NE	30.5
20 S	46 E	WM	13	NE NW	37.0
20 S	46 E	WM	13	NW NW	36.0
20 S	46 E	WM	13	SW NW	35.0
20 S	46 E	WM	13	SE NW	38.0
20 S	46 E	WM	14	NE NE	29.0
20 S	46 E	WM	14	SE NE	23.0
20 S	46 E	WM	14	NE SE	28.0
20 S	46 E	WM	14	NW SE	5.0
20 S	46 E	WM	14	SE SE	22.0
20 S	47 E	WM	7	SW SW	21.0
20 S	47 E	WM	7	SE SW	0.5
20 S	47 E	WM	18	NW NW	24.0
20 S	47 E	WM	18	SW NW	9.0

1. Water Use Measurement, Recording, and Reporting Condition:

- A. Before water use may begin under this permit, the permittee shall install a totalizing flow meter at each point of diversion. The permittee shall maintain the device in good working order.
- B. The permittee shall allow the watermaster access to the device; provided however, where any device is located within a private structure, the watermaster shall request access upon reasonable notice.
- C. The permittee shall keep a complete record of the volume of water diverted each month, and shall submit a report which includes water-use measurements to the Department 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.
- D. The Director may provide an opportunity for the permittee to submit alternative measuring and reporting procedures for review and approval.
- 2. A fishway to ensure adequate upstream and downstream passage for fish is required for any inchannel obstruction, unless the permittee has requested and been granted a fish passage waiver by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission.
- 3. The permittee maybe required in the future to install, maintain, and operate fish screening and bypass devices to prevent fish from entering the proposed diversion and to provide adequate upstream and downstream passage fir fish.
- 4. At the time of perfection, the permittee may request that the use be certificated as primary irrigation, if water has been used beneficially according to the terms and conditions of this permit, and if underlying primary water rights are simultaneously diminished or canceled.

STANDARD CONDITIONS

- 1. 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.
- 2. Where two or more water users agree among themselves as to the manner of rotation in the use of water and such agreement is placed in writing and filed by such water users with the watermaster, and such rotation system does not infringe upon such prior rights of any water user not a party to such rotation plan, the watermaster shall distribute the water according to such agreement.
- 3. 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.
- 4. 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.
- 5. 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.

- 6. Construction of the water system shall begin within five years of the date of permit issuance. The deadline to begin construction may not be extended. This permit is subject to cancellation proceedings if the begin construction deadline is missed.
- 7. Complete application of the water shall be made within five years of the date of permit issuance. If beneficial use of permitted water has not been made before this date, the permittee may submit an application for extension of time, which may be approved based upon the merit of the application.
- 8. 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.

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Oregon Water Resources Department

