



State of Oregon
Water Resources Department
 725 Summer Street NE, Suite A
 Salem, Oregon 97301-1271
 (503) 986-0900

**Application for Extension of Time for
 Transfer of Water Right**

Transfer Number: T- 11299

A summary of review criteria and procedures that are generally applicable to these applications is available at https://www.oregon.gov/owrd/WRDFormsPDF/transfer_extension_criteriareview.pdf

Applicant = Transfer Holder of Record* Blue Harvest Farms LLC c/o Justin and Keith Ditchen			Contact Name	Phone No. 971-218-5977
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City SILVERTON	State OR	Zip 97381	E-Mail JGDITCHENFARMS@GMAIL.COM	
Report Prepared By Pacific Hydro Geology, Inc. / Doann Hamilton		Title CWRE	Contact Information Cell: 503-349-6946 Email: phgdmh@gmail.com	

*The applicant must be the transfer holder of record. If the applicant is not the transfer holder of record, the applicant must request an assignment of interest prior to submitting the transfer extension application. Alternatively, the request for assignment may be submitted simultaneously with the extension application. Separate checks for the fees is helpful. Links to assignment forms: <https://www.oregon.gov/owrd/WRDFormsPDF/assign.pdf>, https://www.oregon.gov/owrd/WRDFormsPDF/Assign_by_proof.pdf
 Contact information about assignments is available at <https://www.oregon.gov/owrd/programs/WaterRights/Permits/Assignment/Pages/default.aspx>

To the WATER RESOURCES DIRECTOR OF OREGON:

1. **I/WE, THE TRANSFER HOLDER(S) OF RECORD**, do hereby make application for an extension of time within which to complete a change in (check all that apply):

- point(s) of diversion/appropriation
- place(s) of use
- character of use

under the terms of a final order of the Water Resources Director entered on November 6, 2012 for Transfer Number T-11299.

2. **THE FOLLOWING WORK HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED** toward completion of the change within the time allowed, which expired on October 1 2014:

The changes in point of appropriation and place of use have been completed and all 15.5 acres have been irrigated.

3. **TO FULLY COMPLETE THE CHANGE**, it will be necessary to accomplish the following:

We need to install a meter and start reading water levels annually in the month of March.

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4. I/WE ARE REQUESTING THE TIME FOR COMPLETION be extended to October 1, 2024 (year).

Transfer extensions can be authorized for one (1) calendar year from October 1 to October 1 of each year, or up to five (5) years for transfers involving municipal or quasi-municipal uses, unless the applicant can justify the need for a longer period of time by submission of pertinent evidence. OAR 690-380-6020 (3) and OAR 690-385-7200 (5).

5. I/WE CERTIFY THAT TO THE BEST OF MY/OUR KNOWLEDGE the information contained in this application is true and accurate.

11-6-23

Date



Signature of Applicant(s), i.e., Transfer Holder(s) of Record

6. IN ORDER FOR AN APPLICATION TO BE COMPLETE, it must be accompanied by the required fee. See the Department's fee schedule at https://www.oregon.gov/owrd/WRDFormsPDF/fee_schedule.pdf or call (503) 986-0900.

7. MAIL THE COMPLETED APPLICATION AND FEE TO:

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Tina Kotek, Governor

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October 19, 2023

Berry West LLC
9712 Nusom Rd NE
Silverton, OR 97381

Reference: Transfer T-11299

The assignment from Linda L. and Royal T. Harger to Blue Harvest Farms LLC c/o Justin and Keith Ditchen has been recorded in the records of the Water Resources Department.

The Departments records will now show Blue Harvest Farms LLC c/o Justin and Keith Ditchen as the transfer holder of record.

Our records have been changed accordingly and the original request is enclosed. Receipt number 141774 covering the recording fee is also enclosed.

A transfer is not a perfected water right, and has conditions and timelines that must be satisfied prior to a Certificate of Water Right being issued. Please review the transfer to be familiar with the conditions and timelines contained in the transfer.

Sincerely,

Mary F. Bjork
Water Rights Program Analyst
Water Right Services Division

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Enclosure: Original Request and Receipt 141774

cc: Linda L. & Royal T. Harger – 2905 Alexander Lane NE, Albany, OR 97321
Blue Harvest Farms LLC; c/o Justin & Keith Ditchen – 9712 Nusom Rd NE, Silverton, OR 97381
Data Center, OWRD (cover letter & request)
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