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April 8, 2024

Mary Bjork  
Oregon Water Resources Department  
725 Summer Street NE, Suite A  
Salem, OR 97301

RE: Limited Water Use License Application in the name of the City of Independence

Dear Ms. Bjork,

On behalf of the City of Independence (City), we are submitting the enclosed application for a Limited Water Use License and supporting documentation. Also enclosed is the \$310 application fee. The City is proposing to appropriate groundwater for municipal use at a total rate of up to 2.5 cfs from two wells: Polk Well 3 and Polk Well 4.

Ultimately, the City intends for Permit G-12134 to authorize appropriation of groundwater for municipal use from these wells, however, the needed water rights transactions to provide this authorization are expected to take several additional years. An application for an extension of time for Permit G-12134 is currently pending with the Department. After approval of the extension, the City intends to apply for a permit amendment to include Polk Wells 3 and 4 as authorized points of appropriation. The City is requesting this limited license to authorize the use of groundwater from these wells during the period while these water right transactions are pending.

The City uses groundwater for municipal purposes from its Polk Wellfield under Permit G-12134, and Certificates 99501 and 95502, and from its South Wellfield under Groundwater Registrations GR-3183, GR-3184 and GR-3185. The capacities of these wellfields, however, are currently less than the rates authorized by the associated water rights, and these capacities are roughly equivalent to the City's current peak demands. The City is, therefore, developing an additional well to provide sufficient water supply to meet its customers' near-term peak demands. Additionally, the combined authorized rate for Certificates 99501 and 95502 is somewhat less than the total combined capacities of the wells associated with these rights. (In the long term, this issue will also be addressed as part of the planned permit amendment for Permit G-12134 by adding Polk Well 3 to Permit G-12134.) As a result, the City is applying for this limited license to provide the City with authorization to appropriate needed groundwater from Polk Wells 3 and 4 while the permit extension application and subsequent permit amendment application for Permit G-12134 are being processed by the Department.

The City is requesting that the limited license authorize use of groundwater beginning July 15, 2024, which is the date that the City's current limited license expires. The City is requesting that the limited license authorize water use for five years, or until approval of the above-described permit extension and permit amendment for Permit G-12134.

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Please contact me if you have any questions. My telephone number is 541-257-9004.

Sincerely,

Kimberly Grigsby  
Principal Water Resources Consultant

Enclosures: Limited license application  
Check in the amount of \$310 for the application fee

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# Application for Limited Water Use License OWRD

License No.: LL-1973

### Applicant Information

NAME City of Independence		PHONE (HM)	
PHONE (WK) 503-838-1212	CELL	FAX	
ADDRESS P.O. Box 7			
CITY Independence	STATE OR	ZIP 97351	E-MAIL * G.FISHER@CI.INDEPENDENCE,OR.US

### Agent Information

NAME GSI Water Solutions, Inc. Attn: Kimberly Grigsby		PHONE 541-257-9004	FAX
ADDRESS 1600 SW Western Blvd, Suite 240			CELL
CITY Corvallis	STATE OR	ZIP 97333	E-MAIL * KGrigsby@gsiws.com

I (We) make application for a Limited License to use or store the following described surface waters or groundwater – not otherwise exempt, or to use stored water of for a use of a short-term or fixed-duration:

- SOURCE(S) OF WATER:** 2 wells (Polk Wells 3 & 4) a tributary of Willamette River
- AMOUNT OF WATER** to be diverted;  
 Maximum and instantaneous rate (cubic feet or gallons per minute): 2.5 cfs  
 Total volume (gallons or acre-feet): 1810 AF/year. If water is to be used from more than one source, give the quantity from each: up to 1.2 cfs from Polk Well 3; up to 1.3 cfs from Polk Well 4.

**3. INTENDED USE(S) OF WATER:** (check all that apply)

- Road construction or maintenance
- General construction
- Forestland and rangeland management; or
- Other: Municipal

**4. DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED PROJECT:** Include a description of the place of use as shown on the accompanying site map, the method of water diversion, the type of equipment to be used (including pump horsepower, if applicable), length and dimensions of supply ditches and pipelines:


Groundwater is to be appropriated from two wells (Polk Wells 3 & 4). Polk Well 3 (POLK 52307) and Polk Well 4 (POLK 54296) are described in the attached well logs (see Attachment A). Water will be conveyed through 20-inch PVC piping to the City's water treatment facility. Treated water will be distributed throughout the City's service area, which is shown in the map in Attachment B.

**5. PROJECT SCHEDULE:** (List day, month, and year)

Date water use will begin: The later of July 16, 2024 (after LL-1779 expires), or within fifteen days of issuance of the limited license  
 Date water use will be completed: Five years from issuance of limited license, or upon approval of a permit amendment authorizing appropriation from Polk Wells 3 & 4 under Permit G-12134  
 Months of the year water would be diverted and used: Year-round

If for other than irrigation from stored water, how and where will water be discharged after use:

Municipal water is treated at the City's Wastewater Treatment Facility and treated water is discharged into the Willamette River.

  
 Applicant Signature

GERALD FISHER, PWDIRECTOR  
 Print Name and title if applicable

03/18/24  
 Date

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**PLEASE READ CAREFULLY**

**NOTE:** A completed water availability statement from the local watermaster, Land Use Information Form completed by the local Planning Department, fees and site map meeting the requirements of OAR 690-340-030 must accompany this request. The fee for this request is **\$280** for the first point of diversion plus **\$30** for each additional point of diversion. Please review the Department's fee schedule to view fees required to request a limited license for Aquifer Storage and Recovery testing purposes or for Artificial Groundwater Recharge testing purposes.

**Failure to provide any of the required information will result in return of your application.** The license, if granted, will not be issued or replaced by a new license for a period of more than five consecutive years. The license, if granted, will be subordinate to all other authorized uses that rely upon the same source, or water affected by the source, and may be revoked at any time it is determined the use causes injury to any other water right or minimum perennial streamflow.

If water source is well, well logs or adequate information for the Department to determine aquifer, well depth, well seal and open interval, etc. are required. The licensee shall indicate the intended aquifer. If for multiple wells, each map location shall be clearly tied to a well log.

If a limited license is approved, the licensee shall give notice to the Department (Watermaster) at least 15 days in advance of using the water under the Limited License and shall maintain a record of use. The record of use shall include, but need not be limited to, an estimate of the amount of water used, the period of use and the categories of beneficial use to which the water is applied. During the period of the Limited License, the record of use shall be available for review by the Department upon request.

*\*A summary of review criteria and procedures that are generally applicable to these applications is available at:  
<http://www.oregon.gov/owrd/pages/pubs/forms.aspx>*

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**Mapping Requirements (OAR 690-340-0030):**

- (1) A request for a limited license shall be submitted on a form provided by the Water Resources Department, and shall be accompanied by the following:
  - a. A site map of reproducible quality, drawn to a standard, even scale of not less than 2 inches = 1 mile, showing:
    - i. The locations of all proposed points of diversion referenced by coordinates or by bearing and distance to the nearest established or projected public land survey corner;
    - ii. The general course of the source for the proposed use, if applicable;
    - iii. Other topographical features such as roads, streams, railroads, etc., which may be helpful in locating the diversion points in the field.

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**REMARKS:**

For WRD Use Only





STATE OF OREGON  
WATER SUPPLY WELL REPORT  
(as required by ORS 537.765)

WELL I.D. # L 68852  
START CARD # 161380 OWRD

Instructions for completing this report are on the last page of this form.

(1) LAND OWNER Well Number WELL #3  
Name CITY OF INDEPENDENCE  
Address 240 MONMOUTH ST.  
City INDEPENDENCE State OR. Zip 97351

(2) TYPE OF WORK  
 New Well  Deepening  Alteration (repair/recondition)  Abandonment

(3) DRILL METHOD:  
 Rotary Air  Rotary Mud  Cable  Auger  
 Other

(4) PROPOSED USE:  
 Domestic  Community  Industrial  Irrigation  
 Thermal  Injection  Livestock  Other Municipal

(5) BORE HOLE CONSTRUCTION:  
Special Construction approval  Yes  No Depth of Completed Well 52 ft.  
Explosives used  Yes  No Type \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \_\_\_\_\_

HOLE			SEAL			
Diameter	From	To	Material	From	To	Sacks or pounds
16"	0'	52'	CEMENT	0'	20'	21 SACKS

How was seal placed: Method  A  B  C  D  E  
 Other

Backfill placed from 42 ft. to 52 ft. Material 3/8 PEA GRAV.  
Gravel placed from 20 ft. to 22 ft. Size of gravel PEA GRAV.

(6) CASING/LINER:

Diameter	From	To	Gauge	Steel	Plastic	Welded	Threaded
12"	0'	22'	.250"	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12"	22'	52'	.250"	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Liner: \_\_\_\_\_

Drive Shoe used  Inside  Outside  None  
Final location of shoe(s) \_\_\_\_\_

(7) PERFORATIONS/SCREENS:

Perforations Method \_\_\_\_\_  
 Screens Type V-510T Material 304 SS

From	To	Slot size	Number	Diameter	Tele/pipe size	Casing	Liner
22'	32'	100		12"	PS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
32'	42'	60		12"	PS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

(8) WELL TESTS: Minimum testing time is 1 hour

Yield gal/min	Drawdown	Drill stem at	Flowing Time
900	10.5'		5 hrs
810	9.83'		3

Temperature of water 56° Depth Artesian Flow Found \_\_\_\_\_  
Was a water analysis done?  Yes By whom WATERLAB  
Did any strata contain water not suitable for inter. use?  Salty  Muddy  Odor  Colored  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Depth of strata \_\_\_\_\_

(9) LOCATION OF WELL by legal description:  
County POLK Latitude \_\_\_\_\_ Longitude \_\_\_\_\_  
Township 8S N or S Range 4W E or W. WM.  
Section 21 NW 1/4 SE 1/4  
Tax Lot 100 Lot \_\_\_\_\_ Block \_\_\_\_\_ Subdivision \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address of Well (or nearest address) In well field east of junction of Polk St & S. River Dr. 200' S. of #2 well

(10) STATIC WATER LEVEL:  
14'-8" ft. below land surface. Date 02-15-06  
Artesian pressure \_\_\_\_\_ lb. per square inch Date \_\_\_\_\_

(11) WATER BEARING ZONES:  
Depth at which water was first found 19'

From	To	Estimated Flow Rate	SWL
22'	42'	800+ GPM	14.67'

(12) WELL LOG:  
Ground Elevation \_\_\_\_\_

Material	From	To	SWL
Brown clay	0'	7'	
Brown sandy clay	7'	19'	
Gravel, small-med w/some coarse br. sand - w. B.	19'	39'	14.8
Gravel w/ fine sand - brown	39'	41'	14.8
Brown sand w/small gravel	41'	43'	
Small gravel w/ black sand and wood	43'	44'	
Black <del>fine</del> medium-coarse sand w/ small gravel + wood	44'	50'	
Blue clay w/ gravel	50'	52'	

Date started Nov. 23, '05 Completed FEB. 20, 2006

(unbonded) Water Well Constructor Certification:  
I certify that the work I performed on the construction, alteration, or abandonment of this well is in compliance with Oregon water supply well construction standards. Materials used and information reported above are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
Signed \_\_\_\_\_ WWC Number \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

(bonded) Water Well Constructor Certification:  
I accept responsibility for the construction, alteration, or abandonment work performed on this well during the construction dates reported above. All work performed during this time is in compliance with Oregon water supply well construction standards. This report is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
Signed Michael Waldrop WWC Number 633 Date FEB. 28, 06

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STATE OF OREGON WATER SUPPLY WELL REPORT (as required by ORS 537.765 & OAR 690-205-0210)

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WELL I.D. LABEL# 1 131610 START CARD # 1043407 ORIGINAL LOG #

(1) LAND OWNER Owner Well I.D. 6015 First Name Last Name Company City of Independence Address 555 S. Main St. City Independence State OR Zip 97351

(2) TYPE OF WORK [X] New Well [ ] Deepening [ ] Conversion Alteration (complete 2a & 10) Abandonment (complete 5a)

(2a) PRE-ALTERATION Dia + From To Gauge Std Plstc Wld Thrd Casing: Seal:

(3) DRILL METHOD [X] Rotary Air [ ] Rotary Mud [ ] Cable [ ] Auger [ ] Cable Mud [ ] Reverse Rotary [ ] Other

(4) PROPOSED USE [X] Domestic [ ] Irrigation [ ] Community [ ] Industrial/Commercial [ ] Livestock [ ] Dewatering [ ] Thermal [ ] Injection [ ] Other

(5) BORE HOLE CONSTRUCTION Special Standard (Attach copy) Depth of Completed Well 63.5 ft.

Table with columns: Dia, From, To, Material, SEAL, Amt, lbs. Rows for Cement and Bentonite.

How was seal placed: Method [ ] A [ ] B [X] C [ ] D [ ] E. Backfill placed from 15 ft. to 27 ft. Material fine sand Filter pack from 27 ft. to 63.5 ft. Material wash round Size 3/8"

(5a) ABANDONMENT USING UNHYDRATED BENTONITE Proposed Amount Pounds Actual Amount Pounds

(6) CASING/LINER Casing Liner Dia + From To Gauge Std Plstc Wld Thrd Shoe Inside Outside Other Location of shoe(s) Temp casing [X] Yes Dia 16 From 0 To 60

(7) PERFORATIONS/SCREENS Perforations Method Screens Type Wrap rib Material stainless Perf/S Casing/Screen green Liner Dia From To Scm/slot width Slot length # of slots Tele/pipe size

(8) WELL TESTS: Minimum testing time is 1 hour [X] Pump [ ] Bailer [ ] Air [ ] Flowing Artesian Yield gal/min Drawdown Drill stem/Pump depth Duration (hr)

Temperature 62 °F Lab analysis [ ] Yes By Water quality concerns? [ ] Yes (describe below) TDS amount 236 From To Description Amount Units

(9) LOCATION OF WELL (legal description) County POLK Twp 8 S N/S Range 4 W E/W WM Sec 21 NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 Tax Lot 2009 Tax Map Number Lot Lat Long Street address of well Nearest address End of Deanne Dr. - Lebanon, OR 97302

(10) STATIC WATER LEVEL Date SWL(psi) + SWL(ft) Existing Well / Pre-Alteration Completed Well 07-11-2019 19.5 Flowing Artesian? Dry Hole?

WATER BEARING ZONES Depth water was first found 25 SWL Date From To Est Flow SWL(psi) + SWL(ft)

(11) WELL LOG Ground Elevation Material From To Top Soil 0 2 Brown clay 2 5 Brown silty clay 5 20 Brown dirty gravel 20 52 Brown clay 52 56 Blue clay 56 64 RECEIVED AUG 27 2019 OWRD JONES DRILLING CO., INC. 29400 SANTIAM HWY. LEBANON, OR 97355 541-367-2560 541-451-2686 1-800-915-8388

Date Started 06-24-2019 Completed 07-11-2019 (unbonded) Water Well Constructor Certification I certify that the work I performed on the construction, deepening, alteration, or abandonment of this well is in compliance with Oregon water supply well construction standards. Materials used and information reported above are true to the best of my knowledge and belief. License Number 1411 Date 07-26-2019 Signed Kurt Martin

(bonded) Water Well Constructor Certification I accept responsibility for the construction, deepening, alteration, or abandonment work performed on this well during the construction dates reported above. All work performed during this time is in compliance with Oregon water supply well construction standards. This report is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. License Number 1684 Date 07-26-2019 Signed Contact Info (optional)

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**Attachment B**  
Application Map  
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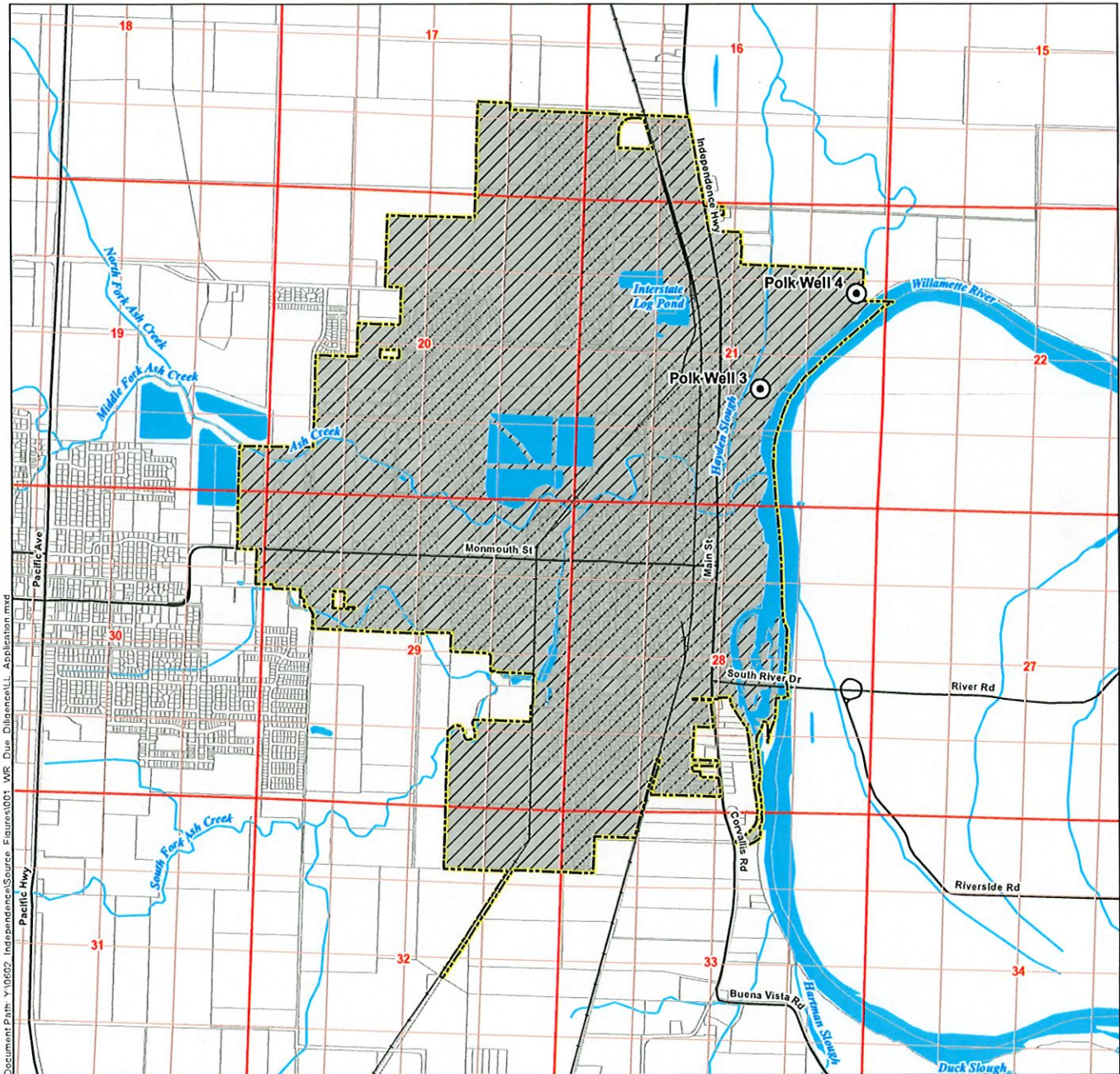
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## Proposed Place of Use and Points of Appropriation

### Township 8 South, Range 4 West (W.M.)

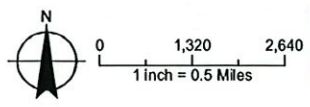


- LEGEND**
- Proposed Point of Appropriation (POA)
  - Proposed Place of Use
  - Watercourse
  - Waterbody
- All Other Features**
- City Limit
  - Railroad

**DISCLAIMER**  
This map was prepared for the purpose of identifying the location of a water right only and it is not intended to provide legal dimensions or location of property ownership lines.

**MAP NOTES**  
Date: March 12, 2019  
Data Sources: OGIC, City of Independence, BLM, ESRI, USGS

**POA LOCATION DESCRIPTION**  
**Proposed POA: Polk Well 3**  
Located 2,000 feet North and 2,080 feet West from the SE corner of Section 21, Township 8 South, Range 4 West (W.M.)  
**Proposed POA: Polk Well 4**  
Located 1,500 feet South and 480 feet West from the NE corner of Section 21, Township 8 South, Range 4 West (W.M.)



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# Attachment C

## Land Use Information Form

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# Land Use Information Form



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## NOTE TO APPLICANTS

In order for your application to be processed by the Oregon Water Resources Department (OWRD), this Land Use Information Form must be completed by a local government planning official in the jurisdiction(s) where your water right will be diverted, conveyed, used, and developed. The planning official may choose to complete the form while you wait or return the "Receipt Acknowledging Request for Land Use Information" to you. Applications received by OWRD without the Land Use Information Form, or the signed receipt, will be returned to you. **IMPORTANT:** Please note that while OWRD can accept a signed receipt as part of intake for an application for a new permit to use or store water, a completed Land Use Information Form is required for OWRD's acceptance of all other applications. Please be aware that your application cannot be approved without land use approval.

### This form is NOT required if:

- 1) Water is to be diverted, conveyed, and used on federal lands only; **OR**
- 2) The application is for a water right transfer, allocation of conserved water, exchange, permit amendment, or ground water registration modification, and all of the following apply:
  - a. The existing and proposed water use is located entirely within lands zoned for exclusive farm-use or within an irrigation district;
  - b. The application involves a change in place of use only;
  - c. The change does not involve the placement or modification of structures, including but not limited to water diversion, impoundment, distribution facilities, water wells and well houses; and
  - d. The application involves irrigation water uses only.

## NOTE TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS

The person presenting the attached Land Use Information Form is applying for a new water right or modifying an existing water right. The Oregon Water Resources Department (OWRD) requires applicants to obtain land use information to ensure the water right does not result in land uses that are incompatible with your comprehensive plan. Please complete the form and return it to the applicant for inclusion in their application. **NOTE:** For new water right applications only, if you are unable to complete this form while the applicant waits, you may complete the "Receipt Acknowledging Request for Land Use Information" and return it to the applicant.

You will receive notice via OWRD's weekly Public Notice once the applicant formally submits their request to OWRD. The notice will give more information about OWRD's water right process and provide additional comment opportunities. If you previously only completed the receipt for an application for a new permit to use or store water, you will have 30 days from the Public Notice date to complete the Land Use Information Form and return it to OWRD. Your attention to this request for information is greatly appreciated. If you have questions concerning this form, please contact OWRD's Customer Service Group at 503-986-0900 or [WRD\\_DL\\_customerservice@water.oregon.gov](mailto:WRD_DL_customerservice@water.oregon.gov).

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NOTE TO APPLICANTS

In order for your application to be processed by the Oregon Health Division (OHD), you must first obtain a permit from the local government agency that has jurisdiction over the area where the proposed project will be located. This permit is required for all projects, regardless of whether they are for residential, commercial, or industrial purposes. The local government agency will issue the permit only after it has reviewed the project and determined that it complies with all applicable local laws and regulations. Once you have obtained the permit, you must submit it along with your application to the OHD. The OHD will then review your application and determine whether it meets the requirements of the Oregon Health Division Act. If your application is approved, you will be issued a permit to proceed with the project. If your application is denied, you will be notified of the reasons for the denial and you will have the opportunity to appeal the decision.

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NOTE TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS

The Oregon Health Division (OHD) is the state agency responsible for regulating the health care industry in Oregon. The OHD's primary mission is to protect the public health and safety of Oregonians by ensuring that health care facilities and services meet the highest standards of quality and safety. The OHD's jurisdiction extends to all health care facilities and services, including hospitals, nursing homes, long-term care facilities, and ambulatory care centers. The OHD's regulations are designed to ensure that health care facilities and services are safe, effective, and of high quality. The OHD's regulations are based on the Oregon Health Division Act, which is the state's primary legislation governing the health care industry. The OHD's regulations are also based on the best available scientific and medical evidence. The OHD's regulations are subject to periodic review and revision to ensure that they remain current and effective. The OHD's regulations are also subject to public comment and input from health care providers and other stakeholders. The OHD's regulations are a key component of the state's health care regulatory system and are essential for protecting the public health and safety of Oregonians.

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The following section must be completed by a planning official from each county and city listed unless the project will be located entirely within the city limits. In that case, only the city planning agency must complete this form. This deals only with the local land use plan. Do not include approval for activities such as building or grading permits.

**Please check the appropriate box below and provide the requested information**

- Land uses to be served by the proposed water use(s), including proposed construction, are allowed outright or are not regulated by your comprehensive plan. Cite applicable ordinance section(s): \_\_\_\_\_
- Land uses to be served by the proposed water use(s), including proposed construction, involve discretionary land-use approvals as listed in the table below. (Please attach documentation of applicable land-use approvals which have already been obtained. Record of Action/land-use decision and accompanying findings are sufficient.) **If approvals have been obtained but all appeal periods have not ended, check "Being Pursued."**

Type of Land-Use Approval Needed (e.g., plan amendments, rezones, conditional-use permits, etc.)	Cite Most Significant, Applicable Plan Policies & Ordinance Section References	Land-Use Approval:	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Obtained <input type="checkbox"/> Denied	<input type="checkbox"/> Being Pursued <input type="checkbox"/> Not Being Pursued
		<input type="checkbox"/> Obtained <input type="checkbox"/> Denied	<input type="checkbox"/> Being Pursued <input type="checkbox"/> Not Being Pursued
		<input type="checkbox"/> Obtained <input type="checkbox"/> Denied	<input type="checkbox"/> Being Pursued <input type="checkbox"/> Not Being Pursued
		<input type="checkbox"/> Obtained <input type="checkbox"/> Denied	<input type="checkbox"/> Being Pursued <input type="checkbox"/> Not Being Pursued

Local governments are invited to express special land use concerns or make recommendations to the Oregon Water Resources Department regarding this proposed use of water in the box below or on a separate sheet.

Name: Fred Evander Title: Planning Manager  
 Signature: [Signature] Date: 3.25.2024  
 Governmental Entity: Independence Phone: 503.837.1168

**Receipt Acknowledging Request for Land Use Information**

**Note to Local Government Representative:**  
 Please complete this form and return it to the applicant. **For new water right applications only**, if you are unable to complete this form while the applicant waits, you may complete this receipt and return it to the applicant. If you sign the receipt, you will have 30 days from the date of OWRD's Public Notice of the application to submit the completed Land Use Information Form to Oregon Water Resources Department. Please note while OWRD can accept a signed receipt as part of intake for an application for a new permit to use or store water, a completed Land Use Information Form is required for all other applications.

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Staff Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Staff Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Governmental Entity: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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## **Attachment D**

Water Availability Statement

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**This page to be completed by the local Watermaster.**

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**WATER AVAILABILITY STATEMENT**

Name of Applicant: City of Independence Limited License Number: LL-1973

1. To your knowledge, has the stream or basin that is the source for this application ever been regulated for prior rights?

Yes  No

If yes, please explain:

2. Based on your observations, would there be water available in the quantity and at the times needed to supply the use proposed by this application?

Yes  No

3. Do you observe this stream system during regular fieldwork?

Yes  No

If yes, what are your observations for the stream?

Source is two wells not a stream

4. If the source is a well and if WRD were to determine that there is the potential for substantial interference with nearby surface water sources, would there still be ground water and surface water available during the time requested and in the amount requested without injury to existing water rights?

Yes  No  N/A

What would you recommend for conditions on a limited license that may be issued approving this application?

5. Any other recommendations you would like to make?

NA

Signature Joel Plahn Digitally signed by Joel Plahn  
DN: cn=US, ou=District 22 Watermaster,  
o=Water Resources Department, cn=Joel  
Plahn, e=joel.m.plahn@water.oregon.gov  
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