

FINDINGS OF FACT

The Department adopts and incorporates by reference the findings of fact in the Proposed Final Order dated January 7, 2025.

At time of issuance of the Proposed Final Order the Department concluded that, based on the factors demonstrated by the applicant, any comments received, and information within the file, the permit may be extended subject to the following conditions:

LIMITATIONS AND CONDITIONS

1. **Well Repair and Development Limitation Condition**

The use of water under Permit G-17129 and the perfection of the appropriation authorized by Permit G-17129 is limited to no more than 0.66 cubic feet per second combined from Well C and Well D, for irrigation of 210 acres, unless Well E is repaired to appropriate water only from the sand and gravel aquifer. Upon satisfactory repair of Well E, as approved by the Department Ground Water Section, the actual capacity of water available from Well E, acquired only from the Sand and Gravel aquifer, up to 0.44 cfs, that is applied to beneficial use, may be included in addition to the 0.66 cfs of water from Well C and Well D.

2. **Last Extension Condition**

This shall be the last extension of time that will be authorized for Permit G-17129. Any future requests for an extension of time will be denied.

3. **No Permit Amendment Condition**

The Permit Holder may not submit any additional Permit Amendment Applications to the Department under Permit G-17129. Any Permit Amendment Application submitted for Permit G-17129 will be denied.

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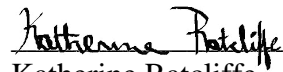
CONCLUSION OF LAW

The applicant has demonstrated good cause for the permit extension pursuant to ORS 537.630, 539.010(5) and OAR 690-315-0040(2).

ORDER

The extension of time for Application G-14868, Permit G-17129, therefore, is approved subject to conditions contained herein. The deadline for applying water to full beneficial use within the terms and conditions of the permit is extended from October 30, 2023, to October 1, 2026.

DATED: April 18, 2025

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Katherine Ratcliffe
Water Right Services Division Administrator, for
Ivan Gall, Director
Oregon Water Resources Department

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- If you have any questions about statements contained in this document, please contact the Permit Extension Specialist at (503) 979-3213.
 - If you have other questions about the Department or any of its programs, please contact our Water Resources Customer Service Group at (503) 986-0900
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2. None

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