

Oregon Water Resources Department
Water Right Services Division

Application for Extension of Time

In the Matter of the Application for an Extension of Time)
for Permit S-55248, Water Right Application S-88730) FINAL ORDER
in the name of Boise Cascade Wood Products LLC)

Application:	S-88730
Permit:	S-55248
Basin:	Grande Ronde / Watermaster District 6
Date of Priority:	August 13, 2019
Source of Water:	Elgin Complex Process Waste Pond 2, constructed under Permit R-15380, tributary to Grande Ronde River
Purpose or Use:	industrial/manufacturing and irrigation of 90.9 acres
Maximum Volume:	90.0 acre-feet (AF)

This Extension of Time request is being processed in accordance with Oregon Revised Statute 537.230 and 539.010(5), and Oregon Administrative Rule Chapter 690, Division 315.

Appeal Rights

This final order is subject to judicial review by the Court of Appeals under ORS 183.482. Any petition for judicial review must be filed within the 60-day time period specified by ORS 183.482(1). Pursuant to ORS 536.075 and OAR 137-003-0675, you may petition for judicial review or petition the Director for reconsideration of this order. A petition for reconsideration may be granted or denied by the Director, and if no action is taken within 60 days following the date the petition was filed, the petition shall be deemed denied.

Application History

Permit S-55248 was issued by the Department on February 6, 2020. The permit specified complete application of water to beneficial use by February 6, 2025. On February 3, 2025, Boise Cascade Wood Products LLC submitted an Application for Extension of Time for Permit S-55248. In accordance with OAR 690-315-0050(2), on June 3, 2025, the Department issued a Proposed Final Order proposing to extend the time to apply water to full beneficial use from February 6, 2025, to October 1, 2029. The protest period closed July 18, 2025, in accordance with OAR 690-315-0060(1). No protest was filed.

FINDINGS OF FACT

The Department adopts and incorporates by reference the findings in the Proposed Final Order dated June 3, 2025.

At time of issuance of the Proposed Final Order the Department concluded that, based on the factors demonstrated by the applicant, the permit may be extended subject to no additional conditions.

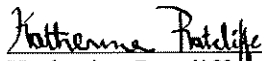
CONCLUSION OF LAW

The applicant has demonstrated good cause for the permit extension pursuant to ORS 537.230, 539.010(5) and OAR 690-315-0040(2).

ORDER

The extension of time for Application S-88730, Permit S-55248, therefore, is approved. The deadline for applying water to full beneficial use within the terms and conditions of the permit is extended from February 6, 2025, to October 1, 2029.

DATED: August 8, 2025



Katherine Ratcliffe

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

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