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February 19, 2026

VIA E-MAIL

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15333 Pletzer Rd. SE
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Roseburg Forest Products
PO Box 288
Dillard, OR 97432

SUBJECT: Specific to General Industrial Notification – Certificates 52974, 75434, 91143, 89043, 34980, 37703, 19785, 76588, 23958, 23959, 23960, 23961, 26351, 26352, 47590, 47589, 76587, and 19783

Dear Roseburg Forest Products,

We have received your letters of February 10, 2026, notifying the Department that Roseburg Forest Products is changing from the specific industrial uses of Stored water under Certificates 75434, 91143, 23959, 23960, 26351, 47589, and 19783 and Surface water uses under Certificates 52974, 89043, 34980, 37703, 19785, 76588, 23958, 23961, 26352, 47590, and 76587, to general industrial uses.

Any general use (new use) of water will continue to occur within the property of the original water right, and the quantity of water used for general industrial purposes will not be greater than the rates and volumes allowed under the original water rights.

The requirements for making the change are established under ORS 540.520(9) and OAR 690-380-2340. Your letters appear to include all of the information required under the statutes and rules. We will file your notifications in our water right records.

Current statutes and rules do not include a process for Department review and approval of notifications of specific to general industrial changes. Any issues associated with eligibility and compliance will be addressed by the Watermaster during normal distribution and regulation activities.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at 503-986-0892 or Joan.M.Smith@water.oregon.gov if I may be of assistance.

Sincerely,

Transfer Specialist
Transfer and Conservation Section

cc: Susan M. Douthit, District 15 Watermaster (*via e-mail*)

Request Filed February 10, 2026					
Certificate	CFS/Total	AF/Total	TYPE	Source	Previous USE
52974	1.56		Surface	S. Umpqua R. trib to Umpqua R	Wood products manufacturing including log storage
75434		121.0	Stored	S. Umpqua R. trib to Umpqua R	Log Storage
91143		164.0	Stored	S. Umpqua R. trib to Umpqua R	Log storage use- Ponds 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 (tank), and 8 (tank)
89043	0.19		Surface	S. Umpqua R. trib to Umpqua R	Wood products manufacturing including log storage
34980	2.0		Surface	S. Umpqua R. trib to Umpqua R	Industrial use including fire protection
37703	3.0		Surface	S. Umpqua R. trib to Umpqua R	Industrial and fire protection
19785	0.45		Surface	Cow Creek trib to Umpqua R	Log pond and boilers
76588	0.20		Surface	Cow Creek and Reservoir trib to S. Umpqua R.	Manufacturing and Fire protection
23958	1.0		Surface	Coquille R. trib to Pacific Ocean	Manufacturing and maintenance of log pond constructed under Permit R-1533
23959		211.2	Stored	Coquille R. trib to Pacific Ocean	Log pond
23960		270.0	Stored	Coquille R. trib to Pacific Ocean	Log pond
23961	1.0		Surface	Coquille R. trib to Pacific Ocean	Maintenance of log pond No. 2 constructed under Permit R-1631
26351		180.0	Stored	Coquille R. trib to Pacific Ocean	Log pond
26352	0.10		Surface	Coquille R. trib to Pacific Ocean	Maintenance of log pond constructed under Permit R-1966
47590	0.93		Surface	Cow Creek and Reservoir trib to S. Umpqua R.	Industrial and fire protection
47589		6.9	Stored	Cow Creek trib to S. Umpqua R.	Fire protection and industrial
76587	1.51		Surface	Cow Creek and Reservoir (Cert-19783) trib to S. Umpqua R.	Manufacturing including log pond, boiler plant, and fire protection
19783		119.4	Stored	Cow Creek trib to Umpqua R	Log pond, manufacturing, boiler plant and fire protection



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Re: Water Right Certificate 47590 Specific-to-General Industrial Water Use Change

The following memo provides the information necessary to complete the specific-to-general industrial water use change for the above certificate.

OAR 690-380-2340

- (1) *The quantity of water used for the general industrial use is not greater than the rate allowed in the original water right and not greater than the quantity of water diverted to satisfy the authorized specific use under the original water right;*

The quantity of water used for general industrial use will not exceed 0.93 cfs.

- (2) *The location where the water used for the general industrial use was owned by the holder of the original water right at the time the water right permit was issued;*

Yes, Roseburg Lumber Company.

- (3) *The person who makes the change in water use provides the following information to the Department:*

- (a) *The name and mailing address of the person using water under the water right;*

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- (b) *The water right certificate number;*

47590

- (c) *A description of the location of the industrial facility owned by the holder of the original water right at the time the water right permit was issued;*

T30S, R6W, Section 23, SENE/NESE/SESW/NESE/NWSE/SWSE/SESE

T30S, R6W, Section 26, NENW

- (d) *The quantity of water diverted to satisfy the authorized specific use under the original water right;*

0.93 cfs

- (e) *A description of the general industrial use to be made of the water after the change.*

Use of water as part of the wood products manufacturing process, including log storage and fire protection.



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Ownership Update for Certificated Rights Only

NO FEES ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THIS FORM

NOTICE: A certificate of water right typically stays with the land. To track water right ownership, the Department requests that this form be submitted to the Department. **To update multiple rights, a separate form is required for each right.** If you have any questions about this form, please contact your local watermaster, or call the Water Resources Department at (503) 986-0900.

Note: Use the assignment form to change ownership on pending applications, permits, transfers, groundwater registrations, or limited licenses.

Current Landowner Information				
Name:	Roseburg Forest Products			
Mailing Address:	PO Box 288			
City:	Dillard	State:	OR	Zip: 97432
Phone:	(541) 679-2136	Email:	kristanab@rfpco.com	

Property Information				
County:	Douglas	Township:	30S	Range: 6W
Tax Lot #:	100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600			
Street Address of Water Right:	Riddle By-Pass Rd., Riddle, OR 97469			
Water Right Information				
Application:	S-45837			
Permit:	S-34222			
Certificate:	47590			
Are all the lands associated with this water right owned by the requestor? ☒ Yes ☐ No				
(If no, include a map showing the portion of the water right involved)				

Signature and Date	
Name of individual completing form:	Kristana Becherer
Phone or email:	kristanab@rfpco.com
Signature of requestor:	<i>Kristana Becherer</i>
Date:	2/4/2026

The Department does not change names on water right certificates. This form will be placed in the file for future reference only. If mailed, the Department will not provide acknowledgment of receipt.

This form can be mailed to the address above or sent by email to wrd_dl_customerservice@water.oregon.gov

STATE OF OREGON

COUNTY OF

DOUGLAS

CERTIFICATE OF WATER RIGHT

This Is to Certify, That

ROSEBURG LUMBER COMPANY

of P. O. Box 1088, Roseburg, State of Oregon, 97470, has made proof to the satisfaction of the Water Resources Director, of a right to the use of the waters of Cow Creek and reservoir constructed under Permit No. R-5448

a tributary of South Umpqua River
industrial and fire protection

for the purpose of

under Permit No. 34222 and that said right to the use of said waters has been perfected in accordance with the laws of Oregon; that the priority of the right hereby confirmed dates from March 11, 1969

that the amount of water to which such right is entitled and hereby confirmed, for the purposes aforesaid, is limited to an amount actually beneficially used for said purposes, and shall not exceed 0.93 cubic foot per second, being 0.70 c.f.s. for industrial and 0.23 c.f.s. for fire protection and shall be limited to the period from October 1 to April 1 of each year

or its equivalent in case of rotation, measured at the point of diversion from the stream. The point of diversion is located in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, as projected within Catching DLC 43, Section 26, T. 30 S., R. 6 W., W. M., 5710 feet South and 20 feet East from the NW Corner, Flint DLC 45

The amount of water used for irrigation, together with the amount secured under any other right existing for the same lands, shall be limited to ----- of one cubic foot per second per acre,

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and shall

conform to such reasonable rotation system as may be ordered by the proper state officer.

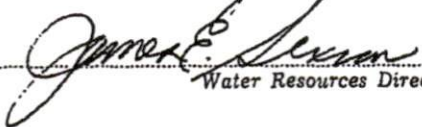
A description of the place of use under the right hereby confirmed, and to which such right is appurtenant, is as follows:

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$	NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	As projected within Catching DLC 43
Both as projected within Vandebosch DLC 47	NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$	As projected within Nichols DLC 44
As projected within Nichols DLC 44	Section 26
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$	T. 30 S., R. 6 W., W. M.
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	
SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$	
All as projected within Flint DLC 45	
Section 23	
T. 30 S., R. 6 W., W. M.	

The right to the use of the water for the purposes aforesaid is restricted to the lands or place of use herein described and is subject to the existing minimum flow policies established by the Water Policy Review Board.

WITNESS the signature of the Water Resources Director, affixed

this date. March 16, 1979

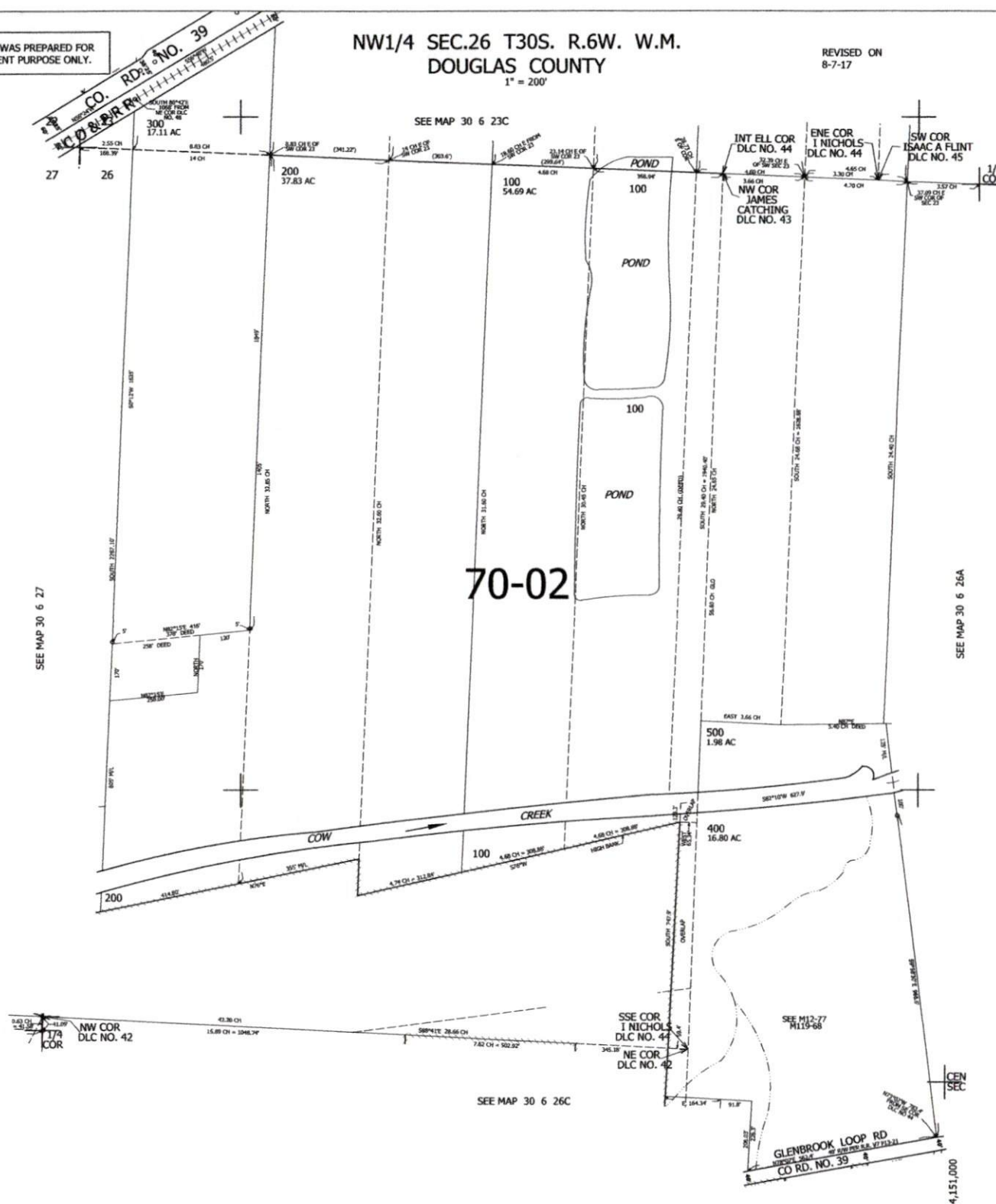

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NW1/4 SEC.26 T30S. R.6W. W.M.
DOUGLAS COUNTY
1" = 200'

REVISED ON
8-7-17

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CANCELLED NO'S

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Upper Left:
123°23'28"W 42°57'29"N
4147540E 483967N R

SEC.23 T.30S. R.06W. W.M.
DOUGLAS COUNTY
1" = 400'

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CANCELLED NOS:
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