

Application for an Emergency Use Permit for Groundwater (Drought)



Oregon Water Resources Department
725 Summer Street NE, Suite A
Salem, Oregon 97301-1266
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SECTION 1: APPLICANT INFORMATION AND SIGNATURE

Applicant Information

NAME			PHONE (HM)
PHONE (WK)	CELL		FAX
ADDRESS			
CITY	STATE	ZIP	E-MAIL*

Organization Information

NAME Bounds Hay Company, LLC; Jesse Bounds, Owner			PHONE 541-998-3795	FAX
ADDRESS 1720 SW Jericho Lane			CELL 541-556-8881	
CITY Culver	STATE OR	ZIP 97448	E-MAIL* jesse@boundshay.com	

Agent Information – The agent is authorized to represent the applicant in all matters relating to this application.

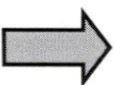
AGENT / BUSINESS NAME Jim Newton/Cascade Geoengineering, LLC			PHONE 360-907-4162	FAX
ADDRESS 21145 Scottsdale DR			CELL 360-907-4162	
CITY Bend	STATE OR	ZIP 97701	E-MAIL* newtonjim@hotmail.com	

Note: Attach multiple copies as needed

* By providing an e-mail address, consent is given to receive all correspondence from the Department electronically.
(A paper copy of the final order will also be mailed.)

By my signature below I confirm that I understand:

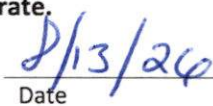
- I am asking to use water specifically as described in this application.
- Evaluation of this application will be based on information provided in the application.
- I cannot use water legally until the Water Resources Department issues a permit.
- Oregon law requires that a permit be issued before beginning construction of any proposed well. Acceptance of this application neither guarantees an emergency use permit will be issued nor indicates that a permanent water right may be obtained.
- If I get a permit, I must not waste water.
- If development of the water use is not according to the terms of the permit, the permit can be cancelled.
- The water use must be compatible with local comprehensive land-use plans.
- Even if the Department issues a permit, I may have to stop using water to allow senior water-right holders to get water to which they are entitled.

 I (we) affirm that the information contained in this application is true and accurate.


Applicant Signature

Jesse Bounds, Owner

Print Name and title if applicable


Date

Applicant Signature

Print Name and title if applicable

Date

SECTION 2: PROPERTY OWNERSHIP

Please indicate if you own all the lands associated with the project from which the water is to be diverted, conveyed, and used.

☐ Yes

- ☐ There are no encumbrances.
- ☐ This land is encumbered by easements, rights of way, roads or other encumbrances.

☒ No

- ☒ I have a recorded easement or written authorization permitting access.
- ☐ I do not currently have written authorization or easement permitting access.
- ☐ Written authorization or an easement is not necessary, because the only affected lands I do not own are state-owned submersible lands, and this application is for irrigation and/or domestic use only (ORS 274.040).
- ☐ Water is to be diverted, conveyed, and/or used only on federal lands.

List the names and mailing addresses of all affected landowners (*attach additional sheets if necessary*).

Tax Lot 100, T12S, R13E, Sec 22 NW-SW, leased from:
BITNER, AARON N & AUSTIN D
PO BOX 16
CULVER OR 97734-0016

All other lands owned by Bounds HayCompany, LLC

SECTION 3: WELL DEVELOPMENT

WELL NO.	NAME OF NEAREST SURFACE WATER	IF LESS THAN 1 MILE:	
		DISTANCE TO NEAREST SURFACE WATER	ELEVATION CHANGE BETWEEN NEAREST SURFACE WATER AND WELL HEAD
1	Haystack Reservoir	Approx. 4,900 feet S-Se	Approx. 40' below reservoir crest

Please provide any information for your existing or proposed well(s) that you believe may be helpful in evaluating your application. For existing wells, describe any previous alteration(s) or repair(s) not documented in the attached well log or other materials (*attach additional sheets if necessary*).

The newly installed Well #1 is intended to be installed as a both as an exempt domestic well for home use, and to be used for emergency drought use under this and any future emergency drought permit application to provide supplemental water for deficient surface water irrigation delivered by North Unit Irrigation District.

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SECTION 3: WELL DEVELOPMENT, CONTINUED

Source (aquifer), if known: Deschutes Formation

Total maximum rate requested: 1.83 cfs

(each well will be evaluated at the maximum rate unless you indicate well-specific rates and annual volumes in the table below)

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Complete the table below. If this is an existing well, the following information may be found on the applicable well log. *(If a well log is available, please submit it in addition to completing the table.)* If this is a proposed well, or well-modification, consider consulting with a licensed well driller, geologist, or certified water right examiner.

OWNER'S WELL NAME OR NO.	PROPOSED	EXISTING	WELL ID (WELL TAG) NO.* OR WELL LOG ID**	FLOWING ARTESIAN	CASING DIAMETER	CASING INTERVALS (IN FEET)	PERFORATED OR SCREENED INTERVALS (IN FEET)	SEAL INTERVALS (IN FEET)	MOST RECENT STATIC WATER LEVEL & DATE (IN FEET)	PROPOSED USE			
										SOURCE AQUIFER***	TOTAL WELL DEPTH	WELL-SPECIFIC RATE (GPM)	ANNUAL VOLUME (ACRE-FEET)
Well #1	☐	☒	JEFF-51858	☐	10"	+2-705'	565'-585'; 625'-645'; 685'-705'	0-200'	310' bgs	Deschutes Fm	705'	820 gpm	up to 251.4
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* Licensed drillers are required to attach a Department-supplied Well Tag, with a unique Well ID or Well Tag Number to all new or newly altered wells. Landowners can request a Well ID for existing wells that do not have one. The Well ID is intended to serve as a unique identification number for each well.

** A well log ID (e.g. MARI 1234) is assigned by the Department to each log in the agency's well log database. A separate well log is required for each subsequent alteration of the well.

*** Source aquifer examples: Troutdale Formation, gravel and sand, alluvium, basalt, bedrock, etc.

SECTION 4: WATER USE

USE	PERIOD OF USE	ANNUAL VOLUME (ACRE-FEET)
Irrigation	April 1-October 31	up to 251.4 Ac-Ft (up to 3'/Ac duty)

Rights affected by drought:County in which use will occur: Jefferson

(if the right is located in Klamath Basin/County you must complete Section 8)

Please indicate the total number of acres to be irrigated (must match map): 146.7 acresList the Permit or Certificate number(s) of the water right(s) affected by drought: C-72279 & 72281; Permit S-55394Indicate the maximum total number of acre-feet you expect to use in an irrigation season: 251.4 Ac-Ft**SECTION 5: WATER MANAGEMENT****A. Diversion and Conveyance**

What equipment will you use to pump water from your well(s)?

☒ Pump (give horsepower and type): 125 Hp submersible pump☐ Other means (describe): _____

Provide a description of the proposed means of diversion, construction, and operation of the diversion works and conveyance of water.

New well for use for irrigation will pump into a small pond to allow the existing irrigatin pump and piped distribution to pivots and hand lines. New well #1 is installed in the immediate vicinity of the NUID irrigation delivery pipe and existing pump station, so that once surface water is regulated off and/or restricted, the well can pump directly into the existing steel pipeline(s) and deliver pressurized irrigation directly to existing on-farm sprinkler & pivot irrigation.

B. Conservation

Please describe why the amount of water requested is needed and measures you propose to: prevent waste; measure the amount of water diverted; and prevent the discharge of contaminated water to a surface stream.

The proposed emergency drought water is only intended to be used when insufficient surface water delivery from NUID is not available or further restricted. Well water would be pumped under pressure through an installed totalizing flow meter and used using the existing pressurized steel pipelines for delivery to on-farm sprinkler and pivot irrigation to be used without waste. This emergency drought permit water is intended to allow the Applicant to cultivate existing crops to full harvest and allow for late irrigation season seeding starts for 2027 irrigation season, whereas, without full season irrigation crops would not mature to a harvest condition and further limit and restrict development of seed germination for the 2027 irrigation season.

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SECTION 6: WITHIN A DISTRICT

- ☐ Check here if any of the water rights affected by drought are located within or served by an irrigation or other water district.

Irrigation District Name North Unit Irrigation District	Address 2024 NW Beech Street	
City Madras	State Oregon	Zip 97741

- ☐ Yes ☒ No Has the irrigation district transferred the primary irrigation water right to another place of use for this irrigation season?

Projected irrigation season allotment, if known: 188.7 Ac-Ft (approx 1.28 Ac-Ft/Ac)

SECTION 7: DROUGHT INFORMATION

Explain how drought conditions have created an inability to obtain water under your existing right(s), and any other remarks to clarify any other information (*attach additional sheets as necessary*).

Based on notifications with North Unit Irrigation District (NUID), [surface] water deliveries from NUID will be deficient this season, and since NUID is a storage reservoir only district from surface water source for diversion (Wickiup Reservoir, primary; and Prineville Reservoir, supplemental), with exceptionally low snowpack resulting in limited reservoir storage exacerbated by flow impacts from the Deschutes Basin Habitat Conservation Plan, it is likely that water delivery from NUID may stop mid-season and be very limited in duty, based on indications from NUID. Since the Applicant grows crops with multiple harvest periods and new seeding in the late irrigation season requires irrigation water, a partial irrigation season does not allow crops to develop to a point of full harvest and may limit seed crop germination in anticipation of the 2027 growing season.

Since very low winter and springtime precipitation is extremely low and has produced low residual soil moisture going into the start of irrigation season, it is anticipated that water use will be significantly curtailed as a result of low soil moisture content and low snowpack that has limited storage reservoir capacity and will reduce the length of the delivery of irrigation water from NUID.

These drought conditions combine to create a significant hardship for the Applicant, who is a local farm contributing directly to the Central Oregon feed and food market.

Additionally, the Applicant is applying for irrigation usage on owned lands (owner is Bounds Hay Company, LLC) and the neighboring lands leased from Bitner, Aaron N. and Austin D.. Ownership documents show lands owned by Bounds Hay Company, LLC and Bitner ownership, with NUID document shows lands operated by Bounds Hay Company, LLC leased from Bitner.

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SECTION 8: KLAMATH BASIN/COUNTY WELL INFORMATION

PLEASE NOTE: Due to the pervasive drought and rapidly declining groundwater levels in the Klamath Basin, the Oregon Water Resources Department is unlikely to issue Drought Emergency Use Permits for groundwater in the Klamath Basin.

A functioning, totalizing flowmeter will be required for any drought permits issued. Is there currently a flowmeter installed on each of the PODs listed in the table in Section 3 of this application? ☐ Yes ☐ No*

*Please note that watermaster staff will visit the well to confirm flowmeter presence prior to issuance of an emergency drought groundwater permit. Where possible, watermaster staff will take a static water level measurement. Alterations to the well head may be required in order to make the water level measurements and these may be conditions of the permit.

For each well, please provide a description of the flowmeter location, the serial number, the current flowmeter reading and the date the reading was taken in the table below.

OWNER'S WELL NAME OR NUMBER.	WELL TAG NUMBER (IF AVAILABLE)	WELL LOG ID (E.G., KLAM 1234)	FLOWMETER SERIAL NUMBER	FLOWMETER READING	FLOWMETER DATE	FLOWMETER LOCATION

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WE ARE RETURNING YOUR APPLICATION FOR THE FOLLOWING REASON(S):

- ☐ SECTION 1: _____
- ☐ SECTION 2: _____
- ☐ SECTION 3: _____
- ☐ SECTION 4: _____
- ☐ SECTION 5: _____
- ☐ SECTION 6: _____
- ☐ SECTION 7: _____
- ☐ SECTION 8: _____
- ☐ Fees _____

MAP

- ☐ Permanent quality and drawn in ink
- ☐ Even map scale not less than 4" = 1 mile (example: 1" = 400 ft, 1" = 1320 ft, etc.)
- ☐ North Directional Symbol
- ☐ Township, Range, Section, Quarter/Quarter, Tax Lots
- ☐ Reference corner on map
- ☐ Location of each well, and/or dam if applicable, by reference to a recognized public land survey corner (distances north/south and east/west). Each well must be identified by a unique name and/or number.
- ☐ Indicate the area of use by Quarter/Quarter and tax lot clearly identified
- ☐ Number of acres per Quarter/Quarter and hatching to indicate area of use if for supplemental irrigation or nursery
- ☐ Location of main canals, ditches, pipelines or flumes
- ☐ Other _____

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STATE OF OREGON WELL LOCATION MAP

This map is supplemental to the WATER SUPPLY WELL REPORT

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LOCATION OF WELL

Latitude: 44.50760000 Datum: WGS84

Longitude: -121.16467000

Township/Range/Section/Quarter-Quarter Section:

WM12.00S13.00E22SWSW

Address of Well:

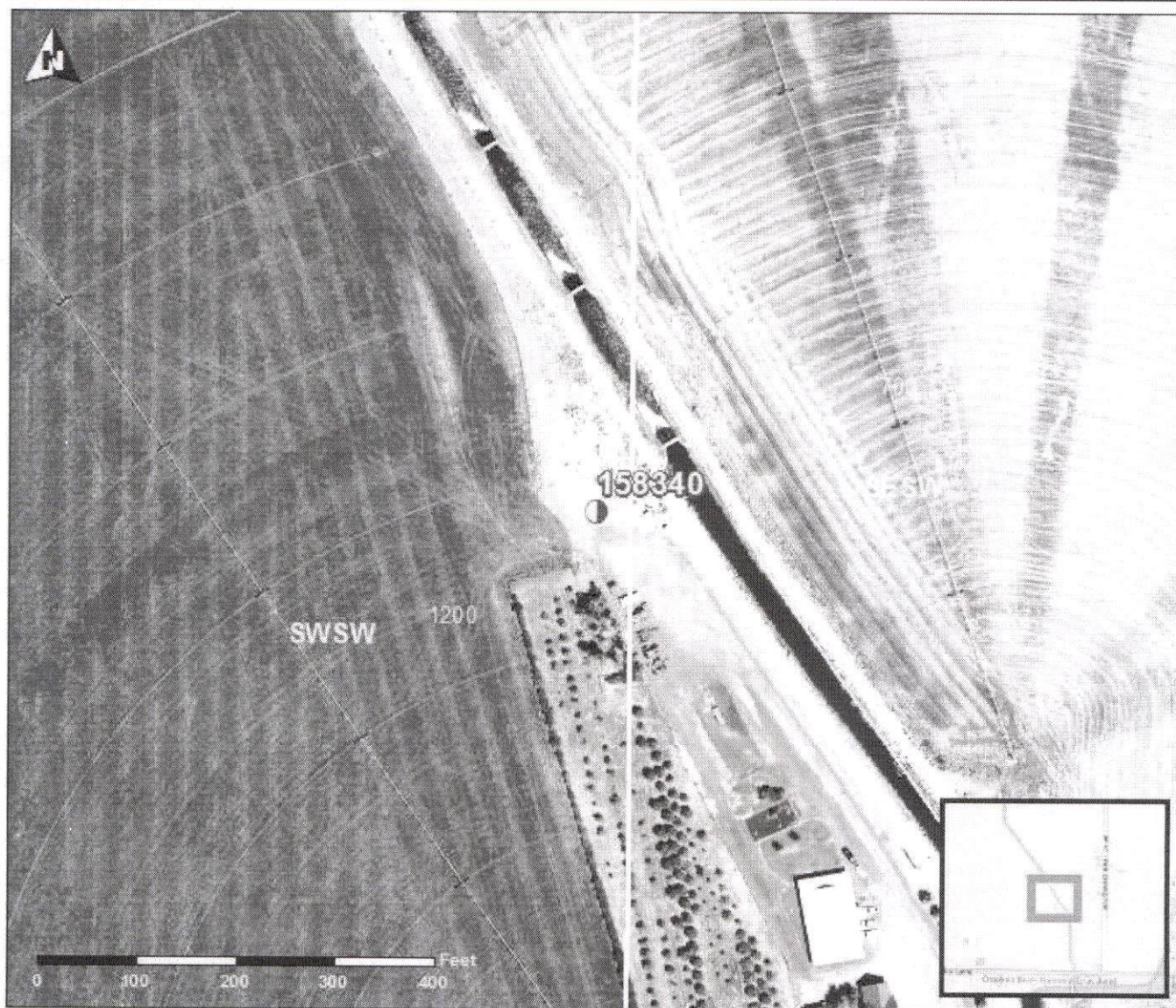
1720 SW JERICHO LN CULVER, OR 97734

Well Label: 158340

Printed: July 14, 2026

DISCLAIMER: This map is intended to represent the approximate location the well. It is not intended to be construed as survey accurate in any manner.

Provided by well constructor

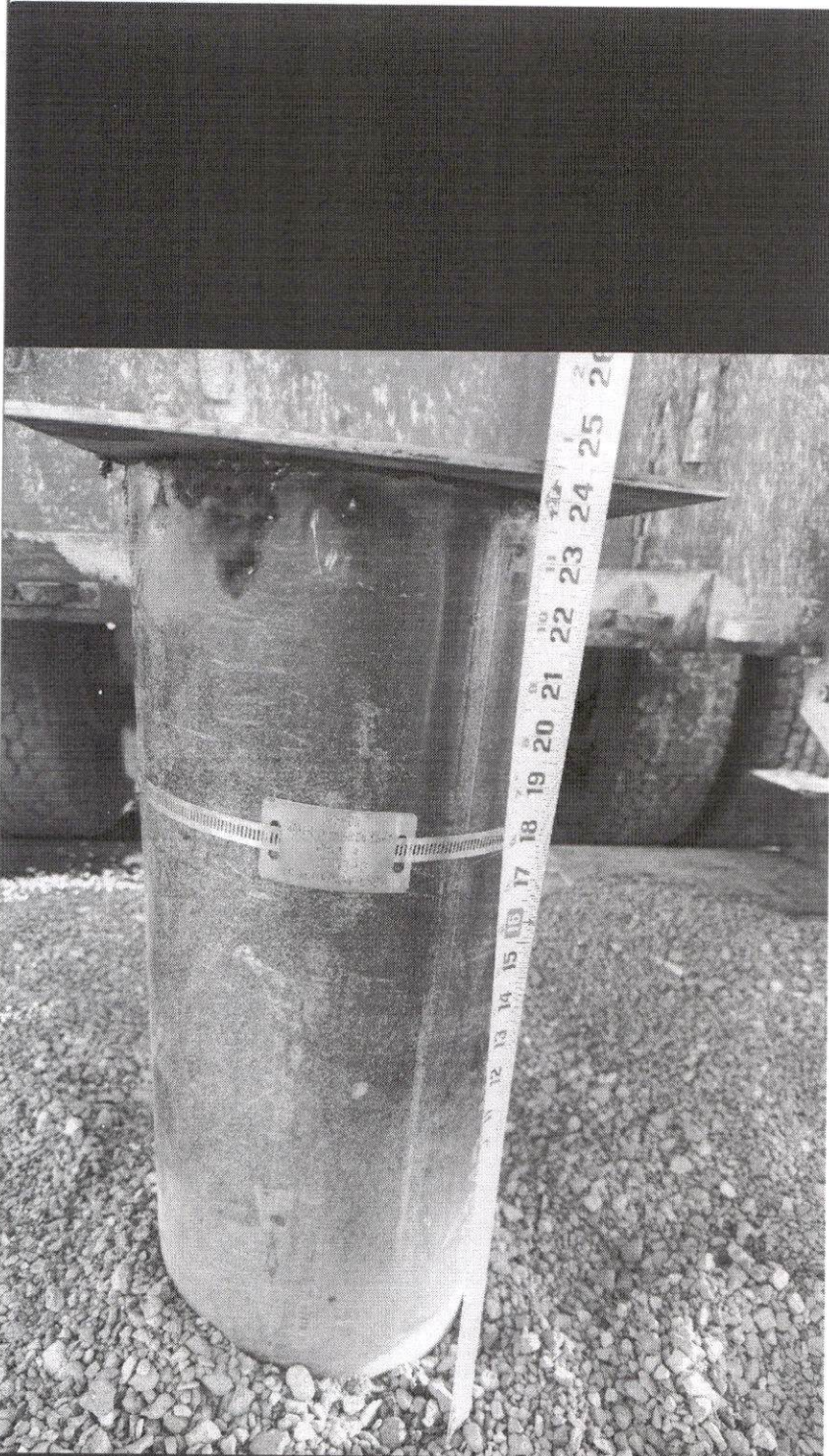


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Map 121322-00-01200
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Tax Status Assessable
 Account Status Active
 Subtype NORMAL

Legal Descr Metes & Bounds - See legal report for full description

Mailing BOUNDS HAY COMPANY LLC
 28075 FERGUSON RD
 JUNCTION CITY OR 97448-9319

Deed Reference # 2018-2180
 Sales Date/Price 06-13-2018 / \$2,200,000
 Appraiser GILLIAN SODERSTROM

Property Class 551 MA SA NH
 RMV Class 501 04 62 000

Site	Situs Address	City
1	1720 SW JERICHO LN	CULVER

Code Area		RMV	MAV	AV	RMV Exception	CPR %
0170	Land	182,020		Land	0	
	Impr	2,687,380		Impr	0	
Code Area Total		2,869,400	1,569,700	1,608,886	0	
Grand Total		2,869,400	1,569,700	1,608,886	0	

Land Breakdown									
Code Area	ID #	RFPD	Ex	Plan Zone	Value Source	Trend %	Size	Land Class	Trended RMV
0170					Farm Exc SAV OSD	100			20,000
	4	☒		A-1	Farm Site	95	1.00 AC	MHS	51,800
	1	☒		A-1	Farm Use Zoned	95	28.56 AC	D3	48,870
	2	☒		A-1	Farm Use Zoned	95	9.24 AC	D4	59,290
	3	☒		A-1	Farm Use Zoned	95	2.26 AC	DITC	2,060
Code Area Total							41.06 AC		182,020

Improvement Breakdown									
Code Area	ID #	Year Built	Stat Class	Description	Trend %	Total Sqft	Ex%	MS Acct	Trended RMV
0170	1	2000	352	UTILITY BUILDING	95	3,044			250,630
	4	2015	177	One and 1/2 story w/basement	95	7,916			2,293,680
	5	2015	151	One story	95	565			143,070
Code Area Total						11,525			2,687,380

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Notations ■ POTENTIAL ADDITIONAL TAX LIABILITY SA Farmland									

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Legal Descr See Record

Mailing BITNER, AARON N & AUSTIN D
PO BOX 16
CULVER OR 97734-0016

Deed Reference # See Record
Sales Date/Price See Record
Appraiser FLANDE, KATRINA

Property Class 551 MA SA NH
RMV Class 501 04 62 000

Site	Situs Address	City
	1999 SW IRVING LN	CULVER

		Value Summary			
Code Area		RMV	MAV	AV	RMV Exception CPR %
0170	Land	226,300		Land	0
	Impr	58,080		Impr	0
Code Area Total		284,380	19,010	35,566	0
Grand Total		284,380	19,010	35,566	0

Land Breakdown									
Code Area	ID #	RFPD	Ex	Plan Zone	Value Source	Trend %	Size	Land Class	Trended RMV
0170					Farm Avg SAV OSD	100			12,000
	4	☒		A-1	Farm Site	95	1.00 AC	MHS	51,800
	1	☒		A-1	Farm Use Zoned	95	3.10 AC	C3	29,570
	3	☒		A-1	Farm Use Zoned	95	9.70 AC	D3	132,180
	2	☒		A-1	Farm Use Zoned	95	0.78 AC	DITC	750
Code Area Total							14.58 AC		226,300

Improvement Breakdown									
Code Area	ID #	Year Built	Stat Class	Description	Trend %	Total Sqft	Ex% MS Acct		Trended RMV
0170	1	1948	121	One story	95	1,440			56,320
	2	1950	355	MP SHED	95	480			1,760
Code Area Total						1,920			58,080

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Appraiser FLANDE, KATRINA

Property Class 551 MA SA NH

RMV Class 501 04 62 000

Site	Situs Address	City
1	1720 SW JERICHO LN	CULVER

		Value Summary			
Code Area		RMV	MAV	AV	RMV Exception CPR %
0170	Land	340,670		Land	0
	Impr	128,360		Impr	0
Code Area Total		469,030	43,520	91,291	0
Grand Total		469,030	43,520	91,291	0

Land Breakdown									
Code Area	ID #	RFPD	Ex	Plan Zone	Value Source	Trend %	Size	Land Class	Trended RMV
0170	3	☒		A-1	Farm Use Zoned	95	2.06 AC	4	3,530
	1	☒		A-1	Farm Use Zoned	95	21.50 AC	D2	153,280
	2	☒		A-1	Farm Use Zoned	95	20.80 AC	D3	140,870
	4	☒		A-1	Farm Use Zoned	95	6.70 AC	D4	42,990
Code Area Total							51.06 AC		340,670

Improvement Breakdown									
Code Area	ID #	Year Built	Stat Class	Description	Trend %	Total Sqft	Ex% MS Acct	Trended RMV	
0170	1	2000	355	MP SHED	95	192		5,280	
	2	1997	335	HOBBY STABLES	95	1,824		70,160	
	3	2015	110	Residential Other Improvements	95	0		52,920	
Code Area Total							2,016	128,360	

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Property Class 550 MA SA NH
 RMV Class 500 04 62 000

Site Situs Address	City
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Code Area		Value Summary			
		RMV	MAV	AV	RMV Exception CPR %
0170	Land	278,050		Land	0
	Impr	0		Impr	0
Code Area Total		278,050	0	40,120	0
Grand Total		278,050	0	40,120	0

Land Breakdown									
Code Area	ID #	RFPD	Ex	Plan Zone	Value Source	Trend %	Size	Land Class	Trended RMV
0170	1	☒		A-1	Farm Use Zoned	95	20.00 AC	D2	142,590
	2	☒		A-1	Farm Use Zoned	95	20.00 AC	D3	135,460
Code Area Total							40.00 AC		278,050

Improvement Breakdown									
Code Area	Year Built	Stat Class	Description	Trend %	Total Sqft	Ex%	MS Acct	Trended RMV	

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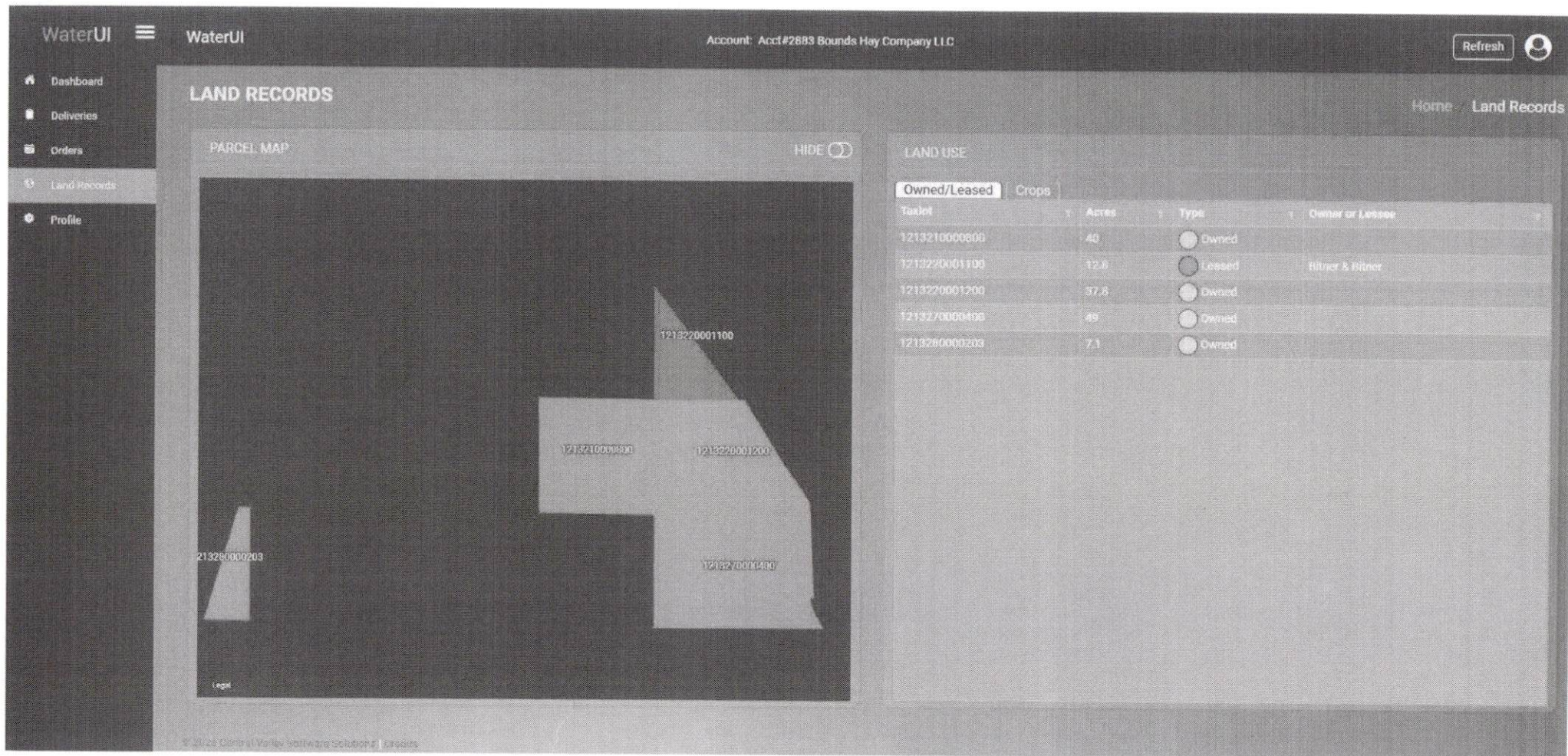
Code Area		Value Summary				RMV Exception	CPR %
		RMV	MAV	AV			
0170	Land	114,630		Land		0	
	Impr	188,990		Impr		0	
Code Area Total		303,620	81,380	89,806		0	
Grand Total		303,620	81,380	89,806		0	

Land Breakdown									
Code Area	ID #	RFPD	Ex	Plan Zone	Value Source	Trend %	Size	Land Class	Trended RMV
0170	3	☒		A-1	Farm Use Zoned	95	2.38 AC	2	8,620
	1	☒		A-1	Farm Use Zoned	95	4.40 AC	D1	66,910
	2	☒		A-1	Farm Use Zoned	95	2.70 AC	D2	39,100
Code Area Total							9.48 AC		114,630

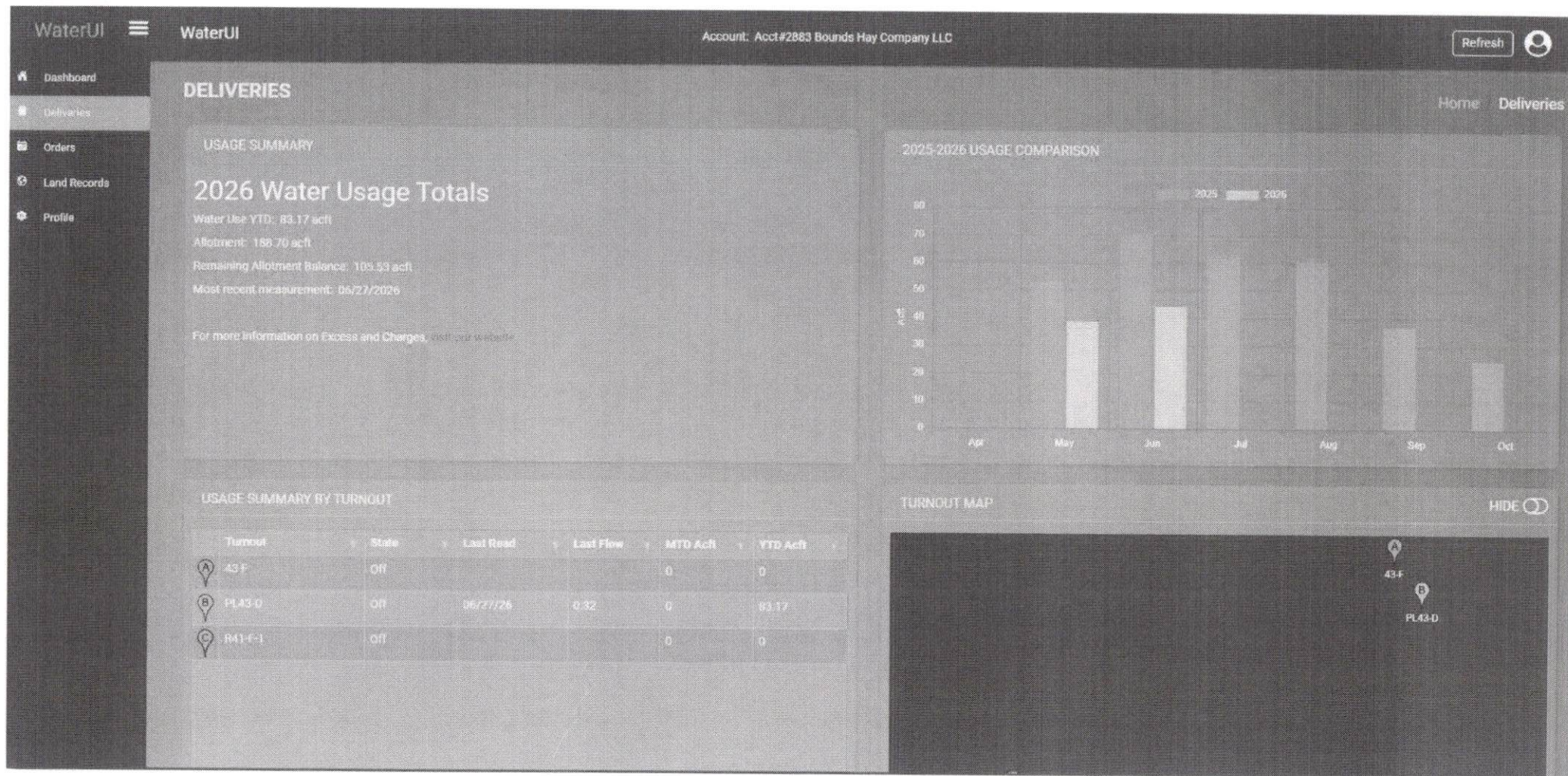
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Code Area	ID #	Year Built	Stat Class	Description	Trend %	Total Sqft	Ex%	MS Acct	Trended RMV
0170	2	1999	337	HAY COVER	95	8,960			187,790
	3	2002	110	Residential Other Improvements	95	0			1,200
Code Area Total						8,960			188,990

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Oregon Revised Statute (ORS) 536.700-780 and Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) 690-019-0040(1) authorize the Director, after the Governor declares that a severe, continuing drought exists, to issue emergency-use permits to replace water not available under an existing right because of the drought. Each application must be for use in a designated drought area.

PLEASE NOTE: Due to widespread drought and decreasing groundwater levels, if a drought emergency is declared in Klamath County, it is unlikely that the Oregon Water Resources Department (Department) will issue Drought Emergency Use Permits for groundwater.

A portion of the application fees for Drought Emergency Use Permits is non-refundable. If the Department evaluates a drought permit application and determines that a permit cannot be issued, the recording fee is refunded, and the Department will retain the exam fee.

1. Completeness Determination

The Department evaluates whether the application and accompanying map contain all of the information required under OAR 690-019-0040, OAR 690-019-0050, and OAR 690-019-0100 (www.oregon.gov/owrd/law). When an application does not contain all the information and supporting material required by the application form and these rules, the application will be declared incomplete, and the applicant notified. Additionally, the application may be returned with a request for additional information, and the applicant will have 30 days to complete the application. If the applicant fails to complete the application within 30 days, it will be rejected.

2. Public Notice

Public notice of receipt of emergency use applications and approval of such applications will be included in the Department's regular public notice of applications.

3. Final Order Issued

The Director shall approve an application for emergency water use upon findings that the proposed use will not cause injury to existing water rights and will not impair or be detrimental to the public interest. In evaluating whether the proposed use will impair or be detrimental to the public interest, the Director shall consider the factors described in OAR 690-310-0120 and OAR 690-310-0130.

Minimum Requirements Checklist

Minimum Requirements (OAR 690-310-0040, OAR 690-310-0050, ORS 537.615 & OAR 690-019-0040)

Include this checklist with the application

Check that each of the following items is included. The application will be returned if all required items are not included. If you have questions, please call the Water Rights Customer Service Group at (503) 986-0900.

- ☒ SECTION 1: APPLICANT INFORMATION AND SIGNATURE
- ☒ SECTION 2: PROPERTY OWNERSHIP
- ☒ SECTION 3: WELL DEVELOPMENT
- ☒ SECTION 4: WATER USE
- ☒ SECTION 5: WATER MANAGEMENT
- ☒ SECTION 6: WITHIN A DISTRICT
- ☒ SECTION 7: DROUGHT INFORMATION
- ☒ SECTION 8: KLAMATH BASIN WELL INFORMATION

Attachments:

- ☒ Fees - Amount enclosed: \$ 700
\$200 - Examination fee
\$400 - Recording fee for the first cubic foot per second (CFS) or fraction thereof, and \$100 for each additional CFS or fraction thereof
** one CFS equals 448.831 gallons per minute*

Provide a map and check that each of the following items is included:

- ☒ Permanent quality and drawn in ink
- ☒ Even map scale not less than 4" = 1 mile (example: 1" = 400 ft, 1" = 1320 ft, etc.)
- ☒ North Directional Symbol
- ☒ Township, Range, Section, Quarter/Quarter, Tax Lots
- ☒ Reference corner on map
- ☒ Location of each well, and/or dam if applicable, by reference to a recognized public land survey corner (distances north/south and east/west). Each well must be identified by a unique name and/or number.
- ☒ Indicate the area of use by Quarter/Quarter and tax lot clearly identified
- ☒ Number of acres per Quarter/Quarter and hatching to indicate area of use if for supplemental irrigation or nursery
- ☒ Location of main canals, ditches, pipelines or flumes
- ☐ Other: _____

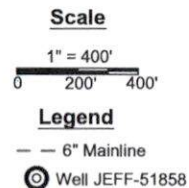
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 CASCADGE GEOENGINEERING		POU & POA Map Emergency Drought Permit Application Bounds Hay Company, LLC Jefferson Co., Oregon
Designed By: Jim Newton	Date: July 2026	
Drawn By: James Newton	Project No. Bounds - Drought Map '26	



Tax Lot Source from
Jefferson County tax
assessor map.

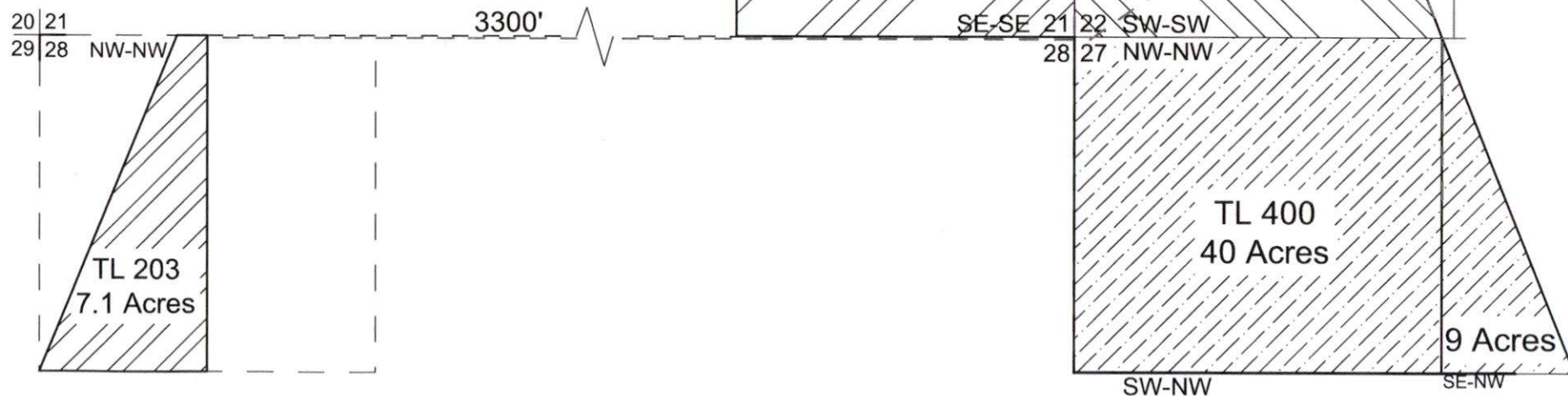
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Township 12, South, Range 13 East, Sections 22(SW-SW; NW-SW),
21(SE-SE); 28(NW-NW)
Tax lots TL800, TL200, TL100, TL400, TL203

NOTE:

THIS MAP WAS PREPARED FOR
THE PURPOSE OF IDENTIFYING
THE LOCATION OF WATER
RIGHTS ONLY AND IS NOT
INTENDED TO PROVIDE LEGAL
DIMENSIONS OR LOCATIONS OF
PROPERTY OWNERSHIP LINES.



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