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Wallowa-Whitman
National Forest

La Grande Ranger District
3502 Hwy. 30
La Grande, OR 97850

File Code: 2210

Date: March 18, 2009

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

Dear Water Resources Department:

I am submitting seven reservoir storage applications on behalf of the La Grande Ranger District, Wallowa-Whitman National Forest. The projects will occur on National Forest System lands in Union County and will not require a land use form. All ponds will be constructed to provide off-site water for livestock, fire protection and wildlife. Acre feet computations were based on calculation of average pond diameter and depth.

Each application has an attached map identifying the pond location by Township Range and Section as well as proximity to the nearest section corner.

I have enclosed a check to cover all the application fees.

If you have any questions, please call me at 541-962-8517.

Sincerely,

ARIC J. JOHNSON

Range Management Specialist

Enclosures: 7

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Oregon Water Resources Department
725 Summer Street NE, Suite A
Salem Oregon 97301-1266
(503) 986-0900
www.wrd.state.or.us

Application for a Permit to Store Water in a Reservoir (Alternate Review)

Alternate Review Process (ORS 537.409): You may use this form for any reservoir storing less than 9.2 acre-feet or with a dam less than 10 feet high.

Use a separate form for each reservoir

Please type or print in dark ink. If your application is found to be incomplete or inaccurate, we will return it to you. If any requested information does not apply, insert "n/a". A summary of review criteria and procedures that are generally applicable to these applications is available at www.wrd.state.or.us/OWRD/PUBS/forms.shtml.

1. APPLICANT INFORMATION

WALLOWA-WHITMAN
NATIONAL FOREST

Applicant: LA GRANDE RANGER DISTRICT

Mailing Address: C/O ^{First} ARIC JOHNSON ^{Last} 3502 HWY 30
LA GRANDE OR 97850
City State Zip

Phone: 541-962-8517
Home Work Other

*Fax: 541-962-8580 *Email Address: ajjohnson@fs.fed.us
*optional information

2. LOCATION AND SOURCE

A. Reservoir Name: LOWER FLY RESERVOIR

B. Source: Provide the name of the water body or other source from which water will be diverted, and the name of the stream or lake it flows into. Indicate if source is run-off, seepage, or an unnamed stream or spring.

Source: SEEPAGE Tributary to: FLY CREEK

C. Reservoir Location

Township (N or S)	Range (E or W)	Section	quarter/quarter	tax lot number
5 S	35 E	18	SWSW	100

D. County of Use: UNION

E. Dam: Maximum height of dam: 9.9 feet. If excavated, write "excavated" or "0 feet".

F. Quantity: Amount of water to be stored in the reservoir at maximum capacity.

List quantity in Acre-Feet: 0.17

3. WATER USE

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Indicate the proposed use(s) of the stored water. NOTE: You may wish to consider filing for "Multipurpose use" for your reservoir. Multipurpose use does not limit the types of future uses for the stored water. Multipurpose covers all uses including: stockwater, fish and wildlife, aesthetics, domestic, irrigation, agriculture, fire protection and pollution abatement. If any use will be out of reservoir use, regardless of the type of storage listed, a secondary application must be filed to appropriate the stored water.

Multipurpose

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4. PROPERTY OWNERSHIP

Do you own all the land where you propose to divert, transport, and use water?

☒ Yes (please check appropriate box below then skip to section 5)

☐ There are no encumbrances

☐ This land is encumbered by easements, rights of way, roads or other encumbrances (please provide a copy of the recorded deed(s))

☐ No (Please check the appropriate box below)

☐ 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 irrigated and/or domestic use only (ORS 274.040). (Do not check this box if you described your use as "Multipurpose" in #3 above)

List Name and mailing addresses of all affected land owners:

5. ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

A. Channel: is the reservoir ☐ In Stream or ☒ off channel ?

B. Wetland: is the project in a wetland? ☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ Don't know

C. Existing: is this an existing reservoir? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes how long has it been in place? _____ years

D. Fish Habitat: Is there fish habitat upstream from the proposed structure? ☐ Yes ☒ No ☐ Don't know

If yes, how much? _____ miles

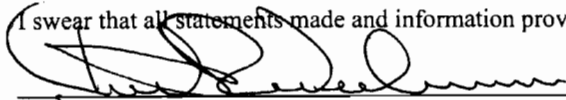
E. Partnerships: Have you been working with other agencies? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Indicate agency, staff and phone numbers of those involved. Also indicate any agencies that are cost sharing in this project.

BPA : TIMMIE MANDISH
503-230-3983

6. SIGNATURE

I swear that all statements made and information provided in this application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



Landowner Signature

3/18/09

Date

Before you submit your application be sure you have:

- ☐ Answered each question completely.
- ☐ Included a legible map that includes Township, Range, Section, quarter-quarter and tax lot number.
- ☐ The map must meet map requirements to be accepted.
- ☐ Included a land use form or receipt stub signed by a local planning official.
- ☐ Included a check payable to Oregon Water Resources Department for the appropriate amount.

FEE STRUCTURE: The fee is based on the number of acre-feet proposed to be stored. The base fee is \$80. In addition, there is a fee of \$20 per acre-foot or fraction thereof. Example: 0.3 AF= \$ 100 ; 1.5 AF= \$ 120 ; 20.0 AF= \$ 480 ; 30.0 AF= \$ 680.