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May 31, 2013

STEVE CAMERER
RIVER ROAD PARK AND RECREATION
1400 LAKE DR
EUGENE, OR 97404

Reference: File G-17610

Dear Applicant:

**THIS IS NOT A PERMIT AND IS
SUBJECT TO CHANGE AT THE NEXT PHASE OF PROCESSING.**

This letter is to inform you of the preliminary analysis of your water-use permit application and to describe your options. In determining whether an application may be approved, the Department must consider the factors listed below, all of which must be favorable to the proposed use if it is to be allowed. Based on the information you have supplied, the Water Resources Department has made the following preliminary determinations:

Initial Review Determinations:

1. The application proposed the appropriation of 0.06 cubic foot per second (CFS) of water from Well 1 in Flat Creek Basin for irrigation of 4.75 acres March 1 through October 31.
2. The proposed use is not prohibited by law or rule except where otherwise noted below.
3. The appropriation of water from Well 1 in Flat Creek Basin for irrigation is allowable under the Willamette Basin Program.
4. Ground water will likely be available within the capacity of the resource, and the proposed use of ground water will avoid injury to existing ground water rights.

The Department has determined, based upon OAR 690-009, that the proposed ground water use will not have the potential for substantial interference with any surface water source.

Summary of Initial Determinations

The appropriation of 0.06 CFS from Well 1 in Flat Creek Basin for irrigation of 4.75 acres is allowable during the full period requested, March 1 through October 31.

Because of these favorable determinations, the Department can now move your application to the next phase of the water-rights application review process, where public interest factors will be evaluated.

Please reference the application number when sending any correspondence regarding the conclusions of this initial review. Comments received within the comment period will be evaluated at the next phase of the process.

To Proceed With Your Application:

If you choose to proceed with your application, you do not have to notify the Department. Your application will automatically be placed on the Department's Public Notice to allow others the opportunity to comment. After the comment period the Department will complete a public interest review and issue a Proposed Final Order.

Withdrawal Refunds:

If you choose not to proceed, you may withdraw your application and receive a refund (minus a \$200 processing charge per application). To accomplish this you must notify the Department in writing by **Friday, June 14, 2013**. For your convenience you may use the enclosed "STOP PROCESSING" form.

If A Permit Is Issued It Will Likely Include The Following Conditions:

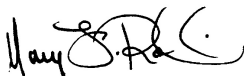
1. Measurement, recording and reporting conditions:
 - A. The Director may require the permittee to install a totalizing flow meter or other suitable measuring device as approved by the Director at each point appropriation. If the Director notifies the permittee to install a totalizing flow meter or other measuring device, the permittee shall install such device within the period stated in the notice. Such installation period shall not be less than 90 days unless special circumstances warrant a shorter installation period. Once installed, the permittee shall maintain the meter or measuring device in good working order and shall allow the watermaster access to the meter or measuring device.
 - B. The Director may require the permittee to keep and maintain a record of the amount (volume) of water diverted, and may require the permittee to report water use on a periodic schedule as established by the Director. In addition, the Director may require the permittee to report general water-use information, the periods of water use and the place and nature of use of water under the permit.
2. Prior to using water from any well listed on this permit, the permittee shall ensure that the well has been assigned an OWRD Well Identification Number (Well ID tag), which shall be permanently attached to the well. The Well ID shall be used as a reference in any correspondence regarding the well, including any reports of water use, water level, or pump test data.

The water source identified in your application may be affected by an Agricultural Water Quality Management Area Plan. These plans are developed by the Oregon Department of Agriculture (ODA) with the cooperation of local landowners and other interested stakeholders, and help to ensure that current and new appropriations of water are done in a way that does not adversely harm the environment. You are encouraged to explore ODA's Water Quality Program web site at http://www.oregon.gov/ODA/NRD/water_agplans.shtml to learn more about the plans and how they may affect your proposed water use.

If you have any questions:

Feel free to call me at 503-986-0859 if you have any questions regarding the contents of this letter or your application. Please have your application number available if you call. General questions about water rights and water use permits should be directed to our customer service staff at 503-986-0801. When corresponding by mail, please use this address: Mary Rohling, Oregon Water Resources Department, 725 Summer St NE Ste A, Salem OR 97301-1266. Our fax number is 503-986-0901.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mary Rohling". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Mary" written in a larger, more prominent script than the last name "Rohling".

Mary Rohling
Water Right Application Caseworker

enclosures: Application Process Description and Stop Processing Request Form

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WAB 2- no psi
POU 2- no psi
GW

APPLICATION FACT SHEET

Application File Number: G-17610

Applicant: STEVE CAMERER; RIVER ROAD PARK AND RECREATION

County: Lane

Watermaster: 2

Priority Date: December 17, 2012

Source: WELL 1 IN FLAT CREEK BASIN

Use: IRRIGATION OF 4.75 ACRES

Quantity: 0.06 CUBIC FOOT PER SECOND

Basin Name & Number: Willamette, #2

Stream Index Reference: Volume 3 INGRAM SLOUGH & MISC

Well Location(s): SESW, SECTION 14, T17S, R4W, W.M.; 300 FEET WEST FROM S 1/4 CORNER, SECTION 14

Place of Use:

SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ 3.0 ACRES
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ 1.5 ACRES
SECTION 14

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ 0.125 ACRE
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ 0.125 ACRE
SECTION 23

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 4 WEST, W.M.

14 DAY STOP PROCESSING DEADLINE DATE: Friday, June 14, 2013

PUBLIC NOTICE DATE: Tuesday, June 4, 2013

30 DAY COMMENT DEADLINE DATE: Friday, July 5, 2013

Mailing List for IR Copies

Application #G-17610

IR Date: May 31, 2013

Original **emailed** to applicant:

~~STEVE CAMERER
RIVER ROAD PARK AND RECREATION
1400 LAKE DR
EUGENE, OR 97404~~

SENT VIA EMAIL:

1. WRD - Watermaster # 2
2. Applicant - stevec@rrpark.org

Copies sent to:

1. WRD - File # G-17610
2. WRD - Water Availability: Shawn Turner

Copies Mailed By: _____ (SUPPORT STAFF) on: _____ (DATE)
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Caseworker: Mary Rohling

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APPLICATION PROCESS DESCRIPTION FOR GROUNDWATER, SURFACE WATER AND REGULAR RESERVOIR APPLICATIONS

In order to take and use the waters of Oregon, a citizen must first obtain a permit from the Water Resources Department. The water must be used for beneficial purpose - without waste. To become well-informed about water right topics, weekly public notice, forms and fees please visit our web site at www.wrd.state.or.us

1. Pre-application considerations

- follow instructions in the application packet
- if you have questions about completing an application or would like to arrange a pre-application conference contact the Department's Water Rights Information Group (WRIG) at 503-986-0801

2. Application filing

- application with fee is received by the Department
- Department determines completeness of application
- if use is not allowed by statute (ORS 538), the application and fees are returned to the applicant
- incomplete application and fees are returned to the applicant
- only a complete application receives a tentative priority date, is assigned a caseworker, and moves forward for processing

3. Initial Review (IR)

- caseworker reviews application by considering basin plans, water availability, statutory restrictions and all other appropriate factors
- caseworker sends IR report to applicant
- contact the caseworker if you have questions about the IR
- seven days after date of the IR, it is included in Department's weekly Public Notice
- public comments must be submitted within 30 days after the Public Notice
- administrative hold may be requested in writing by applicant

Stop Processing deadline is within 14 days of Initial Review - use the form below
- applicant may request no further action and fee refund of all but \$200

STOP PROCESSING REQUEST FOR GROUNDWATER, SURFACE WATER AND REGULAR RESERVOIR APPLICATIONS

Applicant notification to withdraw Water Right Application # _____

After reviewing the Initial Review for my application, I request that processing be stopped and the fees be refunded (minus a \$200 examination fee.) I understand that without a valid permit I may not legally use the water as requested in my application

Signature _____ date _____

Signature _____ date _____

Under ORS 537.150 (5) and 537.620 (5) timely submission of this request authorizes that the water right application process be stopped and all filing fees (except \$200 examination fee) be returned.

This notice must be received at Water Resources Department by _____

Return the notice to: OWRD, Water Rights Division

STOP PROCESSING

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