Oregon Water Resources Department

Water Right Services Division

Water Rights Application Number G-13804

Final Order

Extension of Time for Permit Number G-13738
Permit Holder: Brent Stumbaugh

Permit Information Application File G-13804 Permit G-13738

Basin: 9 – Powder / Watermaster District 8
Date of Priority: August 31, 1994

Authorized Use of Water

Source of Water: Two Wells in Big Muddy Creek Basin Purpose of Use: Supplemental Irrigation of 401.33 Acres

Maximum Rate: 4.5 Cubic Feet per Second (cfs), being 2.25 cfs from each

well

This Extension of Time request is being processed in accordance with Oregon Revised Statute 537.630 and 539.010(5), and Oregon Administrative Rule Chapter 690, Division 315

Application History

Permit G-13738 was issued by the Department on September 30, 1999, and modified by Permit Amendment T-10494 on May 27, 2008. The permit called complete application of water to beneficial use by October 1, 2003. On September 24, 2012, Brent Stumbaugh submitted to the Department an Application for Extension of Time for Permit G-13738. In accordance with OAR 690-315-0050(2), on August 13, 2013, the Department issued a Proposed Final Order proposing to extend the time to complete construction and the time to fully apply water to beneficial use to October 1, 2018. The protest period closed September 27, 2013, in accordance with OAR 690-315-0060(1). No protest was filed.

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Appeal Rights

This is a final order in other than a contested case. This order is subject to judicial review under ORS 183.484. A request for judicial review must be filed within the 60 day time period specified by ORS 183.484(2). Pursuant to ORS 536.075 and OAR 137-004-0080 you may either file 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.

Findings of Fact

The Department adopts and incorporates by reference the findings of fact in the Proposed Final Order dated August 13, 2013.

At time of issuance of the Proposed Final Order the Department concluded that, based on the factors demonstrated by the applicant, any comments received, and information within the file, 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 537.630, 539.010(5) and OAR 690-315-0040(2).

<u>Order</u>

The extension of time for Application G-13804, Permit G-13738, therefore, is approved. The deadline for completing construction and for applying water to full beneficial use within the terms and conditions of the permit is extended from October 1, 2012 to October 1, 2018.

DATED: October 4, 2013

Dwight French, Administrator Water Right Services Division

for PHILLIP C. WARD, DIRECTOR

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