

**Oregon Water Resources Department
Water Right Services Division**

Water Rights Application
Number G-15933

**Final Order
Extension of Time for Permit Number G-15536
Permit Holder: Nicki Hiner, Diehl J. Hiner Trust**

Permit Information

Application File G-15933 Permit G-15536

Basin: 9 – Union / Watermaster District 8
Date of Priority: February 24, 2003

Authorized Use of Water

Source of Water: A well within the Wolf Creek Basin
Purpose of Use: Irrigation of 500.0 Acres
Maximum Rate: 2.8 Cubic Feet Per Second Cubic Feet per Second (cfs)

**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-15536 was issued by the Department on December 18, 2003. The permit called for complete application of water to beneficial use by October 1, 2008. On February 27, 2013, Nicki Hiner, Diehl J. Hiner Trust, submitted to the Department an Application for Extension of Time for Permit G-15536. In accordance with OAR 690-315-0050(2), on July 9, 2013, the Department issued a Proposed Final Order proposing to extend the time to complete construction and to fully apply water to beneficial use to October 1, 2018. The protest period closed

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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.

August 23, 2013: in accordance with OAR 690-315-0060(1). No protest was filed.

Findings of Fact

Except as expressly stated herein, The Department adopts and incorporates by reference the findings of fact in the Proposed Final Order dated July 9, 2013.

At time of issuance of the Proposed Final Order the Department concluded that, based on the factors demonstrated by the applicant, the permit may be extended subject to the following conditions:

CONDITIONS

1. Groundwater Condition

The use of any water beyond 2.28 cfs under Permit G-15536 is subject to this Groundwater Condition.

The water user shall . . .

2. Checkpoint Condition

The permit holder must submit a completed Progress Report Form to the Department by **October 1, 2016. A form will be enclosed with your Final Order.**

- (a) At this checkpoint, the permit holder shall submit and the Department shall review evidence of the permit holder's diligence towards completion of the project and compliance with terms and conditions of the permit and extension. If, after this review, the Department determines the permit holder has not been diligent in developing and perfecting the water use permit, or complied with all terms and conditions, the Department shall modify or further condition the permit or extension to ensure future compliance, or begin cancellation proceedings on the undeveloped portion of the permit pursuant to ORS 537.260 or 537.410, or require submission of a final proof survey pursuant to ORS 537.250;
- (b) The Department shall provide notice of receipt of progress reports in its weekly notice and shall allow a 30 day comment period for each report. The Department shall provide notice of its determination to anyone who submitted comments.

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).

Order

The extension of time for Application G-15933, Permit G-15536, therefore, is approved subject to conditions contained herein. The deadline for completing construction and applying water to full beneficial use within the terms and conditions of the permit is extended to from October 1, 2008 to October 1, 2018.

DATED: October 22, 2013



Dwight W. French, Water Right Services Administrator, *for*
PHILLIP C. WARD, DIRECTOR
Oregon Water Resources Department

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- If you have any questions about statements contained in this document, please contact Craig Kohanek at (503) 986-0823.
 - If you have other questions about the Department or any of its programs, please contact our Water Resources Customer Service Group at (503) 986-0900.
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**Extension of Time
 Progress Report Form
 For Checkpoints**

TO THE DIRECTOR OF THE OREGON WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

Permit Holder: Nicki Hiner, Diehl J. Hiner Trust
 Application G-15536

Permit G-15536

Report Due no later than October 1, 2016

DO NOT SUBMIT PRIOR TO 30 DAYS BEFORE DUE DATE

Progress Report Form for 2016

As authorized in ORS 690-315-0050(6), this progress report is required in order to ensure diligence is exercised in the development and
 perfections of Permit G-15536. FAILURE TO SUBMIT THIS REPORT WILL MOST LIKELY RESULT IN ANY FUTURE EXTENSION
 BEING DENIED.

INSERT DATES	LIST ALL WORK ACCOMPLISHED and FINANCIAL INVESTMENTS For the period of time between October 1, 2013 and September 1, 2016	FINANCIAL INVESTMENT

2. Compliance with terms and conditions of the permit and/or previous extension.

3. Total number of acres irrigated to date= _____ (if applicable)

4. Provide the maximum rate, or duty if applicable, of water diverted for beneficial use under this permit, if any, made to date.

Maximum rate used to date = _____ cfs (cubic feet per second), or

Maximum rate used to date = _____ gpm (gallons per minute), or

Acre Feet stored to date = _____ AF

Report the rate in the same units of measurement as specified in the permit, being cfs (cubic feet per second), gpm (gallons per minute) or AF (acre-feet). Do not provide daily, monthly or annual water volume totals.

INCOMPLETE REPORTS WILL BE RETURNED. AN ANSWER IS **REQUIRED** IN EACH ITEM. USE N/A FOR ITEM 3 IF THE USE IS NOT IRRIGATION.

Signature _____ Date _____

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Diligence Shown Yes No

Date Public Noticed: _____

Reviewed by: _____

Date: _____