

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

Application for Extension of Time

In the Matter of the Application for an Extension of Time)
for Permit S-54644, Water Right Application S-86971) FINAL ORDER
in the name of Hot Lake Springs Resort)

Permit Information

Application:	S-86971
Permit:	S-54644
Basin:	8 – Grande Ronde / Watermaster District 6
Date of Priority:	September 13, 2007
Source of Water:	A spring, tributary to Catherine Creek
Purpose of Use:	Commercial Use (Geothermal Heating)
Maximum Rate:	0.49 cubic foot per second (cfs)

This Extension of Time request is being processed in accordance with Oregon Revised Statute 537.230 and 539.010(5), and Oregon Administrative Rule Chapter 690, Division 315

Appeal Rights

This final order is subject to judicial review by the Court of Appeals under ORS 183.482. Any petition for judicial review must be filed within the 60-day time period specified by ORS 183.482(1). Pursuant to ORS 536.075 and OAR 137-003-0675, you may petition 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.

Application History

Permit S-54644 was issued by the Department on May 6, 2010. The permit called for completion of construction by May 6, 2015 and complete application of water to beneficial use by May 6, 2015. On August 31, 2015, Hot Lake Springs Resort submitted to the Department an Application for Extension of Time for Permit S-54644. In accordance with OAR 690-315-0050(2), on October 20, 2015, the Department issued a Proposed Final Order proposing to extend the time to complete construction from 2015 to October 1, 2018 and the time to apply water to full

beneficial use from 2015 to October 1, 2018. The protest period closed December 4, 2015, in accordance with OAR 690-315-0060(1). No protest was filed.

FINDINGS OF FACT

The Department adopts and incorporates by reference the findings in the Proposed Final Order dated October 20, 2015.

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 no additional conditions.

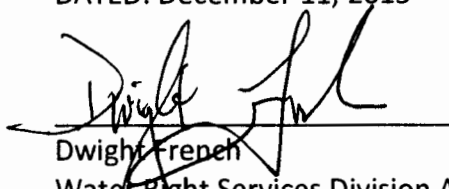
CONCLUSION OF LAW

The applicant has demonstrated good cause for the permit extension pursuant to ORS 537.230, 539.010(5) and OAR 690-315-0040(2).

ORDER

The extension of time for Application S-86971, Permit S-54644, therefore, is approved. The deadline for completing construction is extended from May 6, 2015 to October 1, 2018. The deadline for applying water to full beneficial use within the terms and conditions of the permit is extended from May 6, 2015 to October 1, 2018.

DATED: December 11, 2015



Dwight French
Water Right Services Division Administrator, for
Thomas M. Byler, Director
Oregon Water Resources Department

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3. None

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4. WRD - Watermaster District 6, Shad Hattan

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