# **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 G-13884, Water Right Application G-14979,	) FINAL ORDER
in the name of Howard A. Robbins Investments Family	)
Limited Partnership	)

#### **Permit Information**

Application:

G-14979

Permit:

G-13884

Basin:

7 – Umatilla / Watermaster District 5

Date of Priority:

June 28, 1999

Source of Water:

A well in Walla Walla River Basin

Purpose of Use:

Human consumption purposes and irrigation of 11.7 acres

Maximum Rate:

Not to exceed a maximum cumulative total of 0.178 cubic foot per

second (cfs); being 0.090 cfs for human consumption purposes

and 0.146 cfs for irrigation

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

## **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.

## **Application History**

Permit G-13884 was issued by the Department on March 22, 2001. The permit specified actual construction was to begin by February 22, 2002, and complete application of water to beneficial use by October 1, 2005. On October 8, 2015, Howard A. Robbins Investments Family Limited Partnership submitted to the Department an Application for Extension of Time for Permit G-13884. In accordance with OAR 690-315-0050(2), on November 24, 2015, the Department issued a Proposed Final Order proposing to extend the time to fully apply water to beneficial use to October 1, 2016. The protest period closed January 8, 2016, in accordance with OAR 690-315-0060(1). No protest was filed.

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## FINDINGS OF FACT

The Department adopts and incorporates by reference the findings of fact in the Proposed Final Order dated November 24, 2015.

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).

#### **ORDER**

The extension of time for Application G-14979, Permit G-13884, therefore, is approved. The deadline for applying water to full beneficial use within the terms and conditions of the permit is extended from October 1, 2005 to October 1, 2016.

DATED: January 15, 2016

Dwight Krench

Water Right Services Division Administrator, for

Thomas M. Byler, Director

**Oregon Water Resources Department** 

- If you have any questions about statements contained in this document, please contact the Permit Extension Specialist at (503) 986-0802.
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 FO Date: January 15, 2016
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 Application: G-14979
 By: \_\_\_\_\_

 Permit: G-13884
 On: \_\_\_\_\_

## Original mailed to permit holder

Howard A. Robbins Investments Family Limited Partnership 31 Royal Court San Rafael, CA 94901

## Copies sent to:

- 1. WRD App. File G-14979/ Permit G-13884
- IRZ Consulting, LLC
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3. None

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4. WRD - Watermaster District 5, Greg Silbernagel

**CASEWORKER: MAB** 

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