# **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-15877, Water Right Application G-15991,	)	FINAL ORDER
in the name of Weyerhauser Company,	)	
Aurora Forest Nursery	)	

### Permit Information

Application:

G-15991

Permit:

G-15877

Basin:

2 - Middle Willamette / Watermaster District 16

Date of Priority:

April 30, 2003

Source of Water:

Wells 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 12, 14, and M in Pudding River Basin

Purpose of Use:

Nursery use and frost protection on 218.32 Acres

Maximum Rate:

4.05 cubic feet per second (cfs), further limited for nursery use as follows: 0.412 cfs from Well 1, 0.557 from Well 2, 0.446 cfs from Well 4, 0.501 cfs from Well 5, 0.334 cfs from Well 6, 0.468 cfs from Well 12, 0.223 cfs from Well 14 all for nursery use, and 1.11

cfs from Well M for frost protection

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-15877 was issued by the Department on March 24, 2005. The permit called for complete application of water to beneficial use by October 1, 2009. On December 30, 2015, Weyerhauser Company Aurora Forest Nursery submitted to the Department an Application for Extension of Time for Permit G-15877. In accordance with OAR 690-315-0050(2), on February 16, 2016, the Department issued a Proposed Final Order proposing to extend the time to fully apply water to beneficial use to October 1, 2017. The protest period closed April 1, 2016, in accordance with OAR 690-315-0060(1). No protest was filed.

Final Order: Permit G-15877

### FINDINGS OF FACT

The Department adopts and incorporates by reference the findings of fact in the Proposed Final Order dated February 16, 2016.

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-15991, Permit G-15877, 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, 2009 to October 1, 2017.

DATED: May 6, 2016

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Water Right Services Division Administrator, for

Thomas M. Byler, Director

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