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-54015, Water Right Application S-71040)	FINAL ORDER
in the name of Goschie Farms Inc.)	

Permit Information

Application:

S-71040

Permit:

S-54015

Basin:

Willamette / Watermaster District 16

Date of Priority:

December 12, 1990

Source of Water:

Abiqua Creek, a tributary of Pudding River

Purpose of Use:

Irrigation of 15.3 Acres

Maximum Rate:

0.19 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-54015 was issued by the Department on February 26, 1997. The permit specified actual construction to begin by February 26, 1998, completion of construction by October 1, 1999, and complete application of water to beneficial use by October 1, 2000. On October 27, 2016, Goschie Farms Inc. submitted an Application for Extension of Time for Permit S-54015. In accordance with OAR 690-315-0050(2), on January 10, 2017, the Department issued a Proposed Final Order proposing to extend the time to complete construction from October 1, 1999, to October 1, 2020, and the time to apply water to full beneficial use from October 1, 2000, to October 1, 2020. The protest period closed February 24, 2017, 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 in the Proposed Final Order dated January 10, 2017.

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. Permit Amendment Condition

The use of any water under S-54015 is subject to this Permit Amendment Condition. The permit holder shall apply for a Permit Amendment to change the authorized POD and add an additional POD to the locations described in the COBU submitted to the Department on August 3, 2000, by May 1, 2017.

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-71040, Permit S-54015, therefore, is approved subject to conditions contained herein. The deadline for completing construction is extended from October 1, 1999 to October 1, 2020. The deadline for applying water to full beneficial use within the terms and conditions of the permit is extended from October 1, 2000 to October 1, 2020.

DATED: March 3, 2017

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Water Right Services Division Administrator, for

Thomas M. Byler, Director

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