

October 27, 1993

RALPH B. OR ALBERTA F. PRESTON
944 S.E. KANE
ROSEBURG, OREGON 97470

Reference: File S 73002

Hello:

This letter informs you of the current status of your application for a water use permit and accompanies the Satisfactory Report of Technical Review For Water Use Permit(s). We apologize for the delay in transmitting this information and Report to you and for any inconvenience the wait may have caused you.

The enclosed Report of Technical Review is the Department's summary of a specialized analysis of various legal and scientific aspects of your application and proposed water use. We are required by the state of Oregon's administrative rules (in OAR 690-11-160) to conduct this official technical review of each application submitted to the Oregon Water Resources Department for a water use permit. This process was designed to insure that your application receives a fair evaluation and to secure protection of existing water rights and of the public at large.

AS THE RESULT OF OUR TECHNICAL EVALUATION OF YOUR APPLICATION, WE HAVE DETERMINED THAT YOUR APPLICATION SATISFIES THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE TECHNICAL REVIEW.

The Department will now move your application to the next phase of processing. This phase includes a public interest review of your proposed water use. No final action may be taken on your application until the public interest review is completed.

You should also note that the Report of Technical Review describes conditions currently anticipated which may limit the water use proposed in your application.

If you wish to object to any of the analyses contained in the Report, you must submit your objection to the Department in writing within 60 days of the date of mailing of this Report or by the date specified below. Your objection must allege that the technical review is defective and you may also submit evidence which demonstrates that your proposed water use will not impair or be detrimental to the public interest.

Copies of the Report of Technical Review will be distributed to all persons who have filed comments or otherwise expressed an interest in the water use proposed in your application. Interested parties must also submit their objections within the prescribed objection period. Those objections must allege that the technical review is defective and/or that the proposed water use may impair or be detrimental to the public interest.



If an objection contains allegations that the technical review is defective, it must be accompanied by facts which support such allegations. If an objection contains allegations that the proposed water use may impair or be detrimental to the public interest, the objection must specify the particular public interest standards which apply as set out in Oregon Revised Statutes (ORS 537.170(5)) and Oregon Administrative Rules (OAR 690-11-195) and state facts showing how such standards would be violated.


All evidence and objections must be received by our Salem office no later than 5:00 p.m. on or before January 7, 1994 or the Department may presume there is no opposition to any of the analyses set out in the technical review report. Evidence and objections must be addressed and delivered to: Oregon Water Resources Department, Water Rights Section, 3850 Portland Road, Northeast, Salem, Oregon 97310.

If objections and evidence are submitted on or before the above time and date, the Director of the Water Resources Department will evaluate each issue raised in the objections and either accept or deny them. Objectors are encouraged to indicate whether they would be interested in resolving their concerns through alternative dispute resolution.

If any of the objections are denied, the objector will be allowed thirty days to submit a protest to the denial. The protest must meet the standards set forth in OAR 690-02-030 through 080.

If you have any questions, please feel free to telephone me or any of the Department's Water Rights Section staff. My telephone number is 378-3739, in Salem, or you may call toll free from within the state to 1-800-624-3199.

Sincerely,



STEVE BROWN
Manager
Water Rights Division

Enclosures

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Report Date: October 27, 1993

OREGON WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

SATISFACTORY REPORT OF TECHNICAL REVIEW

FOR WATER USE PERMIT(S)

OBJECTIONS TO THE PROPOSED WATER USE AS DESCRIBED BELOW MUST BE RECEIVED IN WRITING BY THE OREGON WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT, 3850 PORTLAND ROAD N.E., SALEM, OREGON 97310, BY 5 P.M. ON OR BEFORE: January 7, 1994

1. APPLICATION FILE NUMBER - S 73002
2. MINIMUM APPLICATION INFORMATION

Applicant name/address/county/phone:
RALPH B. OR ALBERTA F. PRESTON
944 S.E. KANE
ROSEBURG, OREGON 97470
DOUGLAS Co. 503-672-1556

Date application received for filing and/or tentative date of priority: 11/19/1992

SOURCE: UMPQUA RIVER TRIBUTARY TO: PACIFIC OCEAN

Purpose and/or use: IRRIGATION OF 0.50 ACRE

Flow: 0.005 CFS

Point of Diversion Location:
SE 1/4 SW 1/4, SECTION 13, T 22 S, R 10 W, W.M.;
50 FEET NORTH AND 1780 FEET EAST FROM SW CORNER,
SECTION 13.

Place of use:
SE 1/4 SW 1/4 0.5 ACRE
SECTION 13
TOWNSHIP 22 SOUTH, RANGE 10 WEST, W.M.

SURFACE WATER AVAILABILITY

Water is likely available in excess of needs for all existing rights 80% of the time during each monthly period proposed by the technical review.

Water availability tables are available in the application file and may be reviewed in the office of the Water Resources Department in Salem.

CONFLICTS WITH OTHER WATER RIGHTS:

There are no existing rights from this point of diversion.

There are no existing water rights appurtenant to the lands described in the application.

REPORT CONCLUSIONS:

Water in the amount of 0.005 CFS is likely available for 8 months of the 8 months normal period of use. Therefore, the Director finds that water is available in sufficient amount and during periods which will reasonably support the proposed use.

THE PROPOSED WATER USE, AS CONDITIONED, SATISFIES THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS TECHNICAL REVIEW.

This Report of Technical Review sets out the Director's technical analysis of the application. In addition to this technical analysis, the Director will evaluate this application to determine whether the proposed water use might impair or be detrimental to the public interest under the standards set out in ORS 537.170(5) and OAR 690-11-195. Matters relating to public interest in the proposed water use which are raised in objections will be evaluated following the 60-day objection period.

PROPOSED PERMIT CONDITIONS

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The following conditions will apply to water use under the permit, and will appear in the permit, if issued.

1. Use of water under this permit is subject to all prior rights.
2. Period of allowed use: FROM MARCH 1 THROUGH OCTOBER 31
3. Rate of use: NOT MORE THAN 0.005 CFS
4. Water use development requirements:
 - A. Begin construction by (one year from issuance of permit).
 - B. Complete construction by October 1, 1996.
 - C. Completely apply the water to beneficial use by October 1, 1997.
5. Measurement recording and reporting conditions:
 - A. The Director may require the permittee to install a meter or other suitable measuring device as approved by the Director. If the Director notifies the permittee to install a meter or other measuring device, the permittee shall install such device within the period stated in the notice. Such installation period shall not be less than 90 days unless special circumstances warrant a shorter installation period. Once installed, the permittee shall maintain the meter or measuring device in good working order and shall allow the watermaster access to the meter or measuring device. The Director may provide an opportunity for the permittee to submit alternative measuring procedures for review and approval.
 - B. The Director may require the permittee to keep and maintain a record of the amount (volume) of water used and may require the permittee to report water use on a periodic schedule as established by the Director. In addition, the Director may require the permittee to report general water use information, the periods of water use and the place and nature of use of water under the permit. The Director may provide an opportunity for the permittee to submit alternative reporting procedures for review and approval.

6. Failure to comply with any of the provisions of the permit may result in action including, but not limited to, restrictions on the use, penalties, or cancellation of the permit.
7. The permit is for the beneficial use of water without waste. The water user is advised that new regulations may require the use of best practical technologies or conservation practices to achieve this end.
8. The use shall conform to such reasonable rotation system as may be ordered by the proper state officer.
9. The amount of water used for irrigation under this right, together with the amount secured under any other right existing for the same lands, is limited to a diversion of **ONE-EIGHTIETH** of one cubic foot per second (or its equivalent) and 2.5 acre-feet for each acre irrigated during the irrigation season of each year.