# Oregon Water Resources Department Water Right Services Division

## **Application for Extension of Time**

In the Matter of the Application for an Extension of Time	)	FINAL
for Permit G-12926 (modified by Permit Amendment T-9630),	)	ORDER
Water Right Application G-14202, in the name of Jack R. Bigej	)	OKDER

#### Permit Information

Application:

G-14202

Permit:

G-12962 (modified by Permit Amendment T-9630)

Basin:

2B – Middle Willamette / Watermaster District 16

Date of Priority:

November 20, 1995

Source of Water:

Three wells within the Pudding River Basin

Purpose or Use:

Agricultural use (Nursery Use) and Irrigation of 23.89 acres

Maximum Rate:

0.597 cubic foot per second (cfs) at any one time from the wells

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-12926 was issued by the Department on October 28, 1996, and modified by Permit Amendment T-9630 on May 24, 2004. The permit specified actual construction of the well to begin by October 28, 1997, completion of construction by October 1, 1998 and complete application of water to beneficial use by October 1, 1999. The most recent extension authorized completion of construction and complete application of water to beneficial use by October 1, 2009. On October 5, 2018, Jack R. Bigej submitted an Application for Extension of Time for Permit G-12926. In accordance with OAR 690-315-0050(2), on November 20, 2018, the Department issued a Proposed Final Order proposing to extend the time to complete construction to October 1, 2020, and the time to fully apply water to beneficial use to October 1, 2020. The protest period closed January 7, 2019, 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 20, 2018.

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-14202, Permit G-12926, therefore, is approved. The deadline for completing construction is extended from October 1, 2009, 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, 2009, to October 1, 2020.

DATED: January 18, 2019

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Water Right Services Division Administrator, for

Thomas M. Byler, Director

Oregon Water Resources Department

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