


**CLAIM OF  
BENEFICIAL USE  
for Reservoirs storing less than  
9.2 acre-feet permitted under  
ORS 537.409**

**Oregon Water Resources Department**  
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**A fee of \$230 must accompany this form.  
The Claim will be returned if the fee is not included.**

**This form may be completed by the permit holder of record if:**

- 1) The permit was issued under the authority of ORS 537.409; and
- 2) No secondary permit exists for the use of water stored in the reservoir; and
- 3) The developed capacity of the reservoir is less than 9.2 acre-feet; and
- 4) The water was stored by the date required in the permit; and

A separate form shall be completed for each permit.

This form must be submitted to the Water Resources Department within one year of storage of water in the reservoir.

Please type or print in dark ink. If the data provided is found to contain errors or omissions, it may be returned. The Department may require the submittal of additional information.

If you have questions regarding the completion of this form, please call 503-979-9103.

**SECTION 1  
GENERAL INFORMATION**

**File Information:**

APPLICATION #	PERMIT #
R-88219	R-15199

**Applicant Information:**

APPLICANT NAME	PHONE NO.	ADDITIONAL CONTACT NO.
WAYNE KARR	541-742- 6759	
ADDRESS		
PO Box 402 Halfway ORE		
CITY	STATE	ZIP
Halfway	ORE	97834
E-MAIL		
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**SECTION 2  
RESERVOIR INFORMATION**

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**Reservoir Dimensions and Capacity:**

AVERAGE LENGTH	AVERAGE WIDTH	AVERAGE DEPTH	MAXIMUM CAPACITY IN ACRE-FEET
180'	90'	3'	1.2

To determine capacity in acre-feet use for the above table, use the following calculation:

$$\text{Acre-feet} = \frac{(\text{Average Length})(\text{Average Width})(\text{Average Depth})}{43,560}$$

**SECTION 3  
MAP**

Attach a map identifying the reservoir location. If the water right application map accurately reflects the location of the reservoir, you may attach a copy of it. Otherwise, you must submit a map meeting the standards of OAR 690-310-0050, which are attached.

Preparation of the map by a Certified Water Rights Examiner is **not** required for this type of permit, but may be submitted.

**SECTION 4  
SIGNATURE**

*This Claim of Beneficial Use must be signed by each permit holder of record.*

By my signature, I certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

SIGNATURE	PRINT OR TYPE NAME	TITLE	DATE
<i>Wayne Kaasen</i>	WAYNE KAASEN		8/30 22

(Please DO NOT submit this page.)

**MAP REQUIREMENTS - OAR 690-310-0050**

(1) Each application shall be accompanied by a map or drawing which shall be considered a part of the application.

(2) Maps submitted with water use applications shall meet the following criteria:

(a) The application map, which is made part of the record, shall be of permanent quality and drawn in ink or otherwise printed in an indelible form with sufficient clarity so as to be easily reproduced;

(b) Maps shall be drawn on good-quality paper. If the map is larger than 11 inches by 17 inches, four copies must be submitted or the map must be drawn on tracing linen, tracing vellum or mylar;

(c) All maps shall be drawn to a standard, even scale of not less than 4 inches = 1 mile. All maps must include the scale to which the map is drawn and a north directional symbol.

(3) A platted and recorded subdivision map, deed description survey map or county assessor may be submitted as the application map if all of the required information is clearly shown.

(4) Each copy of the map shall show clearly each of the following requirements that apply to the proposed appropriation:

(a) The location of each diversion point, well, or dam by reference to a recognized public land survey corner. The locations may be shown by distance and bearing or by coordinates (distance north or south and distance east or west from the corner);

(b) The location of main canals, ditches, pipelines, or flumes;

(c) The location of the place where water is to be used identified by tax lot, township, range, section and nearest quarter-quarter section along with a notation of the acreage of the proposed place of use, if appropriate. The Department also shall accept any locational coordinate information that the applicant may wish to provide, including latitude and longitude as established by a global positioning system. If for irrigation, the area to be irrigated in each quarter-quarter of a section shall be indicated by shading or hachuring and the number of acres in each quarter-quarter section, donation land claim, government lot or other recognized public land survey lines indicated.

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THIS MAP WAS PREPARED FOR ASSESSMENT PURPOSE ONLY

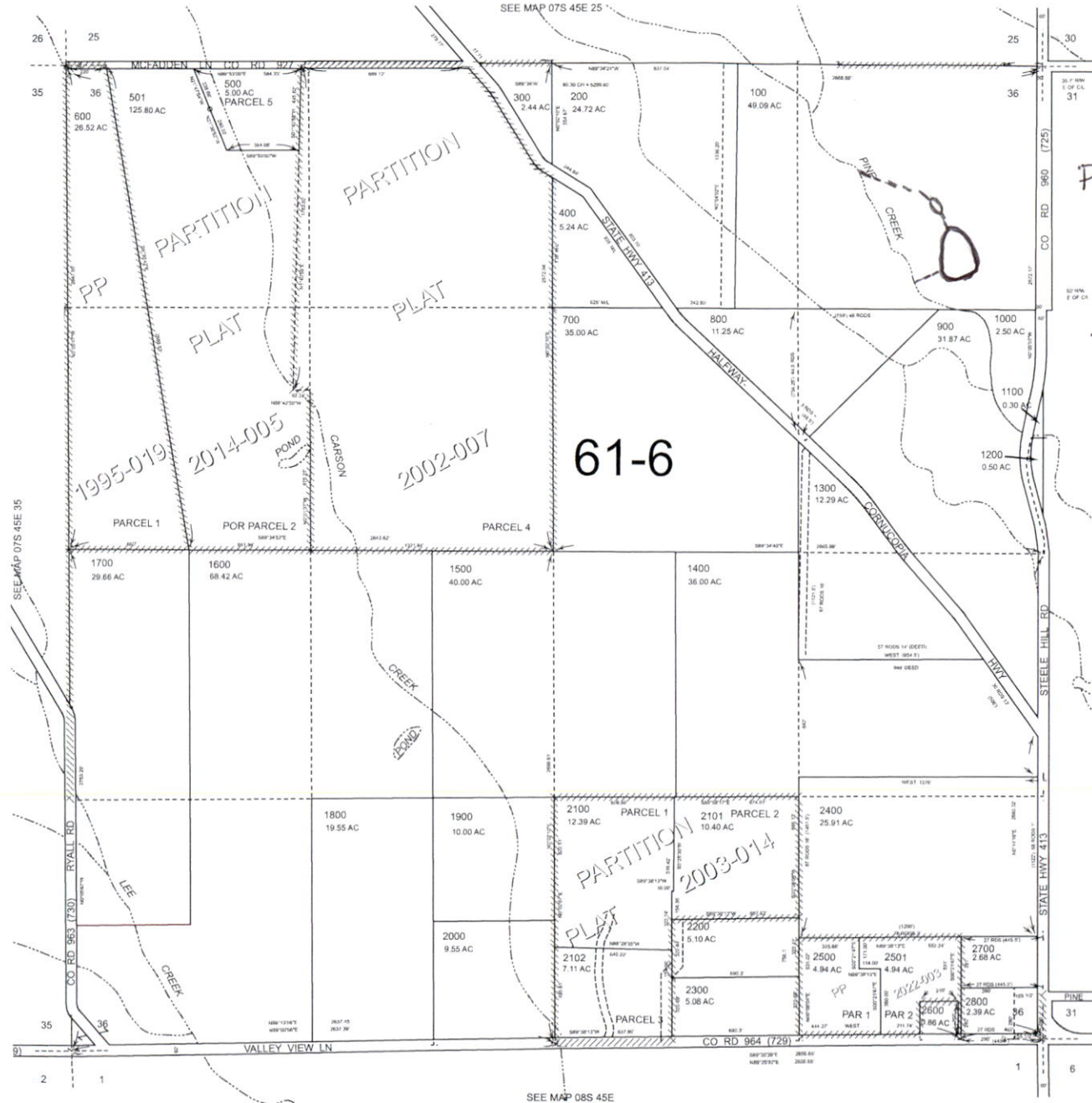


SECTION 36 T.7S. R.45E. W.M.  
BAKER COUNTY  
1" = 400'

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POND LOCATION:  
1150' SOUTH &  
300' WEST FROM  
NE CORNER,  
SECT 36  
T.7S, R.45E

SEE MAP 08S 45E

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STATE OF OREGON

COUNTY OF BAKER

PERMIT TO STORE PUBLIC WATERS

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THIS PERMIT IS HEREBY ISSUED TO:

WAYNE KAAEN  
PO BOX 402  
HALFWAY OR 97834

The specific limits and conditions of the use are listed below.

APPLICATION FILE NUMBER: R-88219

SOURCE OF WATER: PINE CREEK, TRIBUTARY TO SNAKE RIVER

STORAGE FACILITY: SOPHIA'S POND

MAXIMUM VOLUME: 2.0 ACRE-FEET

DATE OF PRIORITY: APRIL 29, 2016

WATER MAY BE APPROPRIATED AS FOLLOWS: OCTOBER 1 THROUGH APRIL 14

USE: MULTIPLE PURPOSE

**Dam Location/Authorized Point of Diversion:**

Twp	Rng	Mer	Sec	Q-Q	Measured Distances
7 S	45 E	WM	36	NE NE	1150 FEET SOUTH AND 300 FEET WEST FROM NE CORNER, SECTION 36

**The Area To Be Submerged:**

Twp	Rng	Mer	Sec	Q-Q
7 S	45 E	WM	36	NE NE

Measurement devices, and recording/reporting of annual water storage conditions:

- A. The Director may require the permittee to install a staff gage that measures the entire range and stage between full reservoir level and dead-pool level in the reservoir. If no dead-pool, the gage must measure the full depth of the reservoir. If the Director notifies the permittee to install a staff gage, the permittee shall install such device within the period stated in the notice. Once installed, the permittee shall maintain the device in good working order and shall allow the watermaster access to the device.
- B. The Director may require the permittee to keep and maintain a record of the volume of water stored, and may require the permittee to report water-storage 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.

- C. The Director may provide an opportunity for the permittee to submit alternative measuring and reporting procedures for review and approval.

The storage of water allowed herein is subject to the installation and maintenance of an outlet pipe (with a minimum diameter of 8" for any in-channel reservoir). This requirement may be waived if the Department determines other means have been provided to evacuate water when necessary.

The permittee shall pass all live flow outside the storage season described above.

The Director may require the user to measure inflow and outflow, above and below the reservoir respectively, to ensure that live flow is not impeded outside the storage season. Measurement devices and their implementation must be acceptable to the Director, and the Director may require that data be recorded on a specified periodic basis and reported to the Department annually or more frequently.

The permittee shall not construct, operate or maintain any dam or artificial obstruction to fish passage in the channel of the subject stream without providing a fishway to ensure adequate upstream and downstream passage for fish, unless the permittee has requested and been granted a fish passage waiver by the Oregon Fish and Wildlife Commission. The permittee is hereby directed to contact an Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife Fish Passage Coordinator, before beginning construction of any in-channel obstruction.

Notwithstanding that ODFW has made a determination that fish screens are not necessary at the time of permit issuance, the permittee may be required in the future to install, maintain, and operate fish-screening devices to prevent fish from entering the proposed diversion.

This permit allows an annual appropriation (not to exceed the specified volume). This permit does not provide for the appropriation of water for out-of-reservoir uses, the maintenance of the water level or maintaining a suitable freshwater condition. If any water is to be used for out-of-reservoir purposes, a secondary water right is required. If any additional live flow is to be appropriated to maintain either the water level or a suitable freshwater condition, an additional water right is required.

#### **STANDARD CONDITIONS**

1. Failure to comply with any of the provisions of this permit may result in action including, but not limited to, restrictions on the use, civil penalties, or cancellation of the permit.
2. This 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.
3. By law, the land use associated with this water use must be in compliance with statewide land-use goals and any local acknowledged land-use plan.

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4. The use of water allowed herein may be made only at times when sufficient water is available to satisfy all prior rights, including prior rights for maintaining instream flows.
5. If the riparian area is disturbed in the process of developing a point of diversion, the permittee shall be responsible for restoration and enhancement of such riparian area in accordance with ODFW's Fish and Wildlife Habitat Mitigation Policy OAR 635-415. For purposes of mitigation, the ODFW Fish and Wildlife Habitat Mitigation Goals and Standards, OAR Chapter 635, Division 415, shall be followed.
6. The use may be restricted if the quality of downstream waters decreases to the point that those waters no longer meet existing state or federal water quality standards due to reduced flows.
7. If the volume of the completed reservoir is 9.2 acre feet or more and a dam is used to impound the water, the height of the dam shall be less than 10.0 feet.
8. Construction of the water system shall begin within five years of the date of permit issuance. The deadline to begin construction may not be extended. This permit is subject to cancellation proceedings if the begin construction deadline is missed.
9. The permitted volume of water shall be stored within five years of the date of permit issuance. If additional time is needed, the permittee may submit an application for extension of time, which may be approved based upon the merit of the application.
10. Within one year after storage of water, the permittee shall submit a claim of beneficial use to the Oregon Water Resources Department.
11. The claim of beneficial use shall be prepared by a Certified Water Right Examiner in conformance with the requirements of OAR 690-014 if an associated secondary permit exists for the use of stored water under this permit, or if the reservoir capacity is equal to or greater than 9.2 acre-feet.
12. If no secondary permit exists and the reservoir capacity is less than 9.2 acre-feet of water, the claim of beneficial use need not be prepared by a Certified Water Right Examiner. The information submitted to the Oregon Water Resources Department shall include:
  - a. the dimensions of the reservoir;
  - b. the maximum capacity of the reservoir in acre-feet; and
  - c. a map identifying the location of the reservoir prepared in compliance with Departmental standards.

Issued JANUARY 19 2017

*E. Timothy Wallin*

E. Timothy Wallin, Water Rights Program Manager  
for Thomas M. Byler, Director

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