2015 FIELD ACTIVITY REPORT

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REGION & WATERMASTER DISTRICTS



REGION & WATERMASTER OFFICES

- Strategic Measurement Strategy
- Transfer Application Reviews & Processing
- Well Construction Inspections
- Water Distribution
- Customer Service & Public Outreach
- Investigation & Referral of Formal Enforcements
- Dam Safety Inspections
- Stream Gaging & Measurements

2015 REGULATION

"Any action that causes a change in use or maintenance, or a field inspection that confirms that no change is needed to comply with the water right, statute, or order to the department"



2015 SURFACE WATER REGUALTION

20,361 Regulatory Actions 586 Streams Regulated



NOTICE of REGULATION of WATER USE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the responsible party, that I have regulated and posted this WATER USE CONTROL on ______, 20____, at ______ hrs., and the same is under my control. This order is posted according to ORS 540.045 and is legal notice to anyone interested in the diversion or use of water from ______. You may not lawfully change or interfere with this water use control. A violation of this regulation is punishable by a fine and/or imprisonment. This order expires on _______ at ______ hrs., unless otherwise notified by the Watermaster.

REASON FOR REGULATION

- Use of water without a valid water right.
- Violation of permit condition.
- □ Violation of ORS 540.310 and 540.320 (headgate/measuring device).
- Water supply insufficient to satisfy senior rights.
- Other_____

WATERMASTER, DISTRICT NO. _____ Phone: (_____

This is a FINAL ORDER in other than a contested case, subject to judicial review under ORS 183.484. Any petition for judicial review of the order must be filed within the time specified by ORS 183.484(2). Pursuant to ORS 536.075 and OAR 137-004-0080 you may either 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.

OREGON WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

Effective immediately, your surface water right newer than February 19, 1963, is regulated off due to low stream flow. In-house domestic use, stock water, and supplemental supplies from reservoirs or wells are not affected by this regulation. If you have any questions, please contact our office.

Watermaster District 18

1400 SW Walnut St, #240 Hillsboro, OR 97123 (503) 846-7780

For stream flow, water right and well information, visit our Website at: www.co.washington.or.us/watermaster

Please help us keep our records current by notifying us of any address or ownership changes. Is there a lessee on the property who should be notified? Are you no longer using the water right?

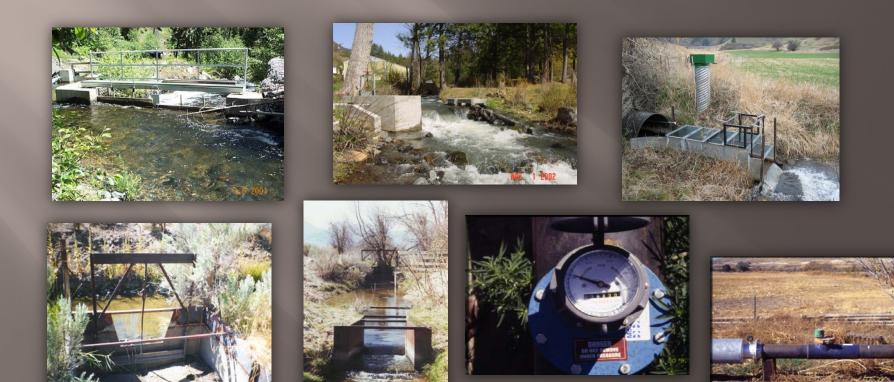


2015 DAM SAFETY 188 Dam Safety Inspections

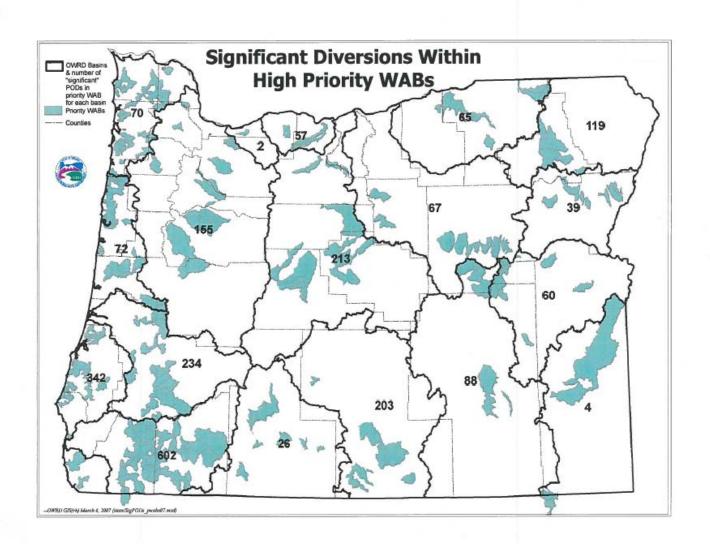


STRATEGIC MEASUREMENT STRATEGY

Significant Points of Diversion (SigPOD)



HIGH PRIORITY AREAS



MEASUREMENT OF SIGNIFICANT DIVERSIONS Installations by year:

SIGNIFICANT DIVERSIONS SUMMARY

Diversions with Measurement 1,005
 Diversions Abandoned or Unused 655
 Diversions to be Addressed 725
 TOTAL 2,385

As of July 2016

WELL CONSTRUCTION & COMPLIANCE

- Develop WellConstruction Standards
- Monitor Start Card Submittal
- Exempt Use Water
 Well Recording
- Well Licensing and Continuing Education
- Well Inspections
- Forfeiture Cases
- Contested Case Hearings





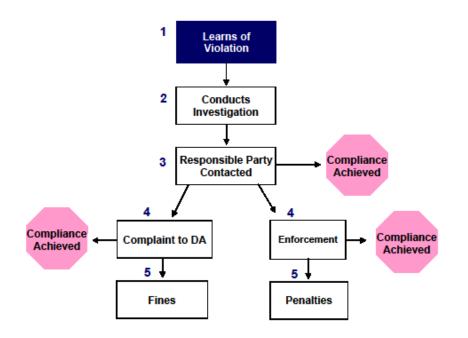


"New" Wells Inspected

Year	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
New Wells Starts	2583	2218	2413	2637	2919
New Wells Inspected	730	721	959	947	1296
% New Wells Inspected	28%	33%	40%	36%	44%

VIOLATION ENFORCEMENT PROCEDURES

Water Right Violations: Enforcement Procedure



FORMAL ENFORCEMENTS

Year	Well Construction Enforcement	Water Right Enforcement	Civil Penalties Assessed
2011	6	1	\$18,687
2012	0	0	0
2013	1	0	\$1,150
2014	2	0	\$1,400
2015	1	1	\$3,250

QUESTIONS?

