



STATE OF WASHINGTON  
DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

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June 7, 2016

City of Newport  
200 South Washington Avenue  
Newport, Washington 99156

Re: Ground Water Permit No. G3-30739

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed is your permit to be retained for your records. Please read the enclosed information sheet, as well as your entire permit.

This permit authorizes you to construct your project and put water to use.

We are enclosing a *Construction Notice* form. Once you begin construction, complete and submit the form to this office. **If you cannot begin your project by September 1, 2018, you must contact this office to apply for an extension.**

If you have any questions, please contact Gene Drury at 509-329-3566.

Sincerely,

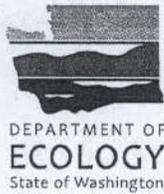
Karen Tusa  
Water Resources Program  
Eastern Regional Office

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Enclosures: Permit

*Construction Notice*  
*Important Information About Your Water Right Permit*



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**PERMIT**

TO APPROPRIATE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

**PRIORITY DATE**  
May 14, 2015

**PERMIT NUMBER**  
G3-30739

**NAME & ADDRESS**  
City of Newport  
200 S. Washington Avenue  
Newport, WA 99156

**Quantity Authorized for Withdrawal**

WITHDRAWAL RATE	UNITS	ANNUAL QUANTITY	UNITS
350	GPM	320	AF/YR

**Purpose**

PURPOSE	WITHDRAWAL RATE	ANNUAL QUANTITY	PERIOD OF USE (mm/dd)
Municipal	350 GPM	320 AF/YR	01/01 - 12/31

**Source**

SOURCE	COUNTY	WATERBODY	WATER RESOURCE INVENTORY AREA
Eleven (11) wells	PEND OREILLE	GROUNDWATER	62
PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM INFORMATION		WATER SYSTEM ID	APPROVED CONNECTIONS
City of Newport, Washington		59350	1196

**Source Locations**

Source	Parcel #	Well Tag	Twp	Rng	Sec	QQ	Latitude	Longitude
Well B	N/A	AHC032	31N	45E	24	SE¼NE¼	48.17523°N	117.04845°W
Well C	N/A	AHC026	31N	45E	24	SE¼NE¼	48.17402°N	117.04728°W
Well D	N/A	AHC030	31N	45E	24	NE¼SE¼	48.17333°N	117.05240°W
Well E	N/A	AHC031	31N	45E	24	NE¼SE¼	48.17334°N	117.05237°W
Well F	N/A	AHC027	31N	45E	24	SE¼NE¼	48.17425°N	117.04939°W
Well G	N/A	AHC028	31N	45E	24	SE¼NE¼	48.17436°N	117.04987°W
Well H	N/A	AHC033	31N	45E	24	NW¼NE¼	48.17875°N	117.05763°W
Well I	N/A	AHC029	31N	45E	24	SE¼NE¼	48.17447°N	117.05034°W
Well J	N/A	BAF333	31N	45E	24	SW¼NE¼	48.17649°N	117.05344°W
Well K	N/A	BAF335	31N	45E	24	SW¼NE¼	48.17628°N	117.05415°W
Well M	N/A	N/A	31N	46E	19	SW¼SW¼	48.16962°N	117.04523°W

Datum: WGS84

**Place of Use**

**LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF AUTHORIZED PLACE OF USE**

Area served by the City of Newport. The place of use (POU) of this water right is the service area described in the most recent Water System Plan approved by the Washington State Department of Health, so long as the water system is and remains in compliance with the criteria in RCW 90.03.386(2). RCW 90.03.386 may have the effect of revising the place of use of this water right.

**Proposed Works**

Eleven (11) wells, pumps, reservoirs and distribution system

**Development Schedule**

BEGIN PROJECT	COMPLETE PROJECT	PUT WATER TO FULL USE
September 1, 2018	September 1, 2020	September 1, 2046

**Measurement of Water Use**

How often must water use be measured?	Weekly
How often must water use data be reported to Ecology?	Upon Request by Ecology
What volume should be reported?	Total Annual Volume
What rate should be reported?	Annual Peak Rate of Withdrawal (gpm)

**Provisions**

Existing water rights for the City of Newport including this authorization total 1,034 gallons per minute and 1,418 acre-feet per year, continuously, for municipal supply (Under G3-30739, Ground Water Certificate Nos. G3-22797C, G3-25887C and G3-26830C).

This authorization to make use of public waters of the State is subject to existing rights, including any existing rights held by the United States for the benefit of Indians under treaty or otherwise

Nothing in this authorization shall be construed as satisfying other applicable federal, state, or local statutes, ordinances, or regulations.

**Wells, Well Logs and Well Construction Standards**

All wells constructed in the state shall meet the construction requirements of WAC 173-160 titled "Minimum Standards for the Construction and Maintenance of Wells" and RCW 18.104 titled "Water Well Construction". Any well which is unusable, abandoned, or whose use has been permanently discontinued, or which is in such disrepair that its continued use is impractical or is an environmental, safety or public health hazard shall be decommissioned.

All wells shall be tagged with a Department of Ecology unique well identification number. If you have an existing well and it does not have a tag, please contact the well-drilling coordinator at the regional Department of Ecology office issuing this decision. This tag shall remain attached to the well. If you are required to submit water measuring reports, reference this tag number.

Installation and maintenance of an access port as described in WAC 173-160-291(3) is required. An air line and gauge may be installed in addition to the access port.

### Measurements, Monitoring, Metering and Reporting

An approved measuring device shall be installed and maintained for each of the sources identified herein in accordance with the rule "Requirements for Measuring and Reporting Water Use", Chapter 173-173 WAC. Water use data shall be recorded weekly and maintained by the property owner for a minimum of five years, and shall be promptly submitted to Ecology upon request.

WAC 173-173 describes the requirements for data accuracy, device installation and operation, and information reporting. It also allows a water user to petition the Department of Ecology for modifications to some of the requirements.

### Department of Health Requirements

Prior to any new construction or alterations of a public water supply system, the State Board of Health rules require public water supply owners to obtain written approval from the Office of Drinking Water of the Washington State Department of Health. Please contact the Office of Drinking Water prior to beginning (or modifying) your project at DOH/Division of Environmental Health, 16201 E. Indiana Avenue, Suite 1500, Spokane Valley, WA 99216, (509) 329-2100.

### Water Use Efficiency

The water right holder is required to maintain efficient water delivery systems and use of up-to-date water conservation practices consistent with RCW 90.03.005.

### Proof of Appropriation

The water right holder shall file the notice of Proof of Appropriation of water (under which the certificate of water right is issued) when the permanent distribution system has been constructed and the quantity of water required by the project has been put to full beneficial use. The certificate will reflect the extent of the project perfected within the limitations of the permit. Elements of a proof inspection may include, as appropriate, the source(s), system instantaneous capacity, beneficial use(s), annual quantity, place of use, and satisfaction of provisions.

### Schedule and Inspections

Department of Ecology personnel, upon presentation of proper credentials, shall have access at reasonable times, to the project location, and to inspect at reasonable times, records of water use, wells, diversions, measuring devices and associated distribution systems for compliance with water law.

This permit shall be subject to cancellation should the permittee fail to comply with the above development schedule and/or to give notice to the Department of Ecology on forms provided by that Department documenting such compliance.

Dated this 7<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2016, at Spokane, Washington,

DATA REVIEW  
OK   *KS*  

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Department of Ecology

by   *Victoria Leuba*   for

Keith L. Stoffel, Section Manager

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