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RULE CAPTION

Extending Reservations of Water for Economic Development for Burnt River Areas of the Powder Basin.

Not more than 15 words that reasonably identifies the subject matter of the agency's intended action.

Hearing Date	Time	Location	Hearings Officer
1-25-16	6:00 p.m.	Best Western Sunridge Inn, Library/Marilyn's Room, 1 Sunridge Lane,	Commissioner Bruce Corn
1-26-16	4:00 p.m.	North Mall Office Building, OWRD, 725 Summer St. NE, Room 124b,	Commissioner Bob

RULEMAKING ACTION

Secure approval of rule numbers with the Administrative Rules Unit prior to filing.

ADOPT:

AMEND:

690-509-0000; 690-509-0100

REPEAL:

RENUMBER: Secure approval of new rule numbers with the Administrative Rules Unit prior to filing.

AMEND AND RENUMBER: Secure approval of new rule numbers with the Administrative Rules Unit prior to filing.

Statutory Authority:

ORS 536 & 537

Other Authority:

OAR 690-079-0160 (temporary rule)

Statutes Implemented:

ORS 536.220, 536.310, 537.249, 537.356 & 537.358

RULE SUMMARY

A reservation of water for future economic development sets aside a quantity of water for storage to meet future needs. The rules establishing the Burnt River reservations of water are set to expire on March 8, 2016, unless extended by rule by the Water Resources Commission. These rule amendments would extend reservations of water for future economic development for the South Fork Burnt River, North Fork Burnt River, and Burnt River Subbasins of the Powder River Basin for an additional 20 years, to 2036, and change reporting requirements. Without these rule amendments, the Burnt River area reservations will expire. In addition, the rules include corrections to clarify that the uses for the reservations are classified uses and address inconsistencies in terminology.

The Agency requests public comment on whether other options should be considered for achieving the rule's substantive goals while reducing negative economic impact of the rule on business.

02-04-2016 5:00 p.m.
Last Day (m/d/yyyy) and Time
for public comment

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