Public Health Division

Center for Health Protection, Drinking Water Services



Tina Kotek, Governor

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Robbie West Klamath Falls Water Department PO Box 237 Klamath Falls, OR 97601

sent by email only

Re: South 6th Booster (PR#112-2025)

Klamath Falls Water Department (PWS ID#00443)

Conditional Approval

Dear Robbie West:

Thank you for your submittal to the Oregon Health Authority's Drinking Water Services (DWS) of plan review information for the pump station for Klamath Falls Water Department. On October 1st, 2025, DWS received drawings, report, and an updated plan review fee of \$825.

The project includes the design and construction of new water lines and a pump station within the City of Klamath Falls, Oregon. The Klamath Falls Water District has a current exemption from waterline plan review and the project's new distribution line has not been reviewed as part of this plan review.

The plans are approved subject to the following conditions:

Pumping facilities-

- Pumps which take suction from distribution mains for the purpose of serving areas of higher elevation shall be provided with a low-pressure cut-off switch on the suction side set at no less than 20 psi. With as-built construction, provide verification that this construction standard has been met. Reference OAR 333-061-0050(7)(b).
- The area around the pumping station shall be graded so that surface drainage is away from the station. With as-built construction, provide verification that this construction standard has been met. Reference OAR 333-061-0050(7)(d).
- The door to the pumping station shall be lockable. With as-built construction, provide verification that this construction standard has been met. Reference OAR 333-061-

0050(7)(e).

Disinfection of Facilities-

 Following construction or installation of new facilities and repairs to existing facilities, those portions of the facilities which will be in contact with water delivered to users must be cleaned and flushed with potable water and disinfected according to AWWA Standards C651 through C654 before they are placed into service. Reference OAR 333-061-0050(10)(a).

Until we receive verification that the conditions have been met and final approval has been issued, the pump station is not approved for use. Upon completion of the project, the engineer must verify in writing that construction was completed according to the submitted plans. If substantial changes are made, a set of as-built drawings must be submitted. Documentation demonstrating how the above conditions were met should reference Plan Review #112-2025 and can be emailed to me at zachariah.cunningham-golik@oha.oregon.gov.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at 541-231-9077.

Sincerely,

Zach Golik, PE Regional Engineer Drinking Water Services

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