

# CLASSIFIEDS

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**New Starting Wage, \$10/Hour!** **SUBWAY** is now hiring for all shifts. Apply in person and ask for Lisa or Kim, or email resumé to: [subway2sisters@aol.com](mailto:subway2sisters@aol.com)

**Part-time person** wanted to assist in property management office. Experience in the vacation rental industry & familiarity with Black Butte Ranch is highly desirable. 20 to 30 hrs. per week, year-round. Must be available weekends and some holidays, have computer and typing skills, plus some physical work is required. Call Jody for more information at 541-549-5555 x2.

**BLACK BUTTE RANCH** is hiring 150 resort positions for the 2016 summer season! Interviews are currently being conducted. Review opportunities and apply online at [www.blackbutteranch.com](http://www.blackbutteranch.com)

**Hot Tub Cleaning: Aqua Clear** seeks full-time employee, year-round. Must have clean driving & background check. Will train! Email resumé to [aquaclearoregon@gmail.com](mailto:aquaclearoregon@gmail.com) or call Rick at 541-410-1023.

**Black Butte Painting** is hiring for the season. All experience levels, pay DOE. Email [blackbuttepainting@gmail.com](mailto:blackbuttepainting@gmail.com)

## 999 Public Notice

### NOTICE OF BUDGET COMMITTEE MEETING

A public meeting of the Budget Committee of the Sisters-Camp Sherman Rural Fire Protection District, Deschutes and Jefferson Counties, State of Oregon, to discuss the budget for the fiscal year July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2017, will be held at 301 South Elm Street, Sisters, Oregon 97759.

The meeting will take place on May 24, 2016 at 5:00 p.m. The purpose of the meeting is to receive the budget message and to receive comment from the public on the budget. A copy of the budget document may be inspected or obtained on or after May 13, 2016 at 301 South Elm Street, Sisters, Oregon 97759, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

This is a public meeting where deliberation of the Budget Committee will take place. Any person may appear at the meeting and discuss the proposed programs with the Budget Committee.

#### Notice of Preliminary Determination for Water Right Transfer T-11320 (Mitigation Credit Project MP-160)

T-11320 filed by Deschutes River Conservancy, 700 NW Hill Street, Bend, OR 97703, proposes a place of use and character of use change under Certificates 36137 and 67284. Together the rights allow the use of 0.67 cfs from Whychus Creek (formerly Squaw Creek) in Sec. 9, T15S, R10E, WM for irrigation in Sec. 4. The applicant proposes to create an instream use in the Whychus Creek from the point of diversion to the mouth into Deschutes River from the point of diversion to the mouth at a maximum of 0.44 cfs, and to establish mitigation credits in the Deschutes Groundwater Study Area. The Water Resources Department proposes to approve the transfer, based on the requirements of ORS Chapter 540, OAR 690-380-5000 and OAR 690-077-0075. The Department has also concluded that the proposed transfer appears to result in mitigation credits pursuant to OAR 690-521-0300 & OAR 690-521-0400.

Any person may file, jointly or severally, a protest or standing statement within 30 days after the last date of newspaper publication of this notice, 05/25/2016, or publication of notice in the Department's weekly notice, whichever is later. Call (503) 986-0807 to obtain additional information or a protest form. If no protests are filed, the Department will issue a final order consistent with the preliminary determination.

#### Notice of Preliminary Determination for Water Right Transfer T-11321 (Mitigation Credit Project MP-161)

T-11321 filed by City of Sisters, PO Box 39, Sisters, OR 97759, proposes a place of use and character of use change under Certificate 81663. The right allows the use of 0.8 cfs from Whychus Creek (formerly Squaw Creek) in Sec. 9, T15S, R10E, WM for irrigation in Sec. 4. The applicant proposes to create an instream use in Whychus Creek from the point of diversion to the

mouth into Deschutes River at a maximum of 0.06 cfs, and to establish mitigation credits in the Deschutes Groundwater Study Area. The applicant has also submitted an affidavit to cancel a portion of Certificate 81664. The Water Resources Department proposes to approve the transfer, based on the requirements of ORS Chapter 540, OAR 690-380-5000 and OAR 690-077-0075. The Department has also concluded that the proposed transfer appears to result in mitigation credits pursuant to OAR 690-521-0300 & OAR 690-521-0400.

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#### Notice of Preliminary Determination for Water Right Transfer T-11358 (Mitigation Credit Project MP-165)

T-11358 filed by John and Peggy Tehan, PO Box 34, Sisters, OR 97759, proposes a place of use and character of use change under Certificates 67284 and 81663. Together the rights allow the use of 0.222 cfs from the Whychus Creek (formerly Squaw Creek) in Sec. 9, T15S, R10E, WM for irrigation in Sec. 4. The applicant proposes to create an instream use in Whychus Creek from the point of diversion to the mouth into Deschutes River from the point of diversion to the mouth at a maximum of 0.15 cfs, and to establish mitigation credits in the Deschutes Groundwater Study Area. The Water Resources Department proposes to approve the transfer, based on the requirements of ORS Chapter 540, OAR 690-380-5000 and OAR 690-077-0075. The Department has also concluded that the proposed transfer appears to result in mitigation credits pursuant to OAR 690-521-0300 & OAR 690-521-0400.

Any person may file, jointly or severally, a protest or standing statement within 30 days after the last date of newspaper publication of this notice, 05/18/2016, or publication of notice in the Department's weekly notice, whichever is later. Call (503) 986-0807 to obtain additional information or a protest form. If no protests are filed, the Department will issue a final order consistent with the preliminary determination.

#### TOO MUCH STUFF?

Ready to have a Garage Sale? Now's the Season! For Results, advertise it in THE NUGGET! Deadline is Monday, NOON. 541-549-9941

## OUR DRINKING WATER QUALITY TOLLGATE WATER COMPANY 2015

Federal and state agencies require each community water system to provide an annual Consumer Confidence Report (CCR) to each customer. This is Tollgate Water Company's (TWC) 2015 report.

Where does my water come from?

TGW's water is derived from two wells, which pump from a ground water aquifer. One well is located at the east end of Wagon Wheel in section 5. The other is located just north of the fire substation.

Source water assessment and its availability

The 1996 Amendments to the Safe Drinking Water Act require all states to conduct Source Water Assessments for public water systems within their boundaries. The assessments consist of (1) identification of the Drinking Water Protection Area, i.e., the area at the surface that is directly above that part of the aquifer that supplies water to our wells, (2) identification of the potential sources of pollution within the Drinking Water Protection Area, and (3) determination of the susceptibility or relative risk to the well water from those pollution sources. The purpose of the assessment is to provide water systems with the information needed to develop a strategy to protect the drinking water resource. The respective Drinking Water Programs of the Department of Human Services and Environmental Quality have completed the assessment for Tollgate's wells. A copy of the report is on file at the water system's office.

Why are there contaminants in drinking water?

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791)

Is my water safe?

Last year, 2015, as in years past, your tap water met all U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and state drinking water health standards. Tollgate Water Company is proud to report that our system has not violated a maximum contamination level or any other water quality standard. Not all contaminants are tested annually. For those, which are not tested annually, the most recent sampling results occurring in the last five years must be reported, if the contaminant was present.

To help you understand terms and abbreviations found in Table One we provide the following definitions:

Parts per million (PPM) or Milligrams per liter (mg/l) – one part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny in \$10,000.

Maximum Contamination Level – the "Maximum Allowed" (MCL) is the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

Maximum Contamination Level Goal – the "Goal" (MCLG) is the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

Table One						
CONTAMINANT	VIOLATION YES NO	LEVEL DETECTED	UNIT MEASUREMENTS	MCLG	MCL	LIKELY SOURCE OF CONTAMINATION
Fluoride 1/12/07/1 Well #4	No	0.1620	PPM	4	4	Erosion of natural deposits, water additive which promotes strong teeth, discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories.
Fluoride 1/16/07/1 Well #2	No	0.1110	PPM	4	4	Erosion of natural deposits, water additive which promotes strong teeth, discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories.
Lead 7/27/12	No	0.002	PPM	0	0.0155	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits.
Copper 7/27/12	No	0.1430	PPM	1.3	1.35	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion of natural deposits.
Nitrite 1/16/07/1 Well #1	No	0.04	PPM	1	1	Runoff from fertilizer use, leaching from septic tanks, sewage, erosion of natural deposits.
Gross Alpha 1/20/07/2 Well #1	No	2,400	PC/L	0	15	Erosion of natural deposits.
Gross Alpha 1/20/07/2 Well #2	No	2,800	PC/L	0	15	Erosion of natural deposits.
Radium 1/20/07/2 Well #1	No	2,200	PC/L	0	5	Erosion of natural deposits.
Radium 1/20/07/2 Well #2	No	2,800	PC/L	0	5	Erosion of natural deposits.

MCLs are set at very stringent levels. To understand the possible health effects described for many regulated constituents, a person would have to drink two liters of water every day at the MCL level for a lifetime to have a one-in-a-million chance of having the described health effect.

Health effects

Some people who drink water containing fluoride in excess of the MCL over many years could develop bone disease, including pain and tenderness of the bones. Fluoride in drinking water at half the MCL or more may cause mottling of children's teeth, usually in children less than nine years old. Mottling also known as dental fluorosis, may include brown staining and/or pitting of the teeth, and occurs only in developing teeth before they erupt from the gums.

Infants and children who drink water containing lead in excess of the action level (Action level is the concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water company must follow. Action level for lead and copper are the same as their respective MCLs) could experience delays in their physical or mental development. Children could show slight deficits in attention span and learning abilities. Adults who drink this water over many years could develop kidney problems or high blood pressure.

Copper is an essential nutrient, but some people who drink water containing copper in excess of the action level over a relatively short amount of time could experience gastrointestinal distress. Some people who drink water containing copper in excess of the action level over many years could suffer liver or kidney damage. People with Wilson's disease should consult their personal doctor.

Infants below the age of six months who drink water containing nitrite in excess of the MCL could become seriously ill and, if untreated, may die. Symptoms include shortness of breath and blue-baby syndrome.

Some people who consume water containing alpha emitters or radium in excess of the MCLs over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.

Do I need to take special precautions?

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/Aids or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/Centers for Disease Control (CDC) guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Water Drinking Hotline (800-426-4791).

How can I get involved?

Your continued cooperation in such programs as the cross connection program helps insure the quality of our water. If you have questions about the water system or the quality of your water, call Betty Fadeley at 541-549-7962 or Lynn Lounsbury at 541-419-9593, or attend water board meetings, which are held the fourth Tuesday of January, April, July, and October in the Tollgate Recreation Hall at 7:00 p.m.

Malcolm Murphy Board Chair  
Lynn Lounsbury Distribution Manager