

CONFLICT ACKNOWLEDGMENT STATEMENT

I (We), _____, am (are) the owner(s) of certain real property located in Wallowa County, Oregon. The address for the property is _____, and the legal description is Township _____, Range _____, Section _____, Tax Lot(s) _____.

I (We) have applied for _____ on land zoned _____. The Wallowa County Right to Farm Ordinance provides that conflict between authorized farm and forest practices and residential uses will be resolved in favor the Oregon Forest Practices Act. The Wallowa County Right to Farm Ordinance States:

“It is the purpose of this Ordinance to conserve, protect, and encourage the development and improvement of the agricultural and other resource-based industries of Wallowa County and the use of modern technology for the production of food and other resource-based products. Continued rural residential development and/or urbanization gives rise to conflict between resource activities and non-resource uses. Generally accepted resource practices offend, annoy, interfere with, and otherwise affect non-resource uses located on resource lands or nearby resource uses. As a result, resource activities are often subjected to lawsuits or complaints from non-resource users. In the end, agricultural and other resource-based industries are sometimes forced to cease operating when non-resource uses are located nearby. This causes a decline in available local supplies of food and fibre. Declining access to local production of food and fiber threatens the continued prosperity, health, and safety of Wallowa County and must be avoided. The Wallowa County Court has concluded that the resource-industry base in Wallowa County must be protected from such lawsuits or complaints that limit the productivity of resource lands”.

On behalf of myself (ourselves) and in behalf of my (our) heirs, assigns, and purchasers, I (We) hereby acknowledge the residential use on my (our) property is subordinate to ; and conflict will be resolved in favor of; farm, forest, and mining practices which are consistent with the Oregon Forest Practices Act and other applicable regulations. I (We) acknowledge these practices may involve the application of herbicides or fertilizers (including aerial spraying), road construction, changes in view, noise, dust, traffic, and other impacts. I (We) recognize the residential use of our property may be impacted by such activities. In the event of conflict; we agree to give preference to normal farm, forest, and mining practices.

Applicant

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STATE OF OREGON }
 }ss.
County of Wallowa }

On this _____ day of _____, 20____, _____, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the aforementioned State and County, and executed the foregoing Conflict Acknowledgment Statement and confessed it to be a voluntary act.

Notary Public of Oregon
My Commission Expires: _____