2007-013257 Klamath County, Oregon

RECORDING REQUESTED BY AND WHEN RECORDED MAIL TO: Stephen M. Dyer U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service California/Nevada Realty Office 2800 Cottage Way, W-1832

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Sacramento, California 95825

#### WARRANTY DEED

THE NATURE CONSERVANCY, a District of Columbia ron-profit corporation, whose address is 4245 N. Fairfax Drive, Arlington, VA 22203 ("Grantor"), for and in consideration of the sum of Three Million One Hundred Fifty-nine Thousand Five Hundred Ninety-nine and no/100 Dollars (\$3,159,599.00), lawful money of the United States to us in hand paid by the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, does by these presents conveyand warrant unto the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, and its assigns (hereinafter "Grantee"), the fee simple interest in all that certain real property situate and lying in the, County of Klamath, State of Oregon, containing 1,257.03 acres, more or less, being more particularly describedas follows:

U.S. TRACT (11b): Parcel 3 of Land Partition 71-06, situated in Sections 29, 30, 31, and 32, Township 34 South, Range 7½ East, of the Willamette Meridian, and in the North ½ of Section 5 and the North ½ of Section 6, Township 35 South, Range 71/2 East, W.M., Klamath County, Oregon containing 1,257.03 acres, more or less

Tax Parcel Number: R77892 and R77776

#### **TOGETHER WITH:**

- 1. All water and water rights, including without limitation all appropriative, overlying, groundwater and riparian rights appurtenant to the property described herein, springs, wells, stock water, ditches, ditch rights-of-way, and other water rights applied for, adjudicated, appropriated, decreed, vested or appurtenant to the abovedescribed lands.
- 2. All and singular the tenements, hereditaments, and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in anywise appertaining; all the estate, title, dower, right of homestead, claim or demand whatsoever of the grantor, and any buildings and improvements thereon and all rights and appurtenances thereto.
- 3. Grantor's right title and interest in and to all minerals, oil, gaand other hydrocarbons appurtenant to said property.
- 4. All rights, title and interest of the Grantors in and to any alleys, streets, ways, strips or gores abutting or adjoining the lands.

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#### SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING:

- 1. Existing easements, restrictions, and other matters of record and rights of way, of record or in use, for roads, pipelines, ditches, conduits, telephone and electrical transmission lines, on, over and across said premises; and
- 2. Existing estates, interests and rights in and to coal, oil, gas and any and all other minerals, reserved to or outstanding in third parties; and

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD, the above granted and described premises, with all and singular the rights and appurtenances thereto in any way belonging unto the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA and its assigns forever. And the said grantor, for itself, its successors and its assigns, does covenant with the grantee and its assigns, that it is well seized in fee of the lands and premises aforesaid and has good right to sell and convey the same in manner and form aforesaid, and that the same are free from all encumbrances whatsoever.

The herein described land and interest therein is being acquired by the Department of the Interior, through its representative, the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, located at 2800 Cottage Way, W-1832, Sacramento, CA 95825

The true consideration for this conveyance is \$3,159,599.

BEFORE SIGNING OR ACCEPTING THIS INSTRUMENT, THE PERSON TRANSFERRING FEE TITLE SHOULD INQUIRE ABOUT THE PERSON'S RIGHTS, IF ANY, UNDER ORS 197.352. THIS INSTRUMENT DOES NOT ALLOW USE OF THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN THIS INSTRUMENT IN VIOLATION OF APPLICABLE LAND USE LAWS AND REGULATIONS. BEFORE SIGNING OR ACCEPTING THIS INSTRUMENT, THE PERSON ACQUIRING FEE TITLE TO THE PROPERTY SHOULD CHECK WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OR COUNTY PLANNING DEPARTMENT TO VERIFY APPROVED USES, TO DETERMINE ANY LIMITS ON LAWSUITS AGAINST FARMING OR FOREST PRACTICES AS DEFINED IN ORS 30.930 AND TO INQUIRE ABOUT THE RIGHTS OF NEIGHBORING PROPERTY OWNERS, IF ANY, UNDER ORS 197.352.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the grantor has caused this deed to be executed this 9 day of 2007.

THE NATURE CONSERVANCY,

a District of Columbia non-profit corporation

Russell Hoeflich, Oregon State Director

### **ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

STATE OF OREGON

**COUNTY OF MULTNOMAH** 

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The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me on July 9, 2007, by RUSSELL HOEFLICH, the Oregon State Director of The Nature Conservancy, a District of Columbia non-profit corporation, on behalf of said corporation.

OFFICIAL SEAL

JANA SETZLER

NOTARY PUBLIC-OREGON

COMMISSION NO. 385505

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES NOVEMBER 16, 2008

Notary Public for <u>Oregon</u>
MyCommission Expires: <u>//-/6-08</u>

## CERTIFICATE OF ACCEPTANCE

This is to certify that the Secretary of the Interior, acting by and through his authorized representative, the Realty Officer, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, hereby accepts on behalf of the United States of America, the real property described within the Warranty Deed and consents to the recordation of this document as noted by the authorized official signature below.

July 19, 2007

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

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