

# EAST COLUMBIA BASIN IRRIGATION DISTRICT

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### PRESS RELEASE

Due to weather, runoff and related damage the East Columbia Basin Irrigation District is adjusting start-up dates for the 2017 irrigation season.

The East District will change the filling of the East Low Canal from beginning March 21<sup>st</sup> to Friday, March 24<sup>th</sup>. Deliveries are expected to begin March 30<sup>th</sup> from the East Low Canal.

The Potholes East Canal will begin filling on March 13<sup>th</sup> with deliveries to Block 49 expected around March 23<sup>rd</sup>.

Irrigation deliveries will be dependent on demand in individual lateral systems. Pump plants will be started when orders are sufficient for start-up of the plants. Water users should contact their respective Watermaster Headquarters in Moses Lake or Othello or contact their ditchrider to receive current information and schedules.



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