

STATE OF MONTANA
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION
1424 9TH AVENUE P.O.BOX 201601 HELENA, MONTANA 59620-1601

GENERAL ABSTRACT

Water Right Number: 41QJ 97503-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM
Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STERLING RANCH CO
2929 CRAIG FRONTAGE RD
WOLF CREEK, MT 59648-8724

BRENDA J GRUEL
2985 CRAIG FRONTAGE RD
WOLF CREEK, MT 59648-8724

LONNIE S BLACKMAN
2985 CRAIG FRONTAGE RD
WOLF CREEK, MT 59648-8724

OWNERSHIP UPDATE PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT MAY BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE WATER RIGHTS UPON REQUEST OF THE OWNERS.

Priority Date: JANUARY 1, 1940

Enforceable Priority Date: JANUARY 1, 1940

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (use): STOCK

Maximum Flow Rate: A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM.

Maximum Volume: THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: WEGNER CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		N2	7	15N	2W	LEWIS AND CLARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		N2	11	15N	3W	LEWIS AND CLARK
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Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

3		N2	12	15N	3W	LEWIS AND CLARK
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Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 to DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

<u>ID</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1			N2	7	15N	2W	LEWIS AND CLARK
2			N2	11	15N	3W	LEWIS AND CLARK
3			N2	12	15N	3W	LEWIS AND CLARK

Geocodes/Valid: 05-2446-11-1-01-01-0000 - Y 05-2446-11-2-01-01-0000 - Y
05-2446-12-1-01-01-0000 - Y 05-2447-07-1-01-01-0000 - Y

Remarks:

STARTING IN 2008, PERIOD OF DIVERSION WAS ADDED TO MOST CLAIM ABSTRACTS, INCLUDING THIS ONE.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED

Remarks:

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 98662 RECEIVED 06/09/2010.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 147910 RECEIVED 09/29/2016.