

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:** 41O 114172-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM  
**Version:** 2 -- POST DECREE

**Version Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** RAYMOND W GUSTAFSON  
220 WOODLAND ESTATES RD  
GREAT FALLS, MT 59404-6406

**Priority Date:** APRIL 11, 1902

**Enforceable Priority Date:** APRIL 11, 1902

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose (use):** IRRIGATION

**Irrigation Type:** FLOOD

**Maximum Flow Rate:** 75.00 GPM

**Maximum Volume:** THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.

**Climatic Area:** 4 - MODERATELY LOW

**Maximum Acres:** 120.00

**Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ALDRICH COULEE AND SOUTH PONDERA COULEE

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS ALDRICH SPRINGS

THE SOURCE FOR THIS APPROPRIATION IS LOCATED ON THE DIVIDE BETWEEN ALDRICH COULEE IN BASIN 41O AND SOUTH PONDERA COULEE IN BASIN 41P. THE FLOW FROM THE SOURCE IS TRIBUTARY TO BOTH COULEES.

**Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:**

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		N2N2	26	27N	4W	TETON

**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**Diversion Means:** DEVELOPED SPRING

THIS WATER RIGHT CONSISTS OF THREE SPRINGS USED IN A MANIFOLDED GROUNDWATER SYSTEM.

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**Place of Use:**

<u>ID</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1	15.00		SWSE	23	27N	4W	TETON
2	30.00		S2SW	23	27N	4W	TETON
3	20.00		N2N2	25	27N	4W	TETON
4	55.00		N2N2	26	27N	4W	TETON
<b>Total:</b>	120.00						

**Geocodes/Valid:** 31-3854-23-3-01-01-0000 - Y      31-3854-25-2-01-01-0000 - Y  
31-3854-26-1-01-01-0000 - Y

**Remarks:**

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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

**OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED**

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 127022 RECEIVED 08/15/2014.

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