

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:** 43BV 7791-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM  
**Version:** 2 -- POST DECREE

**Version Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** CNJ DISTRIBUTING CORP  
PO BOX 20878  
BILLINGS, MT 59104

**Priority Date:** OCTOBER 1, 1889

**Enforceable Priority Date:** OCTOBER 1, 1889

**Type of Historical Right:** DECREED

**Purpose (use):** STOCK

**Maximum Flow Rate:**

**Maximum Volume:** THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING 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:** SWEET GRASS CREEK

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

**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		SENESE	34	5N	13E	SWEET GRASS

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

**Diversion Means:** MULTIPLE

**Ditch Name:** HART-PARKER DITCH

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 to DECEMBER 31

**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			W2	1	4N	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			E2SE	12	4N	13E	SWEET GRASS
3			SW	7	4N	14E	SWEET GRASS

**Geocodes/Valid:** -- NO VALID GEOCODES --

**Remarks:**

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

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/18/86.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/04/88.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/01/81.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/21/85.

ON APRIL 22, 1987 THE MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION FIELD A MEMORANDUM STATING THAT THE POINT OF DIVERSION IS ERRONEOUS. THIS WILL BE HEARD AFTER PROPER NOTICE ON THE NEXT OBJECTION LIST.