

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 7824-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM  
**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT  
**Version Status:** ACTIVE

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

**Priority Date:** JUNE 1, 1883  
**Enforceable Priority Date:** JUNE 1, 1883

**Type of Historical Right:** DECREED

**Purpose (use):** IRRIGATION  
**Irrigation Type:** FLOOD

**Maximum Flow Rate:** 562.50 GPM  
**Maximum Volume:** 495.00 AC-FT  
**Climatic Area:** 3 - MODERATE

**Maximum Acres:** 320.00  
**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:** APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 19  
**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE  
**Ditch Name:** HART-PARKER DITCH

**Period of Use:** APRIL 1 to OCTOBER 19

**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	160.00		SW	6	4N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	160.00		SE	7	4N	14E	SWEET GRASS
<b>Total:</b>	320.00						

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

**Remarks:**

THE WATER RIGHTS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE SUPPLEMENTAL WHICH MEANS THE RIGHTS HAVE OVERLAPPING PLACES OF USE. THE RIGHTS CAN BE COMBINED TO IRRIGATE ONLY OVERLAPPING PARCELS. EACH RIGHT IS LIMITED TO THE FLOW RATE AND PLACE OF USE OF THAT INDIVIDUAL RIGHT. THE SUM TOTAL VOLUME OF THESE WATER RIGHTS SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.

7822-00      7823-00      7824-00      7827-00      7828-00      7829-00      7830-00

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

ALTHOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO, THE PLACE OF USE HAS BEEN CHANGED TO REFLECT THE CHANGE IN ACRES IRRIGATED. THIS MAY BE HEARD AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

- NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/18/86.
- NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/01/81.
- NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/04/88.
- NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/21/85.