

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 127315-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM  
**Version:** 2 -- POST DECREE

**Version Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** MONTANA, STATE OF BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS  
TRUST LAND MANAGEMENT DIVISION  
PO BOX 201601  
HELENA, MT 59620-1601  
  
LEGACY RANCHES PARTNERS LP  
PO BOX 6279  
BOZEMAN, MT 59771

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE OWNERSHIPS AFTER FINAL DECREE.

**Priority Date:** SEPTEMBER 21, 1901

**Enforceable Priority Date:** SEPTEMBER 21, 1901

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**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		SWNENW	9	4N	14E	SWEET GRASS

**Period of Diversion:** APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

**Diversion Means:** DITCH

**Ditch Name:** NEVIN DITCH

**Period of Use:** APRIL 15 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			W2	15	4N	15E	SWEET GRASS
2			S2SE	15	4N	15E	SWEET GRASS
3			E2E2	22	4N	15E	SWEET GRASS
4			E2E2	27	4N	15E	SWEET GRASS
5			SW	26	4N	15E	SWEET GRASS

**Geocodes/Valid:** 40-1313-22-1-01-01-0000 - Y      40-1313-26-1-01-01-0000 - Y  
40-1313-27-4-04-04-0000 - Y

**Remarks:**

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

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/04/95.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/08/95.

**OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED**

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 22203 RECEIVED 04/28/2005.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 110203 RECEIVED 11/27/2012.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 133422 RECEIVED 06/22/2015.

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