

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:** 41J 128614-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM  
**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Version Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** MCGUIRES SHEEP CREEK LLC  
PO BOX 630  
WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, MT 59645-0630

**Priority Date:** JUNE 1, 1898

**Enforceable Priority Date:** JUNE 1, 1898

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose (use):** IRRIGATION

**Irrigation Type:** FLOOD

**Maximum Flow Rate:** 3.83 CFS

THE FLOW RATE OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN REDUCED TO THE 17 GPM PER ACRE GUIDELINE. THE FLOW RATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

**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:** 101.00

**Source Name:** POLE 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		SESESE	29	13N	6E	MEAGHER

**Period of Diversion:** MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE

**Ditch Name:** MCGUIRE DITCH

**Period of Use:** MAY 1 to OCTOBER 1

**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	18.00		NWNE	32	13N	6E	MEAGHER
2	17.00		SWNE	32	13N	6E	MEAGHER
3	10.00		NENW	32	13N	6E	MEAGHER
4	31.00		SENE	32	13N	6E	MEAGHER
5	2.00		NWSE	32	13N	6E	MEAGHER
6	23.00		NESW	32	13N	6E	MEAGHER
<b>Total:</b>	101.00						

**Geocodes/Valid:** 47-2225-32-2-01-01-0000 - Y

**Remarks:**

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 01/19/2006: PRIORITY DATE, TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT.

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

**OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED**

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 6328 RECEIVED 12/24/2002.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 128238 RECEIVED 12/01/2014.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 138756 RECEIVED 06/25/2015.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED APPROPRIATION ON POLE CREEK WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO. 4501, MEAGHER COUNTY.