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#### 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: 76H 136844-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Version Status: ACTIVE** 

Owners: DOUBLE FORK LLC

222 VIA MARNELL WAY LAS VEGAS, NV 89119

**Priority Date:** MARCH 1, 1871

Enforceable Priority Date: MARCH 1, 1871

Type of Historical Right: DECREED Purpose (use): STOCK

Maximum Flow Rate: A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE

CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT

HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

Maximum Volume: THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR

STOCK WATERING 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: BITTERROOT RIVER
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 SWNWSE 8 7N 20W RAVALLI

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MITCHELL SLOUGH (TUCKER HEADGATE)

2-SECONDARY SENWSW 4 7N 20W RAVALLI

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE **Ditch Name:** WOOD DITCH

3-SECONDARY SESWSW 4 7N 20W RAVALLI

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE **Ditch Name:** POINT B

WATER FROM BITTERROOT RIVER IS CONVEYED THROUGH MITCHELL SLOUGH

TO POINT B AND WOOD DITCHES TO THE PLACE OF USE.

Period of Use: APRIL 15 to OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

<u>ID</u>	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	<u>Sec</u>	<b>Twp</b>	Rge	<b>County</b>
1			N2	4	7N	20W	RAVALLI
2			E2NE	5	7N	20W	RAVALLI
3			SWSESE	28	8N	20W	RAVALLI
4			S2SWSE	28	8N	20W	RAVALLI
5			SESESW	28	8N	20W	RAVALLI
6			E2SE	32	8N	20W	RAVALLI
7			NE	33	8N	20W	RAVALLI
8			NENW	33	8N	20W	RAVALLI
9			S2	33	8N	20W	RAVALLI

Geocodes/Valid: 13-1565-04-2-01-05-0000 - Y 13-1565-04-2-01-07-0000 - Y

13-1565-05-1-01-06-0000 - Y 13-1666-32-1-01-09-0000 - Y 13-1666-33-1-01-04-0000 - Y 13-1666-33-1-01-06-0000 - Y 13-1666-33-1-01-07-0000 - Y

13-1666-33-1-01-08-0000 - 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.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 12/20/84.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/19/93.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/14/96.

# **OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED**

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 18560 RECEIVED 12/20/2004.

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 300 MINER'S INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1287, RAVALLI COUNTY. 136824-00, 136844-00, 151574-00, 151581-00.