

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: 43P 186134-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM
Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT
Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners:
BARBARA J YERGER
RR 1 BOX 1108
HARDIN, MT 59034

JOHN J YERGER
RR 1 BOX 1108
HARDIN, MT 59034-9714

JASON A WATSON
RR 1 BOX 1010
HARDIN, MT 59034-9707

TANYA R WATSON
RR 1 BOX 1010
HARDIN, MT 59034-9707

JUSTIN L WATSON
RR 1 BOX 1082
HARDIN, MT 59034-9712

CORINNE L WATSON
RR 1 BOX 1010A
HARDIN, MT 59034-9707

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 3, 1960
Enforceable Priority Date: NOVEMBER 3, 1960

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (use): IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Maximum Flow Rate: 436.90 GPM
THE FLOW RATE OF THIS CLAIM HAS BEEN REDUCED TO 17 GPM PER ACRE.
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: 1 - HIGH

Maximum Acres: 25.70

Source Name: BIGHORN 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	6	SE	27	1N	33E	BIG HORN

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1
Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: MAY 1 to NOVEMBER 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	16.00	1	NE	34	1N	33E	BIG HORN
2	9.70		NWNW	35	1N	33E	BIG HORN
Total:	25.70						

Geocodes/Valid: 22-1040-34-1-01-01-0000 - Y 22-1040-35-2-02-01-0000 - Y

Remarks:

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

OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 38861 RECEIVED 02/15/2006.

Remarks:

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 150955 RECEIVED 12/29/2016.

FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE.

USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 179-114 , DATED 09/26/1980 APPEARS TO INDICATE 5.7 ACRES
IRRIGATED. A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE.