

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: 40M 30007655 EXEMPT NOTICE
Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT
Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BARTHELMESS RANCH CORP
27288 CONTENT RD
MALTA, MT 59538

Priority Date: MARCH 31, 1893
Enforceable Priority Date: MARCH 31, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (use): STOCK

Maximum Flow Rate:

Maximum Volume: 5.00 AC-FT

Source Name: SMITH COULEE
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> |
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| 1 | | E2SE | 30 | 27N | 32E | PHILLIPS |

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE
FOR EXACT LOCATION SEE MAP IN THE FILE.

Purpose (Use): STOCK
Volume: 5.00 AC-FT
Period of Use: JANUARY 1 to DECEMBER 31

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> |
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Geocodes/Valid: 11-3891-30-1-01-01-0000 - Y

Remarks:

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