

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: 41G 95649-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners:

VINCENT G KEOGH
1 TOBACCO ROOT CIRCLE
WHITEHALL, MT 59759

FITZGERALD WHITETAIL RANCH LLC
PO BOX 88
WHITEHALL, MT 59759-0088

MARTHANNE KEOGH
1 TOBACCO ROOT CIRCLE
WHITEHALL, MT 59759

OWNER VINCENT G KEOGH RETAINED. CONTRACT FOR DEED INTEREST.
OWNER MARTHANNE KEOGH RETAINED. CONTRACT FOR DEED INTEREST.

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 1, 1948

Enforceable Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 1, 1948

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (use): STOCK

Maximum Flow Rate:

NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM.

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: WHITETAIL DEER 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		SW	4	3N	4W	JEFFERSON

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		E2NW	4	3N	4W	JEFFERSON
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3		SWNW	4	3N	4W	JEFFERSON
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4		W2SW	28	4N	4W	JEFFERSON
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5		SESW	28	4N	4W	JEFFERSON
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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>
1			SW	4	3N	4W	JEFFERSON
2			E2NW	4	3N	4W	JEFFERSON
3			SWNW	4	3N	4W	JEFFERSON
4			W2SW	28	4N	4W	JEFFERSON
5			SESW	28	4N	4W	JEFFERSON

Place of Use:

ID Acres Govt Lot Qtr Sec Sec Twp Rge County

Geocodes/Valid: 51-1202-04-1-01-01-0000 - Y 51-1294-28-3-01-01-0000 - Y

Remarks:

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

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/09/97.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 142883 RECEIVED 09/22/2015.

THE SOURCE NAME HAS BEEN CHANGED TO BE CONSISTENT WITH A NAME CHANGE APPROVED BY THE UNITED STATES BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES ON MAY 12, 1994, AND MCCALL V. CRUMB, CASE NO. 1862, JEFFERSON COUNTY. SOURCE NAME OF THIS CLAIM HAS BEEN CHANGED FROM LITTLE WHITETAIL CREEK TO WHITETAIL DEER CREEK. BECAUSE OF UNCERTAINTY IN SOURCE NAMES APPEARING IN THE TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE DURING THE OBJECTION PERIOD, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY HAVE BEEN ADVERSELY AFFECTED MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.