

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: 76LJ 103298-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM
Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D C & L JENSEN FAMILY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
%LARRY SIMPSON CPA
625 SUNSET BLVD
KALISPELL, MT 59901-3640

D C & S JENSEN FAMILY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
PO BOX 191
ELMO, MT 59915

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 12, 1901

Enforceable Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 12, 1901

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Maximum Flow Rate: 2.50 CFS

Maximum Volume: THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 284.20

Source Name: RONAN CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

LAKE MARY RONAN IS ALSO CLAIMED AS A SOURCE.

FREELAND CREEK IS ALSO CLAIMED AS A SOURCE.

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		NENESE	23	25N	22W	LAKE

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

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	26.00	8	SENE	35	25N	22W	LAKE
2	22.00	7	SWNE	35	25N	22W	LAKE
3	32.00		NESE	35	25N	22W	LAKE
4	4.00		NWNWSE	35	25N	22W	LAKE
5	26.00	8	SENE	36	25N	22W	LAKE
6	54.10	3	NENW	36	25N	22W	LAKE
7	54.10	4	NWNW	36	25N	22W	LAKE
8	26.00	5	SWNW	36	25N	22W	LAKE
9	32.00		NESE	36	25N	22W	LAKE
10	8.00		NWSESE	36	25N	22W	LAKE
Total:	284.20						

Geocodes/Valid: 15-3581-35-1-01-01-0000 - Y 15-3581-36-1-01-03-0000 - Y
15-3581-36-1-01-05-0000 - Y

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE SUPPLEMENTAL WHICH MEANS THE RIGHTS HAVE OVERLAPPING PLACES OF USE. THE RIGHTS CAN BE COMBINED TO IRRIGATE ONLY OVERLAPPING PARCELS. EACH RIGHT IS LIMITED TO THE FLOW RATE AND PLACE OF USE OF THAT INDIVIDUAL RIGHT. THE SUM TOTAL VOLUME OF THESE WATER RIGHTS SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.

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Remarks:

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

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FLATHEAD INDIAN RESERVATION.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 85589 RECEIVED 03/25/2011.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 86127 RECEIVED 04/12/2011.

THE CLAIMED MEANS OF DIVERSION CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

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

THE CLAIMED PERIOD OF USE EXCEEDS THE USUAL GROWING SEASON FOR THIS CLIMATIC AREA WHICH IS APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15.

USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO(S). 1279-99 , DATED 07/22/1980 , APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED.

AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO(S). 3P-80 , DATED 08/16/1955 , APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED.

IT APPEARS POINT OF DIVERSION NO. 1 MAY BE INCORRECT. THE EXISTENCE OF A HEADGATE AND CONVEYANCE DITCH CANNOT BE CONFIRMED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

THE CLAIMED SOURCE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. BASED ON AVAILABLE DATA, THE SOURCE MAY BE SURFACE WATER FROM LAKE MARY RONAN, FREELAND CREEK, OR RONAN CREEK.

THIS CLAIM MAY BE FOR A RESERVED RIGHT AND WAS NOT FILED BY THE TRIBES OR THE UNITED STATES ON BEHALF OF THE TRIBES