

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:** 41F 110428-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM  
**Version:** 2 -- POST DECREE

**Version Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** STEPHEN P MCDONNELL  
PO BOX 777  
THREE FORKS, MT 59752-0777

**Priority Date:** APRIL 15, 1882

**Enforceable Priority Date:** APRIL 15, 1882

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose (use):** IRRIGATION

**Irrigation Type:** FLOOD

**Maximum Flow Rate:** 5.50 CFS

**Maximum Volume:** 480.00 AC-FT

**Climatic Area:** 3 - MODERATE

**Maximum Acres:** 145.00

**Source Name:** MADISON 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		SENESE	31	1S	2E	GALLATIN

**Period of Diversion:** APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

**Diversion Means:** DITCH

**Ditch Name:** DELL DITCH

2		NWSESW	7	2S	2E	GALLATIN
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**Period of Diversion:** APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE

WATER DIVERTED FROM THE MADISON RIVER IN THE SENESE OF SECTION 31, T1S, R2E, IS DIVERTED INTO SPRING CREEK (ALSO KNOWN AS REY CREEK AND HOT SPRING CREEK) IN THE NWSESE OF SECTION 20, T1S, R2E. SPRING CREEK IS USED AS A NATURAL CARRIER TO THE PLACE OF USE IN THE SE OF SECTION 9, T1S, R2E, GALLATIN COUNTY.

**Period of Use:** APRIL 15 to OCTOBER 19

**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	30.00		SE	9	1S	2E	GALLATIN
2	115.00		SW	10	1S	2E	GALLATIN

**Total:** 145.00

**Geocodes/Valid:** -- NO VALID GEOCODES --

**Remarks:**

THE POINT OF DIVERSION, MEANS OF DIVERSION, AND PLACE OF USE WERE AMENDED BY THE WATER COURT PURSUANT TO SECTION 85-2-233(6), MCA.

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

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/09/93.

WATER RIGHT OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED 06/15/01.

**OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED**

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 1572 RECEIVED 03/19/2002.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 17689 RECEIVED 11/03/2004.