

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:** 41S 113223-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM  
**Version:** 2 -- POST DECREE  
**Version Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** T LAZY T RANCH INC  
4606 ACKLEY LAKE RD  
HOBSON, MT 59452-8668

**Priority Date:** JUNE 1, 1896  
**Enforceable Priority Date:** JUNE 1, 1896

**Type of Historical Right:** DECREED

**Purpose (use):** IRRIGATION  
**Irrigation Type:** FLOOD

**Maximum Flow Rate:** 2.50 CFS  
**Maximum Volume:** 991.50 AC-FT  
**Climatic Area:** 3 - MODERATE

**Maximum Acres:** 611.90

**Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SPRING BRANCH  
**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER  
SPRING HYDROLOGICALLY RELATED TO SOURCE

**Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:**

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		N	W	13	14N	14E	JUDITH BASIN

**Period of Diversion:** APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 31  
**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE

**Period of Use:** APRIL 15 to OCTOBER 31

**Place of Use:**

<u>ID</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1	60.00			SE	14N	13E	JUDITH BASIN
2	460.00				14N	14E	JUDITH BASIN
3	91.90			W2	14N	14E	JUDITH BASIN
<b>Total:</b>	<b>611.90</b>						

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

**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.

113210-00 113212-00 113214-00 113215-00 113218-00 113219-00 113220-00  
113221-00 113222-00 113223-00 113224-00 113225-00 113226-00 115233-00

THE MAXIMUM ACRES AND PLACE OF USE HAVE BEEN RE-EXAMINED BY THE DNRC UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT ORDER DATED AUGUST 29, 1997. SEE CLAIM FILE FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

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

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/27/87.

**OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED**

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 18494 RECEIVED 12/23/2004.

THIS CLAIM AND THE CLAIM NUMBERS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS, HOWEVER, SHALL NOT EXCEED THE 100 INCHES AS DECREED IN CASE NO. 982. THE COURT, AT THIS TIME, MAKES NO DETERMINATION OF CORRECT PREDECESSORS IN INTEREST OR THE CORRECT DIVISION OF THE WATER AMONG CLAIMANTS. 104389-00, 162223-00.

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**Remarks:**

THE JUDITH BASIN COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY ( 1963 ) APPEARS TO INDICATE 160.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE.

USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 30045-179-108 , DATED 9/17/79 APPEARS TO INDICATE 383.20 ACRES IRRIGATED. A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE.

CLAIMANT KELLY FRENCH FILED A LATE OBJECTION TO CHANGE THE POINT OF DIVERSION FROM RGE 14E TO 13E. THIS WILL BE HEARD AFTER PROPER NOTICE ON THE NEXT OBJECTION LIST.

THE MAXIMUM COMBINED ACRES FOR THIS GROUP OF SUPPLEMENTAL CLAIMS MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION PENDING RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM IRRIGATED ACRES ISSUE.