

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 135185-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM
Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SALT CREEK PARTNERS LLC
PO BOX 485
GALLATIN GATEWAY, MT 59730-0485

PORTUGUESE CANYON RANCHING PARTNERS LP
73651 PORTUGUESE CANYON RD
SAN MIGUEL, CA 93451-9769

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1886

Enforceable Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1886

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (use): STOCK

Maximum Flow Rate:

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: SALT CREEK, WEST FORK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1			31	20N	18E	FERGUS
Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
2			29	20N	18E	FERGUS
Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
3			32	20N	18E	FERGUS
Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
4			30	20N	18E	FERGUS
Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
5			13	20N	17E	FERGUS
Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
6			14	20N	17E	FERGUS
Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
7			10	20N	17E	FERGUS
Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
8			15	20N	17E	FERGUS
Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 to DECEMBER 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				30	20N	18E	FERGUS
2				29	20N	18E	FERGUS
3				32	20N	18E	FERGUS
4				13	20N	17E	FERGUS
5				14	20N	17E	FERGUS
6				10	20N	17E	FERGUS
7				15	20N	17E	FERGUS
8				31	20N	18E	FERGUS

Geocodes/Valid: 08-3032-10-3-01-01-0000 - Y 08-3032-13-2-02-01-0000 - Y
 08-3032-14-1-01-01-0000 - Y 08-3032-15-1-01-01-0000 - Y
 08-3033-29-2-03-01-0000 - Y 08-3033-30-1-01-01-0000 - Y
 08-3033-31-1-01-01-0000 - Y 08-3033-32-2-02-01-0000 - Y

Remarks:

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

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/18/90.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 45853 RECEIVED 05/02/2007.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 112691 RECEIVED 08/01/2013.

ALTHOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO, THE SOURCE NAME WAS CHANGED TO REFLECT THE CHANGES SUGGESTED BY THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR IN THEIR 1987 DECISIONS ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES IN THE UNITED STATES. THIS MAY BE HEARD AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.