

Montana Water Court
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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: 11/11 TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 24107-00

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Counsel: REBECCA M ROSS

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Owner: 3 COHEN CHILDREN ORCHARD LLC

Counsel: ELIZABETH W ERICKSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 104657-00

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Owner: A STREET LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 107453-00

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Owner: JUAN J ABREGO

Water Right #: 76LJ 2068-00

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Owner: ABSHIER, DR THOMAS & DR MARGO REV LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 150444-00

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Owner: AMANDA ACKERMAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 148860-00

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Owner: SAMUEL ACKERMAN

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Owner: MICHAEL ADAM

Water Right #: 76LJ 124172-00

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Owner: MICHAEL ADAM

Water Right #: 76LJ 124173-00

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Owner: CYNTHIA J ADAMS

Water Right #: 76LJ 124191-00

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Owner: ADAMS REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 35624-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 103314-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: AG-MELITA LP

Water Right #: 76LJ 20348-00

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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Chief Water Judge
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Owner: AG-MELITA LP

Water Right #: 76LJ 20349-00

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USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

Counsel: REBECCA M ROSS

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: AYAD AKKASHA

Water Right #: 76LJ 6361-00

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Owner: MARIA E AKKASHA

Water Right #: 76LJ 6361-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: AKSHUN & AKSHUN INC

Water Right #: 76LJ 27697-00

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GEORGE H. BRIMHALL

CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

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Water Right #: 76LJ 27698-00

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Owner: ALDIBS MORNING VIEW LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 730-00

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JEAN CLAUDE ALDIBS

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Owner: TERRY H ALEXANDER

Water Right #: 76LJ 140300-00

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Owner: MARY A ALLAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 34209-00

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Owner: CHRISTOPHER J ALONZO

Water Right #: 76LJ 43193-00

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SAGRA NW LLC

Counsel: JOHN FERGUSON

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Owner: BONNIE K ALTIG

Water Right #: 76LJ 109567-00

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Counsel: NATE BLOCK

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Owner: EMMA J ANDERSEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 15189-00

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Owner: ANDERSON FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 146933-00

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Owner: ANGELHEART I LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 52-00

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CHARLENE SCHAEFER

CHRIS TOEPFER

KATHE TOEPFER

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Owner: MARTIN APPELHANS

Water Right #: 76LJ 124191-00

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Owner: BJ ARENTZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 103330-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: TRISTA ARENTZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 103330-00

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Owner: RANDALL C ARNETT

Water Right #: 76LJ 122958-00

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Owner: ASABE LIMITED TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 213779-00

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Owner: ASHLEY MEADOWS INC

Water Right #: 76LJ 147108-00

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USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: AVA LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 150502-00

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DALLAS I HERRON

Counsel: JAY T. JOHNSON

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Owner: DAN L AVERILL

Water Right #: 76LJ 25355-00

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QUARTER CIRCLE LA RANCHES INC

Counsel: KRISTIN L OMVIG

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Owner: B & S ENTERPRISES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 30108689

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Owner: MICHAEL J BAIAR

Water Right #: 76LJ 104720-00

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Owner: NICHOLAS J BAKALICH

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Counsel: ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: BARBARA A BAKER

Water Right #: 76LJ 146948-00

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Owner: LAURIE G BALDWIN

Counsel: RANDALL A. SNYDER

Water Right #: 76LJ 9673-00

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Owner: GEORGE W BARCE

Water Right #: 76LJ 128991-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 128991-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: ALCINDA C BARCUS

Water Right #: 76LJ 118142-00

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Owner: BONNIE L BARKIE

Water Right #: 76LJ 105414-00

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Owner: KALIL D BARKIE

Water Right #: 76LJ 105414-00

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Owner: BARNHART, RICHARD E LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 49017-00

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Owner: BARR, MARY ELLEN TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 30108139

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Owner: BARRETT, ELIZABETH W & CHRISTOPHER E FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 99071-00

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Owner: ADRIANNE L BARTON

Water Right #: 76LJ 146944-00

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Owner: CAROLE C BARTRAM

Counsel: NATE BLOCK

Water Right #: 76LJ 109567-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 24067-00

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Owner: SHAWNALIECE BASDEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 148860-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 148860-00

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Owner: BECKY S BASSANI

Water Right #: 76LJ 15190-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: BECKY S BASSANI

Water Right #: 76LJ 110500-00

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

Counsel: REBECCA M ROSS

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Owner: BAUDAIS, F R & P A FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 5171-00

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BRAD W KLIBER

Counsel: KIRBY S CHRISTIAN

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: TIM BAUER

Water Right #: 76LJ 34209-00

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JEFFREY P MCCRACKEN

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: PATRICIA K BAUERLE

Counsel: MADELEINE C. WEISZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 110872-00

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Owner: ROBERT H BAUERLE

Counsel: MADELEINE C. WEISZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 110872-00

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Owner: BAYPOINT RETREAT LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 143899-00

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Owner: BAYPOINT RETREAT LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 143900-00

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Owner: BAYPOINT RETREAT LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 154044-00

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Owner: MARY ANN BEAMAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 148860-00

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Owner: BEAR HOLLOW PROPERTIES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 103211-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 103212-00

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Owner: BEAR ORCHARD LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

Water Right #: 76LJ 42532-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 42533-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: JASON D BEATTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 103330-00

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Owner: TERI D BEATTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 103330-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: HU W BEAVER

Water Right #: 76LJ 128921-00

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Owner: DALE K BEAVERS

Water Right #: 76LJ 45068-00

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Owner: JEAN E BEAVERS

Water Right #: 76LJ 45068-00

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Owner: BECK GENERATIONAL TRUST LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 103340-00

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THOMAS S LEMIRE

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Owner: KAILEY R BECQUET

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR FISH & WILDLIFE SERVICE)

Counsel: ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: CAROLYN E BEECHER

Water Right #: 76LJ 147169-00

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Owner: KATHLEEN M BEILHARZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 109500-00

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Owner: JACOB N BELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 49-00

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USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: JAIME R BELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 49-00

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Owner: JANE M BENSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 20343-00

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Owner: WAYNE E BENSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 20343-00

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Owner: WAYNE E BENSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 147149-00

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Owner: JODI E BERG

Water Right #: 76LJ 45124-00

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Owner: ROBERT H BERRETH

Water Right #: 76LJ 26567-00

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Owner: ELIZABETH BIELSKI

Water Right #: 76LJ 142191-00

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Owner: BIG SKY FRUIT INC

Water Right #: 76LJ 166843-00

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Owner: BIG SYD MONTANA PROPERTIES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 148758-00

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Owner: NATALIE A BILLINGSLEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 29560-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 29560-00

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Owner: MICHAEL BILLINGTON

Water Right #: 76LJ 103207-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 103314-00

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Owner: JOHN G BINKLEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 34202-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: PETER C BISHOP

Water Right #: 76LJ 143782-00

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Owner: BISHOP, MARCELLA M REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 143783-00

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Owner: BERNT A BJORK

Water Right #: 76LJ 148946-00

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Owner: NICOLE V BJORK

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Water Right #: 76LJ 103314-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 39592-00

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Owner: ELMER BLAKEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 35695-00

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Owner: KAILEE R BLANKENSHIP

Water Right #: 76LJ 141428-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 45068-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 35695-00

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Owner: DIANE J BOBB

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MILES G BOBB

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Owner: BOBS OIL FIELD SERVICE INC

Water Right #: 76LJ 104512-00

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Owner: PATRICIA J BOE

Water Right #: 76LJ 30797-00

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Owner: DANIEL J BONNER

Water Right #: 76LJ 9432-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 22285-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 35634-00

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Owner: JULIE K BONNER

Water Right #: 76LJ 35635-00

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Owner: MICHAEL S BONNER

Water Right #: 76LJ 22285-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 24060-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 24061-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 24062-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 35634-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: SUMMER BONNER

Water Right #: 76LJ 9432-00

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Owner: BONNER, DANIEL & SUMMER REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 9432-00

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Owner: BONNER, DANIEL & SUMMER REVOCABLE TRUST

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Owner: BONNER, DANIEL & SUMMER REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 148759-00

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Chief Water Judge
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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: BONNER, GARY B & PATRICIA J TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 27718-00

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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Owner: BONNER, GARY B & PATRICIA J TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 27719-00

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: BOOHER, S G & KATHLEEN TRUST 5/14/21

Water Right #: 76LJ 27747-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: KATHERINE M BOSSLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 103340-00

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THOMAS S LEMIRE

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Owner: JAMES M BOUCHEE

Water Right #: 76LJ 147074-00

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Owner: JESSICA L BOUCHEE

Water Right #: 76LJ 147074-00

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Owner: JACK L BOUCHER

Water Right #: 76LJ 28645-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 28645-00

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Owner: ASTA BOWEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 143859-00

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Owner: PETER BOWER

Counsel: RICK C TAPPAN
CONNLAN W WHYTE

Water Right #: 76LJ 146943-00

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Owner: BRANDON R BOWMAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 141429-00

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KENNETH G ZIMMERMAN

Counsel: TIMOTHY D GEISZLER

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Owner: JENNYANNE P BOWMAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 141429-00

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Owner: BOWMAN LAKE LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 19030-00

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Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: JAMES F BOYER

Water Right #: 76LJ 109522-00

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Owner: BRADLEY, LEE ANN REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 147153-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: BRADLEY, THOMAS & SUSAN LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 147153-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: KENNY A BRADSHAW

Water Right #: 76LJ 104676-00

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MISTY A BRADSHAW

USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: BRANCATI, MICHAEL REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 4956-00

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Owner: JOHN F BRAUER

Water Right #: 76LJ 28626-00

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Owner: KATHRYN A BRAUER

Water Right #: 76LJ 28626-00

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Owner: BRIAN P BRAZIL

Water Right #: 76LJ 15182-00

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Owner: BREANN DAWN TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Owner: CYNTHIA A BRECKENRIDGE

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Owner: DAVID L BRETZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 98869-00

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Owner: DAVID L BRETZ

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Owner: MARK A BRETZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 33758-00

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Owner: MARK A BRETZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 105323-00

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Owner: BREWER, MARTHA MAE FAMILY GRANTOR TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 35619-00

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Owner: BRICKOWSKI, FRANK REVOCABLE INTER VIVOS TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 11620-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JESSE J BRIMHALL

Water Right #: 76LJ 150025-00

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Owner: BRIST, GLEN L & TANYA H JOINT LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 8311-00

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MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS

Counsel: CLARE N OLS

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

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Water Right #: 76LJ 8313-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: KATHRYN M BRITTON

Water Right #: 76LJ 10080-00

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Owner: BROOK DRIVE WATER ASSN

Water Right #: 76LJ 80-00

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Owner: BROOKE FAMILY REAL ESTATE LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 9419-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 147147-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 45053-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 22262-00

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Owner: CLAUDIA BROWN

Water Right #: 76LJ 103262-00

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CARL D. BLAKE

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Owner: BROWN TROUT PROPERTIES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 111325-00

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Owner: L L S BROWNELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 143837-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: WILLIAM J BROWNELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 143837-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 32532-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 98893-00

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Owner: DIANA L BUCHMANN

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Water Right #: 76LJ 35654-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: TU YE BUCK

Water Right #: 76LJ 35654-00

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PAUL W BUCK

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Owner: SARAH L BUFTON

Water Right #: 76LJ 129022-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

Counsel: REBECCA M ROSS

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: BUNDY FAMILY REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 27718-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: BURBANK LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 5179-00

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Owner: BURBANK LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 9417-00

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Owner: ANTHONY BURCHELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 148724-00

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USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: RONALD L BUROW

Water Right #: 76LJ 147001-00

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RONALD L BUROW

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Owner: BUSBY, JOHN W II REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 128951-00

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Owner: CAIN HAMM MONTANA FAMILY HOME TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 150464-00

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Owner: DAVID A CALAHAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 39836-00

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Owner: TERRY L CALAHAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 39836-00

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Owner: CAMP PLM LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 164775-00

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Owner: BRIAN S CAMPBELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 147208-00

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Owner: JERRY CAMPBELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 5810-00

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Owner: TRICIA L CAMPBELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 147208-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LISA R CANTU

Water Right #: 76LJ 15167-00

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Owner: CANYON MEADOW PROPERTIES LTD

Water Right #: 76LJ 45146-00

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Owner: CAPISTRANO FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 39740-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: WILLIAM R CARAS

Water Right #: 76LJ 44306-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 143813-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 131065-00

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Owner: CARNDHU LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 5179-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 104735-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 114564-00

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Owner: JILL P CARPENTER

Water Right #: 76LJ 148928-00

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Owner: CARPINI FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 129085-00

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SHAW, WILLIAM & CYNTHIA FAMILY TRUST

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: ANNE M CARR

Water Right #: 76LJ 42591-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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Water Right #: 76LJ 42591-00

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Owner: SUSAN J CARSTENSEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 45104-00

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Owner: HARALD J CARTMELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 27762-00

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Owner: HERBERT E CARTMELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 27762-00

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Owner: JOHN W CARTMELL

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Owner: KATHLEEN N CARTMELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 27762-00

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Owner: MARLENE A CARTMELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 27762-00

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Owner: RALPH B CARTMELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 27762-00

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Owner: DENNIS F CARVER

Water Right #: 76LJ 19027-00

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MONTANA, STATE OF DEPT OF FISH WILDLIFE & PARKS

Counsel: ALEXANDER R. SCOLAVINO III

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Owner: CARY, RICHARD C TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 142061-00

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Owner: CARY, RICHARD C TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 150680-00

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Owner: CASA AQUA FESTIVA LLC

Counsel: MADELEINE C. WEISZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 39800-00

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Owner: CASA AQUA FESTIVA LLC
Counsel: MADELEINE C. WEISZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 110872-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: DIANE M CASHELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 39856-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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Chief Water Judge
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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: SARAH L CASHELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 148860-00

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Owner: WILLIAM M CASHELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 148860-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JAMES R CASHELL II

Water Right #: 76LJ 39856-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: NOLA E CATLETT

Water Right #: 76LJ 6130-00

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Owner: NOLA E CATLETT

Water Right #: 76LJ 6131-00

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Owner: NOLA E CATLETT

Water Right #: 76LJ 6132-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 123096-00

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Owner: NOLA E CATLETT

Water Right #: 76LJ 142004-00

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Owner: RUTH ANN CAUDILL

Water Right #: 76LJ 2318-00

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Owner: JUDITH A CHADA

Water Right #: 76LJ 147124-00

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Owner: JUDITH A CHADA

Water Right #: 76LJ 147125-00

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Owner: JUDITH A CHADA

Water Right #: 76LJ 147126-00

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Owner: ROBERT B CHADA

Water Right #: 76LJ 147124-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: ROBERT B CHADA

Water Right #: 76LJ 147126-00

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Owner: JAMES D CHAMBERS

Water Right #: 76LJ 46808-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 46809-00

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Owner: JAMES D CHAMBERS

Water Right #: 76LJ 46810-00

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Owner: JAMES D CHAMBERS

Water Right #: 76LJ 46811-00

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Owner: KIMBERLY R CHAMBERS

Water Right #: 76LJ 36270-00

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Owner: ANN H CHANDLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 128845-00

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Owner: BARRY D CHANDLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 39791-00

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Owner: MICHAEL K CHANDLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 39791-00

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Owner: RICHARD D CHANDLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 128845-00

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Owner: CHANDLER, ALDEN B & TONIE B REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 100382-00

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Owner: KAREN J CHAPMAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 164724-00

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Owner: CHASE FLATHEAD LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 34259-00

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DOUGLAS W CHASE

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Owner: LISA A CHENAULT

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Counsel: ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: CHERRY PINES ON FLATHEAD LAKE LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 158086-00

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Owner: STEPHANIE M CHILDERS

Water Right #: 76LJ 162184-00

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Owner: ROBERT W CHIN

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Owner: JOSE R CHIRINO

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Owner: CHLOE AND CHIEF LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 26579-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 29199-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 29199-00

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Owner: TERRI L CHRISTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 45172-00

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Owner: PATRICK M CLANTON

Water Right #: 76LJ 134941-00

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Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

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Owner: TIMOTHY S CLARIN

Water Right #: 76LJ 103314-00

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Chief Water Judge
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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: KARYL A CLARK

Water Right #: 76LJ 39633-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MADELINE R CLARK

Water Right #: 76LJ 39600-00

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USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MALCOLM H CLARK

Water Right #: 76LJ 39600-00

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Owner: TIMOTHY L CLARK

Water Right #: 76LJ 39633-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JOHN P CLEMENT IV

Water Right #: 76LJ 396-00

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RANGER SPRINGS INC

Counsel: SELENA Z SAUER

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JAMES G CLOUGH

Water Right #: 76LJ 42579-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: NANCY T CLOUGH

Water Right #: 76LJ 42579-00

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Owner: DUSTIN COFFEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 147159-00

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USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR NATIONAL PARK SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: NICHOLAS COLE

Water Right #: 76LJ 39816-00

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Owner: BILLEE A COLLINS

Water Right #: 76LJ 103283-00

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Owner: COLLINS, PATTI & WOO LEE KEITH TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 146911-00

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Owner: JAMES E CONGDON

Water Right #: 76LJ 10090-00

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Owner: OPAL R CONGDON

Water Right #: 76LJ 10090-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: CONRAD RENNER FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 667-00

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Owner: CONRAD RENNER FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 668-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: CONRAD RENNER FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 27723-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 27724-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: MARGARET R COOK

Water Right #: 76LJ 23070-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 23071-00

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Owner: COOLEY, REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 105091-00

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Owner: CAROL J COONEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 148992-00

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Owner: FRANK A COONEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 148992-00

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Owner: KEVIN L CORNING

Water Right #: 76LJ 39721-00

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Owner: ABRAHAM A CORPUZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 105414-00

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Owner: COSPER LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 26554-00

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Owner: KELLY J COSTELLO

Water Right #: 76LJ 39828-00

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Owner: PETER R COSTELLO

Water Right #: 76LJ 39828-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: ANDREW J COULTER

Water Right #: 76LJ 6352-00

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Owner: COULTER FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 140177-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: COURCHESNE INVESTMENTS LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 39707-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: NEWTON B COUTINHO

Water Right #: 76LJ 46336-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: DANIEL J COVERDELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 335-00

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Owner: COVINGTON, FRANCES C TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 30787-00

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Owner: DUSTIN W COWART

Water Right #: 76LJ 103208-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 46335-00

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Owner: CROMWELL, CAMILLE A TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 5629-00

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Owner: CROSS, KENNETH GORDON REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 109449-00

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Chief Water Judge
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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LINDA M CROWDER

Water Right #: 76LJ 103314-00

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ROBERT S SNELL

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: WAYNE L CROWDER

Water Right #: 76LJ 103314-00

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Owner: CRUES, JOHN LEGACY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 851-00

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Counsel: REBECCA M ROSS

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Owner: CRUES, JOHN REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 100127-00

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Owner: CRUM, KIMBERLY A REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 148833-00

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USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

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Owner: MILDRED L CUNNINGHAM

Water Right #: 76LJ 15167-00

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Owner: CYCLONE PARK TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 147046-00

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Owner: D & H LAND INVESTMENTS LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 7241-00

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Owner: D C & L JENSEN FAMILY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

Water Right #: 76LJ 103293-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 103294-00

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Owner: MATHEW M DAGGETT

Water Right #: 76LJ 147085-00

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Owner: AMBER D DAILEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 28595-00

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Owner: JUANITA M DALY

Water Right #: 76LJ 14243-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: DAN L AVERILL FAMILY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

Water Right #: 76LJ 25356-00

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Owner: JOHAN K DANIELS

Water Right #: 76LJ 6145-00

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Owner: SHAINA DARGAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 25280-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 25281-00

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Owner: DAVIDSON FAMILY PROPERTIES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 33758-00

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Owner: DAVIDSON FAMILY PROPERTIES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 105323-00

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Owner: LINDA O DAVIS

Water Right #: 76LJ 128912-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 128912-00

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Owner: DAVIS LAKE HOUSE LL

Water Right #: 76LJ 24805-00

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Owner: CHRIS DAWSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 140242-00

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Owner: DAYTON CREEK FAMILY RANCH LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 399-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 216217-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MARIANO DE LEON

Water Right #: 76LJ 6361-00

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AYAD AKKASHA

CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

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**/s/ Stephen R. Brown
Chief Water Judge
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: WENDI DE LEON

Water Right #: 76LJ 6361-00

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Owner: DECA ONE ENTERPRISES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 128887-00

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Owner: DENIS L DECK

Water Right #: 76LJ 39636-00

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USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR NATIONAL PARK SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: DOUGLAS L DECK

Water Right #: 76LJ 39636-00

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Owner: GLENN DEHEKKER

Water Right #: 76LJ 109449-00

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KATHLEEN E REA

JUDY K TOGIAI

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Owner: RACHEL DEHLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 26613-00

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Owner: JOAN A DEIST

Water Right #: 76LJ 110828-00

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NANCY K NELSON

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Owner: CAPRICE A DENNER

Water Right #: 76LJ 148786-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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Owner: KATHLEEN M DENNIS

Water Right #: 76LJ 35695-00

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Owner: DIRTCLOUD INC

Water Right #: 76LJ 134941-00

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Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

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Owner: DK & JBM TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 29560-00

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Owner: DLB SERVICES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 148720-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: DOUBLE K CATTLE COMPANY LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 150444-00

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Owner: DOUGHERTY, FRANK & JUDITH L LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 7702-00

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Owner: DRAGONFLY LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 45051-00

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Owner: PATRICIA DREO

Water Right #: 76LJ 45096-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 24065-00

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Owner: ELLA J DUPUIS

Water Right #: 76LJ 6132-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 39594-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 142004-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LINDA G DUPUIS

Water Right #: 76LJ 143897-00

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Owner: LOIS E DUPUIS

Water Right #: 76LJ 123097-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 30110983

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Owner: LOIS M DUPUIS

Water Right #: 76LJ 39594-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 30110984

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Water Right #: 76LJ 6132-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 142004-00

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Owner: AGNES F DUPUIS-WALL

Water Right #: 76LJ 210607-00

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Owner: JACOB DUSEK

Water Right #: 76LJ 46273-00

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Owner: SARAH DUSEK

Water Right #: 76LJ 46273-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 20353-00

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: DENNIS R DUTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 39624-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 39624-00

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Owner: ECHO BASIN LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 214029-00

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EDWARD E STATHAS

MARILYN A STATHAS

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Owner: P DAVID EDGELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 29563-00

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Owner: SYLVIA A EDGELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 29563-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 109521-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 109521-00

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Owner: MARK J ELLIOTT

Water Right #: 76LJ 146932-00

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Owner: MARY E ELLIOTT

Water Right #: 76LJ 146932-00

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Owner: EMERGING GROWTH LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 45124-00

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CAROL Y HOERNER
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Owner: ALVA W EMERSON

Counsel: ELIZABETH W ERICKSON

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Water Right #: 76LJ 29560-00

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Owner: ENNIS, BRUCE L REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 45180-00

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Owner: JILL L ERICKSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 103311-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: BJORN ERIKSEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 146942-00

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

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Chief Water Judge
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Owner: FRANCOISE ERIKSEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 146942-00

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Owner: CAMMIE K EVENSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 28595-00

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Owner: FAIR FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 134616-00

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CLAYTON T CHRISTIAN

Counsel: WILLIAM B. CHRISTIAN

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Water Right #: 76LJ 134617-00

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Owner: FARMERS O DELL INC

Water Right #: 76LJ 148961-00

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SEAN W ODELL

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Owner: DEAN L FARNHAM

Water Right #: 76LJ 29116-00

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Owner: FEIST LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

Counsel: DAVID B COTNER

Water Right #: 76LJ 124137-00

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Owner: HEIDI FELTS

Water Right #: 76LJ 146984-00

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Owner: LESLEY FICKLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 22265-00

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Owner: TODD E FICKLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 22265-00

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Owner: DANIEL G FIELDS

Water Right #: 76LJ 148723-00

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Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: FINLEY POINT COLORADO LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 128968-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: FINLEY POINT FARM & GARDEN LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 104729-00

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Owner: FIRST MONTANA DEVELOPMENT CO

Water Right #: 76LJ 148763-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 148767-00

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Owner: DARCY L FITCH

Water Right #: 76LJ 45124-00

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Owner: MARABETH A FITE

Water Right #: 76LJ 147177-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 148860-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 129058-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 131019-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: FLATHEAD FFA INC

Water Right #: 76LJ 146933-00

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ANDERSON FAMILY TRUST

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Owner: FLATHEAD JOINT BOARD OF CONTROL

Water Right #: 76LJ 166680-00

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

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Water Right #: 76LJ 166681-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 166682-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 166683-00

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Owner: FLATHEAD JOINT BOARD OF CONTROL

Water Right #: 76LJ 166684-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 166695-00

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Owner: FLATHEAD LAKE CHATEAU LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 35751-00

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Owner: FLATHEAD LAKE CHERRY GROWERS INC

Water Right #: 76LJ 147209-00

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Owner: FLATHEAD LAKE LAND PARTNERS LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 39823-00

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MARCUS M NICHOLS

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Owner: FLATHEAD LAKE REFUGE 1 LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 33759-00

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Owner: FLATHEAD LAKE RETREAT LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 143899-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 143900-00

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Owner: FLATHEAD LAKE RETREAT LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 154044-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: FLATHEAD MUNICIPAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY

Water Right #: 76LJ 146984-00

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DANA HIGGINS

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Chief Water Judge
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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JESSICA FLEMING

Water Right #: 76LJ 8317-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

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Owner: JIM FLEMING

Water Right #: 76LJ 8317-00

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Owner: LAURA FLEMING

Water Right #: 76LJ 8317-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: SHAWN FLEMING

Water Right #: 76LJ 8317-00

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Owner: ERIK I FLINK

Water Right #: 76LJ 109449-00

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KATHLEEN E REA

JUDY K TOGIAI

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Owner: MICHELLE N FLINK

Water Right #: 76LJ 109449-00

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Owner: FOY FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 29128-00

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Owner: FRALEY FINLEY POINT PROPERTIES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 30815-00

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Owner: DEIDRE M FRAME

Water Right #: 76LJ 99112-00

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Owner: JOAN M FRANK

Water Right #: 76LJ 3474-00

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Owner: JOAN M FRANK

Water Right #: 76LJ 30162990

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Owner: JEANNE FRANZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 141428-00

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MONTANA, STATE OF DEPT OF FISH WILDLIFE & PARKS

Counsel: ALEXANDER R. SCOLAVINO III

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Owner: LARRY D FRANZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 727-00

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Owner: LARRY D FRANZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 729-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 114532-00

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Owner: FRENCH COUNTRY LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 150444-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 131021-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: FRUSHOUR, LUCINDA R TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 15159-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LAUREL A FULLERTON

Water Right #: 76LJ 52-00

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: FULLERTON HAL FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 111360-00

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Owner: FULLERTON, LAUREL A REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 52-00

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Owner: JENNIE K FULTON

Water Right #: 76LJ 105103-00

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Owner: GALLAGHER FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 7503-00

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Owner: GALLAGHER LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 103197-00

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Owner: GALLATIN REAL PROPERTIES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 99107-00

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Owner: GARP GLACIER HOLDINGS LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Counsel: ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: HOLLY GASSMAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 124191-00

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Owner: GEBHARDT FAMILY LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 7494-00

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Owner: JACQUELINE L GEIKEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 147126-00

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Owner: CELINE GERSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 118143-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JAY GERSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 118143-00

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: DANIEL W GETMAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 143845-00

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SHERYL GETMAN

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MARK GIACOLETTO

Water Right #: 76LJ 39699-00

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Owner: MARK GIACOLETTO

Water Right #: 76LJ 39700-00

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Owner: MARK GIACOLETTO

Water Right #: 76LJ 39702-00

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Owner: GIBSON FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 100417-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 114544-00

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Owner: GIBSON, JAMES M & CAROLYN R TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 24104-00

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Owner: CAROLYN S GILBERT CARTMELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 27762-00

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Owner: BRANDY L GILMORE

Water Right #: 76LJ 29559-00

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Owner: SHEREE P GILMORE

Water Right #: 76LJ 29559-00

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Owner: GLACIER ASSETS LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 146944-00

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Owner: DANIEL GLADDEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 42548-00

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LINDA L YEO

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: TRACY GLADDEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 42548-00

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LINDA L YEO

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: HAROLD H GLAZIER

Water Right #: 76LJ 148716-00

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: HAROLD H GLAZIER

Water Right #: 76LJ 148719-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: HAROLD H GLAZIER

Water Right #: 76LJ 148720-00

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: HAROLD H GLAZIER

Water Right #: 76LJ 216053-00

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Owner: JEFFREY S GLAZIER

Water Right #: 76LJ 103314-00

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ROBERT S SNELL

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Owner: MICHELLE M GLAZIER

Water Right #: 76LJ 148716-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 148719-00

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Owner: JERRY W GLEASON

Water Right #: 76LJ 103264-00

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CARL D. BLAKE

CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

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Owner: MAUREEN J GLEASON

Water Right #: 76LJ 103264-00

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Owner: GLEASON, JERRY WAYNE & MAUREEN JANE JOINT REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 103263-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: JACK A GLOVER

Water Right #: 76LJ 142203-00

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Owner: JACK A GLOVER

Water Right #: 76LJ 142204-00

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Owner: JACK A GLOVER

Water Right #: 76LJ 142205-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

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Owner: GLOVER FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 142201-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 142202-00

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Owner: GLUECKERT REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 30797-00

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Owner: LISA GODDARD

Water Right #: 76LJ 15159-00

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MIKEL SIEMENS

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Owner: CARL E GOETSCH

Water Right #: 76LJ 35695-00

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Owner: GOLANT, HEDWIG K DECLARATION OF TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 30825-00

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Owner: HEATHER S GOODEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 9419-00

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JAMES M BROOKS

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Owner: GOPHER ACRES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 148720-00

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HAROLD H GLAZIER

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Owner: MARY E GOZA

Water Right #: 76LJ 149134-00

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USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: HOLLY GRAHAM

Water Right #: 76LJ 45172-00

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Owner: KATHRYN L GRANT

Water Right #: 76LJ 107833-00

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Owner: GREAT FRIDAY LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 109585-00

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Owner: GREAT FRIDAY LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 109586-00

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Owner: GREAT FRIDAY LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 152168-00

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Chief Water Judge
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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: GREAT FRIDAY LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 152169-00

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Owner: ANGELA M GRIMES

Water Right #: 76LJ 104606-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: DAVID R GROSS

Water Right #: 76LJ 131012-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MARCIA A GROSS

Water Right #: 76LJ 131012-00

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Owner: TERRY GRUBER

Water Right #: 76LJ 103262-00

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CARL D. BLAKE

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Owner: GUEST, ANNE P REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 123088-00

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Owner: GUEST, ANNE P REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 164723-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 301-00

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Owner: VIRGIL J GUINN

Water Right #: 76LJ 301-00

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Owner: AIMEE J GUSTAFSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 28595-00

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Owner: JOHN GYSLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 15161-00

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Owner: MARGUERITE GYSLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 15161-00

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Owner: HABEL, NORMA J TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 32521-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: HABEL, RAYMOND J TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 32521-00

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Owner: LARRY R HAFERMAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 45104-00

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Owner: HAFTERMAN-CARSTENSEN LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 129067-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: JANE M HAIGHT

Water Right #: 76LJ 147383-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 147383-00

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Owner: HALF CIRCLE HARBOR SUBDIVISION ASSOCIATION

Water Right #: 76LJ 26592-00

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Owner: MATTHEW HALL

Water Right #: 76LJ 15182-00

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Owner: ROBERT O HALL JR

Water Right #: 76LJ 30124662

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Owner: HALVORSON, MARCY L TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 147177-00

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Owner: EVANGELINE P HAMILTON

Water Right #: 76LJ 156831-00

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Owner: RAY F HAMILTON

Water Right #: 76LJ 156831-00

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Owner: BARBARA HAMMONS

Water Right #: 76LJ 104727-00

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Owner: CARL A HAMMONS

Water Right #: 76LJ 104727-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: BARRY HANSEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 15182-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 150444-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 103300-00

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Owner: HANSON, GRANT & RUTH ANN TRUST

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Water Right #: 76LJ 45080-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 22262-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 146944-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 39699-00

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Owner: SAMUEL R HARRISON III

Water Right #: 76LJ 39699-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: SAMUEL R HARRISON III

Water Right #: 76LJ 39700-00

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Owner: DENIS A HART

Water Right #: 76LJ 210664-00

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Owner: RAY L HART

Water Right #: 76LJ 128899-00

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Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Water Right #: 76LJ 128901-00

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Owner: RAY L HART

Water Right #: 76LJ 128902-00

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Owner: HASLE LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 45131-00

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Owner: GRACE J HATHAWAY

Water Right #: 76LJ 39760-00

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KRISTIN L OMVIG

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Owner: JOHN A HAVERKO

Water Right #: 76LJ 147108-00

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Owner: RITA R HAWKINS

Water Right #: 76LJ 45096-00

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Owner: HAWKINS, D & R LIMITED FAMILY PARTNERSHIP

Water Right #: 76LJ 39786-00

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Owner: HAWKINS, D & R LIMITED FAMILY PARTNERSHIP

Water Right #: 76LJ 45090-00

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Owner: HAWKINS, D & R LIMITED FAMILY PARTNERSHIP

Water Right #: 76LJ 45093-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JOAN HAYES

Water Right #: 76LJ 148842-00

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Owner: KENNETH D HAYES

Water Right #: 76LJ 148842-00

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Owner: GAYLE HAYLEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 740-00

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Owner: KATHLEEN A HEGLIE

Water Right #: 76LJ 23078-00

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Owner: HELTON, JOHN R & DIANE E REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 105414-00

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Owner: CHAD HENDERSHOTT

Water Right #: 76LJ 299-00

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Owner: DREW HENDRICKSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 105224-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 105224-00

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Owner: HENSEN HOMESTEAD TRUST AGREEMENT

Water Right #: 76LJ 123115-00

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Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: HENSEN HOMESTEAD TRUST AGREEMENT

Water Right #: 76LJ 123117-00

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Owner: HARVEY E HERGETT

Water Right #: 76LJ 128990-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 128990-00

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Owner: DALLAS I HERRON
Counsel: JAY T. JOHNSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 150502-00

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Owner: KRISTIN HERTZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 103207-00

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Owner: DAVID HEWITT

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Owner: HEYLMAN PROPERTIES MANAGEMENT CORP

Water Right #: 76LJ 1956-00

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Owner: DANA HIGGINS

Water Right #: 76LJ 146984-00

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Owner: HILLSIDE ON 35 LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 8307-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: HILLSIDE ON 35 LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 8308-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 34311-00

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Owner: ALICE I HJERMSTAD

Water Right #: 76LJ 45124-00

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Owner: H-O REALTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 39774-00

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Owner: H-O REALTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 46336-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 103731-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 45124-00

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Owner: BENNY C HOERNER

Water Right #: 76LJ 45124-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 45124-00

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Owner: GUNNER HOERNER

Water Right #: 76LJ 45124-00

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Owner: KAREN A HOLCOMB

Water Right #: 76LJ 30750-00

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Owner: SABIN M HOLCOMB

Water Right #: 76LJ 109567-00

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Owner: DEBRA A HOLM

Water Right #: 76LJ 140177-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 147126-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 147124-00

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Owner: HOLY CROSS FARMS LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 109456-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: HOLY CROSS FARMS LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 128992-00

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Owner: HOOK-R GROVES INC

Water Right #: 76LJ 34233-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 114532-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 15397-00

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Owner: MARION H HUFFMAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 104726-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 140308-00

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Owner: ALYSSA HUNDRUP

Water Right #: 76LJ 26567-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 109522-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: ANNA M HUSE

Water Right #: 76LJ 25383-00

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Chief Water Judge
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Owner: MARY HUSTON

Water Right #: 76LJ 6352-00

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JOHN M PHELPS

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: KATHERINE E HUTCHENS

Water Right #: 76LJ 34209-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 34209-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: ERNEST M HUTCHINSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 140179-00

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USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: JEFFREY K HUTTEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 216072-00

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Owner: TAMARA A HUTTEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 216072-00

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Owner: HUTTEN FAMILY TRUST DATED 07/29/2009

Water Right #: 76LJ 216071-00

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Owner: DAVID HUTTON

Water Right #: 76LJ 35670-00

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Owner: LORI HUTTON

Water Right #: 76LJ 35670-00

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Owner: INDIAN BAY VILLAGE

Water Right #: 76LJ 147634-00

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Owner: GINA D INGALLS

Water Right #: 76LJ 110502-00

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Owner: INGHAM, BONNIE KAE SURVIVORS TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 7241-00

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Owner: INGHAM, BONNIE KAE SURVIVORS TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 9211-00

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Owner: INGHAM, BONNIE KAE SURVIVORS TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 9448-00

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Chief Water Judge
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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: INGHAM, GEORGE W II DECEDENTS TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 7241-00

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DAVID GAMBLE

BONNIE K INGHAM

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: INGHAM, GEORGE W II DECEDENTS TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 9211-00

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: INGHAM, GEORGE W II DECEDENTS TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 9448-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: INTERNATIONAL CHURCH OF THE FOURSQUARE GOSPEL

Water Right #: 76LJ 45086-00

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: INTERNATIONAL RV LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 34312-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: IHAB A ISSA

Water Right #: 76LJ 22262-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: ERIK J IVERSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 143906-00

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Owner: SEANA F IVERSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 143906-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: GARY L IVORY

Water Right #: 76LJ 147124-00

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Owner: GARY L IVORY

Water Right #: 76LJ 147125-00

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Owner: VERNA IVORY

Water Right #: 76LJ 147124-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 147125-00

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
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Owner: VERNA IVORY

Water Right #: 76LJ 147126-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: J AND J INVESTMENTS LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 146953-00

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Owner: JACKOLA, KRISTIN K LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 148946-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: BILLIE MAE JACKSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 42561-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 26567-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 1571-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 103276-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 98971-00

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Owner: SAMANTHA JANES

Water Right #: 76LJ 7261-00

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Owner: JANTSCH, ELLEN C REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 129085-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 162184-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 42570-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 147097-00

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Owner: SYLVIA Y JESPERSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 147097-00

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Owner: JJN BUILDING LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 110854-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JM PHILLIPS TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 216052-00

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Owner: MICHELLE L JOHNS

Water Right #: 76LJ 131468-00

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Owner: DEAN R JOHNSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 24821-00

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Owner: ELLEN JOHNSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 146994-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 39713-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 45134-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 46273-00

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Owner: KATHERINE L JOHNSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 22262-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 4287-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 123052-00

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Owner: MARILYN E JOHNSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 532-00

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Owner: SAMANTHA A JOHNSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 335-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: TYREL A JOHNSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 335-00

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Owner: WILFRED R JOHNSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 532-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JAMES E JOHNSON JR

Water Right #: 76LJ 22262-00

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Owner: JOHNSTON, GRETA L REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 42573-00

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Owner: BRUCE L JONES

Water Right #: 76LJ 214828-00

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Owner: GREGORY L JONES

Water Right #: 76LJ 140179-00

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ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: GWENDOLYNN M JONES

Water Right #: 76LJ 140179-00

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Owner: JSG LAND LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 103314-00

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Owner: CHRISTOPHER T JUDD

Water Right #: 76LJ 7248-00

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Owner: CHRISTOPHER T JUDD

Water Right #: 76LJ 150681-00

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Owner: DANA R JURASEK

Water Right #: 76LJ 149104-00

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Owner: KAGECO ORCHARDS LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 19020-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 19021-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 114586-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: KALISPELL, CITY OF

Water Right #: 76LJ 532-00

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NANCY K NELSON

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: RICHARD D KAMURA

Water Right #: 76LJ 104606-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 104606-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: CARROL J KARLSGODT

Water Right #: 76LJ 5179-00

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Owner: GREGORY B KARLSGODT

Water Right #: 76LJ 5179-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JAMES C KASKI

Water Right #: 76LJ 45050-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: KASSON, JOHN M JR LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 140177-00

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Owner: KURT A KAUTZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 148870-00

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Owner: KAYE, JOHN G & BARBARA E TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 148835-00

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Owner: CORY L KELLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 149134-00

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Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: KASEY J KELLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 28629-00

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Owner: DAVID P KELLY

Water Right #: 76LJ 105103-00

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Owner: MICHAEL C KELLY

Water Right #: 76LJ 105103-00

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Owner: MICHAEL C KELLY

Water Right #: 76LJ 147267-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JOSHUA M KENDRICK

Water Right #: 76LJ 143911-00

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Owner: ANGELA KENNEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 146944-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 146944-00

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Owner: J THOMAS KENNY

Water Right #: 76LJ 109449-00

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Owner: KERLEY, EDGAR AND JAN REVOCABLE TRUST

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Owner: IAN J KERR

Water Right #: 76LJ 34288-00

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Chief Water Judge
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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: IAN J KERR

Water Right #: 76LJ 109600-00

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Owner: KESSELL FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 46943-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 46944-00

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Owner: EKATERINA P KHAZOVA

Water Right #: 76LJ 109560-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 109561-00

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Owner: KICKING BIRD TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 147159-00

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Owner: JOHN KIEWATT

Water Right #: 76LJ 28664-00

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Owner: SHAUN KING

Water Right #: 76LJ 105414-00

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Owner: BETTE LARENE KLEVE

Water Right #: 76LJ 147043-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: BRAD W KLIBER

Counsel: KIRBY S CHRISTIAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 5171-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: DAVID A KLIBER

Water Right #: 76LJ 149495-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 149495-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MELISSA J KLIMKIEWICZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 98868-00

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Owner: ARIA L KLINE

Water Right #: 76LJ 335-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 4861-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 45068-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 143882-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 7242-00

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Owner: PAUL KOCH

Water Right #: 76LJ 52-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MARIE V KOHLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 7258-00

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Owner: LARRY KOLB

Water Right #: 76LJ 29560-00

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Owner: JEFFREY J KOLSETH

Water Right #: 76LJ 141429-00

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Owner: ROBERT J KORENBERG

Water Right #: 76LJ 146948-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 146943-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 21957-00

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Owner: BRANSEN KREBS

Water Right #: 76LJ 22265-00

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Owner: JOHN G KREIDEL

Water Right #: 76LJ 23080-00

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Owner: RICHARD S KREIDEL

Water Right #: 76LJ 23080-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JAMES J KRELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 162184-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 6352-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: SHARON KROGSTAD

Water Right #: 76LJ 5182-00

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Owner: CAROLINE KRUCKEBERG-CLEMANS

Water Right #: 76LJ 109522-00

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Owner: JUSTIN J KRUER

Water Right #: 76LJ 98856-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 164764-00

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Owner: ANNA KYLE

Water Right #: 76LJ 35695-00

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Owner: DONALD W LAINE

Water Right #: 76LJ 45447-00

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Owner: SHELLY A LAINE

Water Right #: 76LJ 45447-00

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USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

Counsel: REBECCA M ROSS

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Chief Water Judge
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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LAKE BLAINE COMMUNITY WATER SYSTEM

Water Right #: 76LJ 10099-00

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CHARLES D BASTRON

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LAKE COUNTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30128235

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LAKE COUNTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30128325

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LAKE COUNTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30128338

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Owner: LAKE COUNTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30128346

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LAKE COUNTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30128361

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Owner: LAKE COUNTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30128450

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Owner: LAKE COUNTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30128452

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LAKE COUNTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30128476

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Owner: LAKE COUNTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30129077

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Owner: LAKE COUNTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30129079

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LAKE COUNTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30129103

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Owner: LAKE COUNTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30129105

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Owner: LAKE COUNTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30129106

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Owner: LAKE COUNTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30129109

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USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LAKE COUNTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30129519

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LAKE COUNTY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30129547

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Owner: LAKE COUNTY BANK

Water Right #: 76LJ 42591-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LAKE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT #33

Water Right #: 76LJ 45061-00

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Owner: LAKE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT #33

Water Right #: 76LJ 30128683

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Water Right #: 76LJ 30128686

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Owner: LAKE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT #33

Water Right #: 76LJ 30128746

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Owner: ABBY G LAMBETH

Water Right #: 76LJ 146943-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 146944-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: JANEEN M LAMONT

Water Right #: 76LJ 147159-00

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Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: KEVIN LANE

Water Right #: 76LJ 148860-00

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Owner: MARK LANE

Water Right #: 76LJ 109417-00

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Owner: ROBYN LANE

Water Right #: 76LJ 148860-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: CHRISTOPHER N LATHAM

Water Right #: 76LJ 104694-00

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Owner: CHRISTOPHER N LATHAM

Water Right #: 76LJ 104695-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JERRIANNE L LATHAM

Water Right #: 76LJ 104694-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LAZY B LAKEHOUSE LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 35630-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: DARCI JO LEARN

Water Right #: 76LJ 45050-00

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Owner: GARY G LEARN

Water Right #: 76LJ 45050-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 45050-00

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Owner: AMANDA J LEDOUX

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR FISH & WILDLIFE SERVICE)

Counsel: ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: LEIB FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 35654-00

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Owner: ELIZABETH H LEIPHEIMER

Water Right #: 76LJ 100447-00

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Owner: GLENN D LEMING

Water Right #: 76LJ 146933-00

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Owner: LORA L LEMING

Water Right #: 76LJ 146933-00

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Owner: THOMAS S LEMIRE

Water Right #: 76LJ 103340-00

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Owner: GLENN LEONARD

Water Right #: 76LJ 25376-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 25383-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: GLENN LEONARD

Water Right #: 76LJ 30841-00

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Owner: KRISTAL LEONARD

Water Right #: 76LJ 25376-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 25383-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 30841-00

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Owner: LESH FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 148946-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 39584-00

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Owner: KODI K LEWIS

Water Right #: 76LJ 15167-00

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Owner: MARK A LEWIS

Water Right #: 76LJ 35647-00

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Owner: MARK A LEWIS

Water Right #: 76LJ 35648-00

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Owner: MARLIN K LEWIS

Water Right #: 76LJ 39584-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 35647-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: STEVEN E LEWIS

Water Right #: 76LJ 35648-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 35647-00

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Owner: TIMOTHY R LEWIS

Water Right #: 76LJ 15167-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 15168-00

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Owner: ZOE A LILJA

Water Right #: 76LJ 147267-00

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Owner: ADAM LILLEJORD

Water Right #: 76LJ 39746-00

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Owner: JOANNETTE LINGENFELTER

Water Right #: 76LJ 21944-00

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Owner: ANGELA R LIPSKI

Water Right #: 76LJ 24821-00

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Owner: KIRA D LODGE

Water Right #: 76LJ 98856-00

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Owner: KIRA D LODGE

Water Right #: 76LJ 148062-00

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Owner: LOEWENBAUM RESIDENCE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 135007-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LOEWENBAUM, ELIZABETH S TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 135007-00

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Owner: LOFTS AT ASHLEY LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 19027-00

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MONTANA, STATE OF DEPT OF FISH WILDLIFE & PARKS

Counsel: ALEXANDER R. SCOLAVINO III

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: DIANE T LONG

Water Right #: 76LJ 123088-00

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Owner: DIANE T LONG

Water Right #: 76LJ 164723-00

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Owner: HOWARD M LONG

Water Right #: 76LJ 123088-00

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Owner: TIFFANY B LONNEVIK

Water Right #: 76LJ 26567-00

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Owner: MARK S LORANG

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Owner: PATRICIA J LOVEALL

Water Right #: 76LJ 143882-00

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Owner: MARIA J LOVELY

Water Right #: 76LJ 147085-00

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Owner: MARIA J LOVELY

Water Right #: 76LJ 147086-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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Chief Water Judge
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Owner: TILFORD LOWDERMILK

Water Right #: 76LJ 34209-00

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Owner: DEBORAH LOWREY

Water Right #: 76LJ 851-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: KERYL A LOZAR

Water Right #: 76LJ 164784-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 164784-00

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Owner: CHRIS D LUCAS

Water Right #: 76LJ 152166-00

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Owner: THOMAS C LUND

Water Right #: 76LJ 214941-00

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Owner: VICKI M LUND

Water Right #: 76LJ 214941-00

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Owner: GINA L LUSK

Water Right #: 76LJ 148809-00

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Owner: CRAIG F MACDONALD

Water Right #: 76LJ 99112-00

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Owner: HEIDI MACDONALD

Water Right #: 76LJ 99112-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LAIRD R MACDONALD

Water Right #: 76LJ 99112-00

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Owner: SCOTT A MACDONALD

Water Right #: 76LJ 99112-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: MACDONALD WILD HORSE ISLAND LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 150431-00

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Owner: KYLA L MACLEOD

Water Right #: 76LJ 35654-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: DAVID MADSEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 3353-00

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Owner: ERVIN W MAETCHE

Water Right #: 76LJ 153995-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Owner: DANA MARCHETTI

Water Right #: 76LJ 35676-00

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Owner: MICHAEL MARCHETTI

Water Right #: 76LJ 35676-00

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Owner: JANET R MARICLE

Water Right #: 76LJ 147000-00

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Chief Water Judge
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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JANET R MARICLE

Water Right #: 76LJ 147001-00

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RONALD L BUROW

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Water Right #: 76LJ 147000-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 147001-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: MARLEY MANN ENTERPRISES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 35710-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: KATHRYN E MARQUROSS

Water Right #: 76LJ 23072-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 23073-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Water Right #: 76LJ 23072-00

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Owner: MARRINAN FAMILY REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 46923-00

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Owner: SANDRA K MARSALL

Water Right #: 76LJ 150502-00

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Owner: ADYSON MARTIN

Water Right #: 76LJ 22265-00

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Owner: ANN H MARTIN

Water Right #: 76LJ 1956-00

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ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: ANN H MARTIN

Water Right #: 76LJ 1957-00

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Owner: MARTIN, CHRISTOPHER W TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 1956-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MARTIN, CHRISTOPHER W TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 1957-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 1956-00

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Owner: MARTIN, STEPHEN A TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 1956-00

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Owner: MARTS, RYAN M REVOCABLE TRUST

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SHAW, WILLIAM & CYNTHIA FAMILY TRUST

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Owner: DON R MATHISON

Water Right #: 76LJ 109567-00

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Owner: RICHARD A MATSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 131450-00

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Owner: NATALIE R MATT

Water Right #: 76LJ 22262-00

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Owner: SARA J MATTE

Water Right #: 76LJ 6135-00

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Owner: FRED MATTER

Water Right #: 76LJ 148897-00

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Owner: MAYFIELD 1 LTD TEXAS LTD PARTNERSHIP

Water Right #: 76LJ 30827-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MAYFIELD 1 LTD TEXAS LTD PARTNERSHIP

Water Right #: 76LJ 30828-00

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LYDIA M ABBOTT
BERNARD J SHEA
TINA MARIE SHEA

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Owner: MC MILLEN, PHILIP H & ELIZABETH B TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 98856-00

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

Counsel: REBECCA M ROSS

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
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Owner: MC MILLEN, PHILIP H & ELIZABETH B TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 148062-00

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Owner: RANDA J MCALPIN

Water Right #: 76LJ 34348-00

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Owner: BRADLEY D MCCLAIN

Water Right #: 76LJ 39637-00

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Owner: BRETT MCCLAIN

Water Right #: 76LJ 148829-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 30051137

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Owner: MELODY J MCCLAIN

Water Right #: 76LJ 39637-00

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Owner: ROBERT W MCCLANAHAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 35654-00

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PAUL W BUCK

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Owner: KATHLEEN K MCCLEAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 34288-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 109597-00

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Owner: KATHLEEN K MCCLEAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 109600-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: RONALD D MCCLELLAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 28559-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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Owner: SARAH MCCLURE

Water Right #: 76LJ 109490-00

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Owner: JEFFREY P MCCRACKEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 34209-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MCCRUMB MARINE & RV STORAGE LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 140298-00

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Counsel: KIRBY S CHRISTIAN

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Owner: MCCRUMB, DENNIS & LUCY LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 140298-00

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Owner: ROBERT P MCCUE

Water Right #: 76LJ 213943-00

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Owner: SYDNEY A MCCUE

Water Right #: 76LJ 213943-00

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Owner: JOHN W MCCULLOUGH

Water Right #: 76LJ 114583-00

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Owner: LILLY A MCCULLOUGH

Water Right #: 76LJ 114583-00

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Owner: JAMES MCELWAIN

Water Right #: 76LJ 104575-00

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Owner: JAMES F MCHUGH

Water Right #: 76LJ 147274-00

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Owner: KERI L MCHUGH

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Owner: MARY MCKAIN

Water Right #: 76LJ 164723-00

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Owner: R JAMES MCKEE

Water Right #: 76LJ 6361-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: SPRING L MCKEE

Water Right #: 76LJ 6361-00

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AYAD AKKASHA

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Owner: MCKEE, MIKE & JEANETTE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 123087-00

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Owner: MCKEE, MIKE & JEANETTE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 164723-00

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Owner: CAROL A MCKEON

Water Right #: 76LJ 103324-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 103324-00

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Owner: DONNA E MCKINNEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 28669-00

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Owner: LORI A MCNAY

Water Right #: 76LJ 105103-00

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Owner: CHARLES E MCNEIL

Water Right #: 76LJ 26551-00

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Owner: JANET J MCNEIL

Water Right #: 76LJ 148910-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 26551-00

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Owner: RYAN J MCNEIL

Water Right #: 76LJ 148908-00

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Owner: DEBBIE A MELBY

Water Right #: 76LJ 15167-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: GEM R MERCER

Water Right #: 76LJ 29560-00

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Owner: WILLIAM H METZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 30802-00

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Owner: MICHAEL J MEULI

Water Right #: 76LJ 17986-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 48110-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 48103-00

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Owner: MEULI LIMITED PARTNERHIP

Water Right #: 76LJ 48112-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 48114-00

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Owner: HERBERT C MEYER III

Water Right #: 76LJ 34209-00

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Owner: MEYER IRREVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 152174-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 152175-00

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Owner: CLIFFORD E MICHAEL

Water Right #: 76LJ 143911-00

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Owner: ADRIANNE MICHELE

Water Right #: 76LJ 129085-00

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Owner: JAMES K MICHELS

Water Right #: 76LJ 109522-00

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Owner: MARCIA N MIESEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 140305-00

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: CYNTHIA L MILLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 103260-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

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Owner: LISA MILLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 148932-00

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Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: MARK S MILLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 103260-00

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Owner: PHILLIP MILLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 148932-00

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Owner: DENNY L MILLER III

Water Right #: 76LJ 45079-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 45081-00

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Owner: MILLER, LOIS A TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 21942-00

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Owner: MILLER, LOIS A TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 100459-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 147108-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 147108-00

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Owner: MISSION BAY PRESERVE HOMEOWNERS ASSN

Water Right #: 76LJ 134616-00

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CLAYTON T CHRISTIAN

Counsel: WILLIAM B. CHRISTIAN

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Water Right #: 76LJ 5818-00

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Owner: MISSION MOUNTAIN LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 5819-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MISSION MOUNTAIN LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 5820-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 30826-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 30828-00

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Owner: MISSION MOUNTAIN MONTANA LP

Water Right #: 76LJ 46271-00

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Owner: CRISTIE D MITCHELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 148860-00

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Owner: JAMES A MOERKERKE

Water Right #: 76LJ 34323-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 45090-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MONTANA A-1 LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 45092-00

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

Counsel: REBECCA M ROSS

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**/s/ Stephen R. Brown
Chief Water Judge
Montana Water Court**

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Owner: MONTANA FAMILY VENTURES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 16298-00

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CHARLES R MYERS

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: MONTANA FRESH CHERRIES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 26618-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MONTANA FRESH CHERRIES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 153976-00

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Counsel: REBECCA M ROSS

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: MONTANA FRESH CHERRIES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 153977-00

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Owner: MONTANA FRESH CHERRIES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 153978-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 153979-00

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Owner: MONTANA PROPERTIES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 100467-00

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LINDA WINKLE

ROGER WINKLE

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Owner: MONTANA YOGA ADVENTURE LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 148723-00

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USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: MONTANA, STATE OF DEPT OF FISH WILDLIFE & PARKS

Water Right #: 76LJ 24612-00

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Owner: MONTANA, STATE OF DEPT OF FISH WILDLIFE & PARKS

Water Right #: 76LJ 24613-00

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Owner: MONTANA, STATE OF UNIVERSITY SYSTEM (UM)

Water Right #: 76LJ 26575-00

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Owner: MONTE VISTA WATER ASSN

Water Right #: 76LJ 10102-00

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ELLEN J HOERNER

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Owner: RUBEN MONTES

Water Right #: 76LJ 162184-00

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Owner: CLAUDE W MOORE

Water Right #: 76LJ 39813-00

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JULIE L MOORE

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Owner: DIANE MOORE

Water Right #: 76LJ 150681-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JULIE L MOORE

Water Right #: 76LJ 39813-00

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Owner: MOORE FAMILY CO

Water Right #: 76LJ 32561-00

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Owner: MICHAEL MORELLI

Water Right #: 76LJ 39771-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 39773-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: MARGARET J MORRISON

Water Right #: 76LJ 114380-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 103330-00

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Owner: MRE IRREVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 103318-00

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Owner: MT COUNCIL OF THE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

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Owner: BRYCE M MUENCH

Water Right #: 76LJ 39683-00

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MONTANA, STATE OF DEPT OF FISH WILDLIFE & PARKS

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Owner: BRANDON C MUNDEE

Water Right #: 76LJ 7261-00

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Owner: PATRICK O MURPHY

Water Right #: 76LJ 148907-00

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Owner: FRANK K MUTCH

Water Right #: 76LJ 146902-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: MARY E MUTCH

Water Right #: 76LJ 146902-00

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Owner: LORRAINE P MUTH

Water Right #: 76LJ 104676-00

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USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Water Right #: 76LJ 104676-00

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Owner: LOUIS J MYERS

Water Right #: 76LJ 100469-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 39828-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 39699-00

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Owner: RENE D NAZELROD

Water Right #: 76LJ 39701-00

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Owner: NDR CP TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 148847-00

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Owner: LAURIE A NEFZGER

Water Right #: 76LJ 104606-00

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Owner: STEVEN R NEILAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 143798-00

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Owner: CASIE NEITZKE

Water Right #: 76LJ 39760-00

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Counsel: KRISTIN L OMVIG

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Owner: MELODY NELSEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 20056-00

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Owner: DUANE K NELSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 6102-00

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Owner: DUANE K NELSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 110828-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 30118433

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Owner: DUANE K NELSON

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Owner: FRED J NELSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 99134-00

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Owner: GLEN M NELSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 35648-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 5809-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 6102-00

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**/s/ Stephen R. Brown
Chief Water Judge
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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: NANCY K NELSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 6103-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: NANCY K NELSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 110828-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: NANCY K NELSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 30118433

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: NANCY K NELSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 30118438

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: NANCY K NELSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 30118450

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Owner: NANCY K NELSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 30118451

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Owner: NANETTE M NELSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 30124662

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Owner: NATE R NELSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 6102-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: SHARAE E NELSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 30805-00

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USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

Counsel: REBECCA M ROSS

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Water Right #: 76LJ 30806-00

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Owner: SHERRY A NELSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 99134-00

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Chief Water Judge
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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: NICOLE K NEUBARTH

Water Right #: 76LJ 25377-00

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

Counsel: REBECCA M ROSS

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LOIS A NICHOLS

Water Right #: 76LJ 39823-00

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MARCUS M NICHOLS

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: ALAN D NICHOLSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 146999-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

Counsel: REBECCA M ROSS

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: ALAN D NICHOLSON

Counsel: ELIZABETH W ERICKSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 164722-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: NANCY E NICHOLSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 146999-00

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: NANCY E NICHOLSON

Counsel: ELIZABETH W ERICKSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 164722-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LINDA K NICKOL

Water Right #: 76LJ 109490-00

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: NORTHERN RIDGEBACK LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 34316-00

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USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: NUNLIST FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 42579-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: TODD W NYDEGGER

Water Right #: 76LJ 35647-00

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: TODD W NYDEGGER

Water Right #: 76LJ 35648-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: NZGH 2000 LTD

Water Right #: 76LJ 128927-00

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LYDIA M ABBOTT

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Owner: NZGH 2000 LTD

Water Right #: 76LJ 128928-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: CARSON OAKLAND

Water Right #: 76LJ 124191-00

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USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

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Water Right #: 76LJ 124191-00

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Owner: OBC TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 42579-00

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Owner: MAYME D OBER

Water Right #: 76LJ 143947-00

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BARBARA A WIDSTRAND

RUSS A WIDSTRAND

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Owner: CYNTHIA G ODELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 148961-00

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Owner: DUSTIN J ODORCIC

Water Right #: 76LJ 15167-00

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DANIEL J TOMBRINK

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Owner: TERESA OKEEFE

Water Right #: 76LJ 39699-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 39702-00

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Owner: OLIVO FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 11600-00

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MONTANA, STATE OF DEPT OF FISH WILDLIFE & PARKS

Counsel: ALEXANDER R. SCOLAVINO III

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Owner: DAVID F OLSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 110840-00

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Owner: HEATH OLSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 26613-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 110840-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: PHIL OLSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 109449-00

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KATHLEEN E REA

JUDY K TOGIAI

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Owner: OLSON, CHRISTY R REVOCABLE TRUST OF MONTANA

Water Right #: 76LJ 39646-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: EVONNE M O'NEIL

Water Right #: 76LJ 143837-00

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MARY E OPITZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 128887-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JEAN M ORAW

Water Right #: 76LJ 35632-00

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Owner: RODNEY J ORAW

Water Right #: 76LJ 35632-00

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Owner: ORCHARD COTTAGE LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 46273-00

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Owner: ORPHAN, GEORGE LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 147108-00

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Owner: JEAN M ORVIS
Counsel: SELENA Z SAUER

Water Right #: 76LJ 852-00

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Owner: RACHEL L OSBURN

Water Right #: 76LJ 147125-00

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Owner: OSBURN FAMILY REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 147124-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 147125-00

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Owner: OSBURN FAMILY REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 147126-00

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Owner: NOLAN L OSHER

Water Right #: 76LJ 14238-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: GAYLON F OWENS

Water Right #: 76LJ 19027-00

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MONTANA, STATE OF DEPT OF FISH WILDLIFE & PARKS

Counsel: ALEXANDER R. SCOLAVINO III

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Owner: OXBOW CHERRY FARMS LLC

Counsel: DIANA J ABBOTT
DIANA J ABBOTT

Water Right #: 76LJ 143829-00

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OXBOW CHERRY FARMS LLC
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Owner: OXBOW CHERRY FARMS LLC

Counsel: DIANA J ABBOTT
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Water Right #: 76LJ 143830-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: ERIC J PALLAS

Water Right #: 76LJ 147452-00

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Owner: JULIE A PALLAS

Water Right #: 76LJ 147452-00

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Owner: PANORAMA RANCH LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 110877-00

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Owner: PARKER FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 23074-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 23075-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 23076-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: PARKS, HARLEY FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 35710-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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Owner: JAMES G PARRISH

Water Right #: 76LJ 19011-00

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AMY J WALLER

Counsel: EMILY WILMOTT

JOHN S WALLER

Counsel: EMILY WILMOTT

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Owner: CHRISTOPHER A PARSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 335-00

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Owner: STEPHANIE E PARSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 335-00

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Owner: TRACIE L PARTEE

Water Right #: 76LJ 140300-00

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Owner: CATHERINE L PATERNO

Water Right #: 76LJ 35695-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: RON F PATERNO

Water Right #: 76LJ 35695-00

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Owner: DENISE S PATTERSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 35676-00

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Owner: DON A PATTERSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 45088-00

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Owner: MARY V PATTERSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 45088-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 35676-00

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Owner: CAROLYN H PAUL

Water Right #: 76LJ 22263-00

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Owner: THOMAS D PAUL

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Owner: KAREN PAULSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 5182-00

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Owner: BETTY T PAULY

Water Right #: 76LJ 164723-00

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Owner: JOHN PAULY

Water Right #: 76LJ 123088-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 123088-00

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Owner: MARY PAULY ZIMMERMAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 164723-00

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Owner: PAULY, JOHN MONTANA REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 164723-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: TERRY PAYNE

Water Right #: 76LJ 26563-00

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KATHRYN A NEWGARD

TERRY PAYNE

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Owner: ALICE M PEARSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 150487-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: PEDERSEN, RICHARD REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 42591-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: JORDAN PENNEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Owner: GREGORY L PERKINS

Water Right #: 76LJ 35720-00

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Owner: PERRY, J REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 109454-00

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USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: AMANDA N PETERS

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Owner: DONALD J PETERS

Water Right #: 76LJ 148860-00

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Owner: HEATHER PETERS

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Owner: JOSHUA PETERS

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Owner: NICOLE A PETERS

Water Right #: 76LJ 148860-00

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Owner: CYNDEE L PETERSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 150699-00

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Owner: JONDELL PETERSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 2315-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: ROBERT M PETERSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 150699-00

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Owner: SHANE PETERSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 2315-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

Counsel: REBECCA M ROSS

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: WENDY P PETERSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 148916-00

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Owner: WENDY P PETERSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 148918-00

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Owner: PETERSON, DENNIS L & BARBARA M REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 46273-00

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Owner: STEPHANIE K PETERSON-WALLACE

Water Right #: 76LJ 103323-00

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Owner: KEN M PETRY

Water Right #: 76LJ 35654-00

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PAUL W BUCK

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Owner: PFDJ TRUST DTD 07/15/2020

Water Right #: 76LJ 140179-00

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USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: PFEIFER FAMILY PARTNERSHIP

Water Right #: 76LJ 166869-00

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Owner: LORRAINE M PFENNIG

Water Right #: 76LJ 152175-00

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Owner: MICHAEL D PFENNIG

Water Right #: 76LJ 152175-00

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PHELPS, JOHN M & MELISA RICE REVOCABLE
TRUST

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Owner: PHELPS, JOHN M & MELISA RICE REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 6352-00

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Owner: JACQUELINE M PICKERING

Water Right #: 76LJ 34209-00

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JEFFREY P MCCRACKEN

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Owner: PIERROTTET, JULIA S REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 129085-00

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SHAW, WILLIAM & CYNTHIA FAMILY TRUST

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Owner: MONICA S PIGEON

Water Right #: 76LJ 100474-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JUSTIN G PILKINGTON

Water Right #: 76LJ 140177-00

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Owner: MELISSA L PILKINGTON

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Owner: SHANE PISCHEL

Water Right #: 76LJ 22262-00

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Owner: SAMANTHA PITCHEL

Water Right #: 76LJ 35656-00

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Owner: PLN20 TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 852-00

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JEAN M ORVIS

Counsel: SELENA Z SAUER

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Owner: DERRICK C PLUFF

Water Right #: 76LJ 124191-00

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Owner: STACI C PLUFF

Water Right #: 76LJ 124191-00

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Owner: HOLLY M POEHNERT

Water Right #: 76LJ 30756-00

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Owner: POLEBRIDGE PROPERTIES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 147149-00

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JANE M BENSON

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR NATIONAL PARK SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: POLSON, CITY OF

Counsel: DAVE MICHIE

Water Right #: 76LJ 148954-00

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Owner: POLSON, CITY OF

Counsel: DAVE MICHIE

Water Right #: 76LJ 148955-00

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Owner: POLSON, CITY OF

Water Right #: 76LJ 214453-00

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Owner: POMAJEVICH, JAMES J & DONNA M LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 34260-00

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Owner: MEGAN E POPE

Water Right #: 76LJ 103243-00

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Owner: MEGAN E POPE

Water Right #: 76LJ 103244-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: KATHRYN F PRITCHARD

Water Right #: 76LJ 105097-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 105097-00

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Owner: PRO KLEEN SERVICES INC

Water Right #: 76LJ 99076-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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Owner: PSALM 23:2 LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 103262-00

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CARL D. BLAKE

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Owner: PSALM 23:2 LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 103263-00

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Owner: QUARTER CIRCLE LA RANCHES INC

Counsel: KRISTIN L OMVIG

Water Right #: 76LJ 25355-00

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Counsel: KRISTIN L OMVIG

Water Right #: 76LJ 25356-00

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Owner: GLENN K QUESENBERY

Water Right #: 76LJ 146984-00

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Owner: RAYMOND QUESENBERY

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Owner: R & K SCHREIBER FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 140249-00

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Owner: KRISTINE M RAMBERG

Water Right #: 76LJ 15190-00

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Owner: STEVEN R RAMBERG

Water Right #: 76LJ 15190-00

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Owner: RAND, TIMOTHY AND CHRISTINE 1991 TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR FISH & WILDLIFE SERVICE)

Counsel: ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: RANGER SPRINGS INC

Water Right #: 76LJ 396-00

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RANGER SPRINGS INC

Counsel: SELENA Z SAUER

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: CATHRYN G RANKIN

Water Right #: 76LJ 1571-00

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Owner: ARTHUR J RAPP

Water Right #: 76LJ 30800-00

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Owner: REA FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 109449-00

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KATHLEEN E REA

JUDY K TOGIAI

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Owner: GARY V RED ELK

Water Right #: 76LJ 335-00

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Owner: RER HOLDINGS LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 124190-00

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Owner: RORY RICE

Water Right #: 76LJ 213774-00

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Owner: AMBER M RICHARDSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 39584-00

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Owner: KENNETH W RICHARDSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 118416-00

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Owner: MICHAEL RICOTTONE

Water Right #: 76LJ 134561-00

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Owner: MARY ANN RIDDLE

Water Right #: 76LJ 146918-00

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Owner: STEVEN J RIDDLE

Water Right #: 76LJ 146918-00

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Owner: SHELLI R RIEDESEL

Water Right #: 76LJ 148974-00

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: SHELLI R RIEDESEL

Water Right #: 76LJ 148976-00

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Owner: WADE T RIEDESEL

Water Right #: 76LJ 148974-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 148975-00

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Owner: CHARLES A RIGG

Counsel: KRISTIN L OMVIG

Water Right #: 76LJ 28644-00

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Owner: RIGG FAMILY TRUST DTD 11/22/2003

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Owner: JOSEPH ROBBINS

Water Right #: 76LJ 46923-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 46924-00

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Owner: KAREN A ROBERTS

Water Right #: 76LJ 142041-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 1962-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: KAREN D ROBINETTE

Water Right #: 76LJ 27715-00

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Owner: ROBINS GOOD MEDICINE ORCHARD LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 164722-00

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Owner: VERONICA ROBINSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Counsel: ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Owner: ADINA ROE

Water Right #: 76LJ 39699-00

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Owner: KARL L ROESCH

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Owner: LINDA V ROLL

Water Right #: 76LJ 109567-00

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CAROLE C BARTRAM

Counsel: NATE BLOCK

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Owner: ROLLINS LAKESHORE LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 28672-00

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MONTANA, STATE OF DEPT OF FISH WILDLIFE & PARKS

Counsel: ALEXANDER R. SCOLAVINO III

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Owner: BREE ROSS

Water Right #: 76LJ 45124-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: ROSS FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 141903-00

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Owner: WILLIAM A ROSSBACH

Water Right #: 76LJ 1962-00

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Owner: KATHLEEN W ROTAR

Water Right #: 76LJ 24825-00

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MARK F ROTAR

Counsel: VANCE J. THUESEN

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Counsel: VANCE J. THUESEN

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Owner: ROTH, RICHARD & VIVIANE COMMUNITY PROPERTY REV TR

Water Right #: 76LJ 131481-00

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Owner: ROTH, RICHARD & VIVIANE COMMUNITY PROPERTY REV TR

Water Right #: 76LJ 131482-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 131484-00

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Owner: ROTHER, JAMES T 2013 TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 35658-00

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Owner: LISE A ROUSSEAU

Water Right #: 76LJ 128987-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 148860-00

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Owner: LAURA ROWLEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 148860-00

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Owner: KRISTINE J ROZINKA

Water Right #: 76LJ 28681-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: LESLIE A ROZZANO

Water Right #: 76LJ 146944-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 104714-00

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Owner: RSSD JOYCE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 7262-00

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Owner: DIAHANN M RUSSELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 129085-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 129085-00

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Owner: MATT RUSSELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 105419-00

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Owner: SONJA RUSSELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 105419-00

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Owner: SAFECOVE PARTNERSHIP

Water Right #: 76LJ 104655-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 104654-00

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Owner: SAGRA NW LLC

Counsel: JOHN FERGUSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 43193-00

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Owner: ANNA D SAIN

Water Right #: 76LJ 34317-00

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Owner: SAKURA NABI LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 210664-00

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Owner: SAPA KING FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 19030-00

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Owner: HAILEY A SAPA

Water Right #: 76LJ 152172-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LANE C SAPA

Water Right #: 76LJ 152172-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 152172-00

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Owner: SAPA KING FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 19031-00

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Owner: RONALD H SAPP

Water Right #: 76LJ 35695-00

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Owner: VERA SAPP

Water Right #: 76LJ 35695-00

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Owner: SAUER, WILLIAM AND LINDA REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 140234-00

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Owner: GEORGETTE K SAUNDERS

Water Right #: 76LJ 147108-00

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Owner: CATHERINE SAYLOR

Water Right #: 76LJ 26567-00

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Owner: SCHIPF, ANNETTE SWAN LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 110479-00

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Owner: ALEXA SCHIRTZINGER

Water Right #: 76LJ 148724-00

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Owner: ANGELA SCHOLLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Owner: COLTEN SCHOLLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Owner: KATHRYN J SCHREIBER

Water Right #: 76LJ 140250-00

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**/s/ Stephen R. Brown
Chief Water Judge
Montana Water Court**

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JAMES G SCHROEDER

Water Right #: 76LJ 12051-00

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Owner: SHARON L SCHROEDER

Water Right #: 76LJ 12051-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: SCHUMANN, ROBERT L TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 150698-00

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USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: SCHUTT, NANCY S REVOCABLE INTERVIVOS TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 9462-00

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NANCY S SCHUTT

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Owner: CORINNE W SCHWARTZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 45187-00

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Owner: JOHN P SCHWARZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 103314-00

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Owner: MOLLY C SCHWARZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 103314-00

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Owner: JAMES R SCOTT

Water Right #: 76LJ 5182-00

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Owner: KAREN K SCOTT

Water Right #: 76LJ 26590-00

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Owner: TIMOTHY C SCOTT

Water Right #: 76LJ 26590-00

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Owner: MURLAND W SEARIGHT

Water Right #: 76LJ 19030-00

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Owner: VIRGINIA M SEARIGHT

Water Right #: 76LJ 19030-00

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Owner: CARL A SEIFERT

Water Right #: 76LJ 105414-00

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Owner: GERTRUDE M SEIFERT

Water Right #: 76LJ 105414-00

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Owner: JEREMY J SEIFERT

Water Right #: 76LJ 128921-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JODY L SEIFERT

Water Right #: 76LJ 128921-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JACK E SELANDERS

Water Right #: 76LJ 148972-00

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Owner: VIKI SELANDERS

Water Right #: 76LJ 148972-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: CLAIRE W SHAFFER

Water Right #: 76LJ 9453-00

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Owner: ERIKA S SHAFFER

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Owner: SHANNON, LESLIE K TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 30822-00

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Owner: SHAW, WILLIAM & CYNTHIA FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 129085-00

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Owner: BERNARD J SHEA

Water Right #: 76LJ 30827-00

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Owner: BERNARD J SHEA

Water Right #: 76LJ 30828-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: BERNARD J SHEA

Water Right #: 76LJ 214108-00

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Owner: TINA MARIE SHEA

Water Right #: 76LJ 30827-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 30828-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 214107-00

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Owner: ROBERT D SHEETS

Water Right #: 76LJ 149203-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 7494-00

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Owner: SHEPHERD FAMILY LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 128970-00

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Owner: TRACY L SHERICK

Water Right #: 76LJ 25285-00

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Owner: SHERIDAN LAKE PROPERTY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 42550-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: DANNER SHIMA

Water Right #: 76LJ 45086-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 45086-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: PATRICIA L SHIPLEYTRAGESER

Water Right #: 76LJ 30130300

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Owner: KELLY SHULL

Water Right #: 76LJ 152166-00

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Owner: ELIZABETH L SIBLERUD

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Owner: JOHANNA E SIEGEL

Water Right #: 76LJ 134845-00

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Owner: HOLLY B SILK

Water Right #: 76LJ 103208-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 103270-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: SHIRLEY JO SILLIKER

Water Right #: 76LJ 103270-00

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Owner: ALBERT SILVA

Water Right #: 76LJ 128987-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 147208-00

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Owner: SIMMONS, CAROLYN L PERPETUAL TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 147108-00

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Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: GIDON SIPORIN

Water Right #: 76LJ 147180-00

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Owner: JULIE SISLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 39799-00

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Owner: SKJT PARACHUTE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 2375-00

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Owner: MATTHEW SLONAKER

Water Right #: 76LJ 6720-00

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Owner: CHRISTOPHER D SMART

Water Right #: 76LJ 21944-00

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Owner: JON P SMART

Water Right #: 76LJ 21944-00

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Owner: THEODORE R SMART

Water Right #: 76LJ 21944-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: SMART, STANLEY R JR FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 21944-00

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NANCY S CAIN

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Dated this 27th day of May, 2026.

**/s/ Stephen R. Brown
Chief Water Judge
Montana Water Court**

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: CHARLES SMITH

Water Right #: 76LJ 27762-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: DUANE E SMITH

Water Right #: 76LJ 105414-00

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JENNIFER L SMITH

Water Right #: 76LJ 25226-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

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Water Right #: 76LJ 25226-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MARILYN SMITH

Water Right #: 76LJ 147108-00

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ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: REBECCA J SMITH

Water Right #: 76LJ 105142-00

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Owner: RUTH P SMITH

Water Right #: 76LJ 27762-00

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Owner: WHITNEY SMITH

Water Right #: 76LJ 147108-00

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Owner: REBECCA H SNEED

Water Right #: 76LJ 147186-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: ROBERT S SNELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 103314-00

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Owner: SHARON K SNELL

Water Right #: 76LJ 103314-00

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Owner: BEAU J SNYDER

Water Right #: 76LJ 34316-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MELISSA B SNYDER

Water Right #: 76LJ 34316-00

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USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: DEBORAH SOGGE-KERMANI

Water Right #: 76LJ 105414-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: SONSTELIE, DALE & PATRICIA H REV BYPASS TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 52-00

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CHARLENE SCHAEFER

CHRIS TOEPFER

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Owner: ROY SOUDER

Water Right #: 76LJ 39789-00

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Owner: SOULDER LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 39790-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: MARY A SOUTHEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 35654-00

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PAUL W BUCK

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Owner: LAURA SPARGO

Water Right #: 76LJ 103314-00

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Owner: RYAN SPARGO

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Owner: DAVID J SPEAR

Water Right #: 76LJ 103311-00

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Owner: MICHAEL SPECKERT

Water Right #: 76LJ 216041-00

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Owner: STEVEN SPECKERT

Water Right #: 76LJ 216042-00

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Owner: SUZANNE SPECKERT

Water Right #: 76LJ 216041-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: SUZANNE SPECKERT

Water Right #: 76LJ 216042-00

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Owner: SPIERLING FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 28596-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: SPRUNK, ERIC D & BLAIR M REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 11620-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 22287-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 35636-00

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Owner: ST SAUVER FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 35637-00

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Owner: ST SAUVER FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 123031-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 123032-00

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Owner: ST SAUVER FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 123033-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 123034-00

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Owner: STANINGER, KEN A UNDER THE WILL OF TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 26954-00

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Owner: CAROL A STANLEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 532-00

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Owner: ROY W STANLEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 532-00

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Owner: CHARLES M STARK

Water Right #: 76LJ 5513-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LORETTA L STARK

Water Right #: 76LJ 5513-00

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Owner: HOMER A STAVES

Water Right #: 76LJ 164723-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: DAWN STEELE

Water Right #: 76LJ 131450-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: STEFANIAK, WENDY REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 45124-00

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CAROL Y HOERNER
WENDY STEFANIAK
MARK L WAHLBERG
BENJAMIN L WEIDLING
LAURA M WEIDLING

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: STEINMAN/ADAMS FAMILY REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 6352-00

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JOHN M PHELPS

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Owner: MAT STEVENSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 34300-00

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Owner: STEVENSON, TAMMY 2021 IRREVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 39758-00

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Owner: EDWARD W STODDARD

Water Right #: 76LJ 15167-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 15167-00

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Owner: STODDARD, PAMELA R REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 109462-00

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Owner: STODDARD, PAMELA R REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 109463-00

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Owner: STOLTZE, F H LAND & LUMBER CO

Water Right #: 76LJ 123075-00

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USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR NATIONAL PARK SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: GREGORY A STONE

Water Right #: 76LJ 35695-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: BENNY STORAMSKI

Water Right #: 76LJ 25226-00

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Owner: SHARON STORAMSKI

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: NANCY K STOVERUD

Water Right #: 76LJ 21943-00

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Owner: BENJAMIN M STRATTON

Water Right #: 76LJ 150444-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 150444-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 9426-00

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Owner: CAROLYN J SULLIVAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 143845-00

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SHERYL GETMAN

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Owner: SV FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Counsel: ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: CHARLOTTE K SWANSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 140179-00

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Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

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Water Right #: 76LJ 10105-00

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Owner: SWANSON CABIN LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 10106-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 131015-00

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Owner: PATRICK K SWEETEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 103314-00

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Owner: STEPHANIE A SWEETEN

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Owner: TIFFANY SWEITZER

Water Right #: 76LJ 9832-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 213824-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 134583-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: T T & J ORCHARDS INC

Water Right #: 76LJ 131045-00

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: TERRY A TADDEO

Water Right #: 76LJ 141429-00

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KENNETH G ZIMMERMAN

Counsel: TIMOTHY D GEISZLER

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: IDA C TAMS

Water Right #: 76LJ 103314-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: STUART D TAMS

Water Right #: 76LJ 103314-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MAURICE R TANNER

Water Right #: 76LJ 46906-00

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Owner: WENDI LIN TANNER

Water Right #: 76LJ 46906-00

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Owner: MORGAN TARBUTTON

Water Right #: 76LJ 147159-00

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USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR NATIONAL PARK SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: GREGOR T TAVENNER

Water Right #: 76LJ 35603-00

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Owner: BAMMA E TAYLOR

Water Right #: 76LJ 39828-00

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Owner: JAMES L TAYLOR

Water Right #: 76LJ 39828-00

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Owner: TAYLOR, JOHN C TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 39770-00

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Owner: TAYLOR, JOHN C TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 39772-00

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Owner: JOHN M TESS

Water Right #: 76LJ 9832-00

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Owner: TETON ACCEPTANCE II LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 156835-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: TETON ACCEPTANCE II LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 156836-00

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: CHARLES TEWALT

Water Right #: 76LJ 25280-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: CHARLES TEWALT

Water Right #: 76LJ 25281-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 25281-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: DENNIS M THOMAS

Water Right #: 76LJ 9453-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 9453-00

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Owner: ZACHARY C THOMAS

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Owner: LINDA L THRASHER

Water Right #: 76LJ 140286-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 140286-00

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Owner: TIBBLES FAMILY REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 6361-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: TIENSVOLD, NANCY L TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 26615-00

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

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Owner: TIENSVOLD, NANCY L TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 26616-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JUSTIN B TILLEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 10082-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 10084-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: LAURA R TILLEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 10082-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 10084-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: TIMBRSHOR

Counsel: ELIZABETH W ERICKSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 42601-00

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Owner: BENNY A TIMLICK

Water Right #: 76LJ 146984-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 146984-00

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Owner: TJC RANCH LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 166889-00

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Counsel: ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: CHRIS TOEPFER

Water Right #: 76LJ 52-00

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Owner: KATHE TOEPFER

Water Right #: 76LJ 52-00

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Owner: LYNN M TOLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 727-00

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Owner: LYNN M TOLER

Water Right #: 76LJ 729-00

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Owner: TOMBRINK, DANIEL & CAROL FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 15167-00

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DANIEL J TOMBRINK

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: TOMBRINK, DANIEL & CAROL FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 15168-00

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Owner: ARLENE B TOMPKINS

Water Right #: 76LJ 39864-00

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Owner: TED L TOMPKINS

Water Right #: 76LJ 39863-00

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Owner: TOP OF THE MORNING LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 143823-00

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Owner: KENNETH L TORGERSON

Water Right #: 76LJ 143859-00

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Owner: KIMBERLY TORPEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 45124-00

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Owner: TOUGAS IRREVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 34268-00

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Owner: TREMPER - MOSELEY, MARY ANNE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 110552-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 104653-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 110552-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: CYNTHIA TRILLO

Water Right #: 76LJ 6720-00

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Dated this 27th day of May, 2026.

**/s/ Stephen R. Brown
Chief Water Judge
Montana Water Court**

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: CHARLES H TUPPER

Water Right #: 76LJ 28656-00

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USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR NATIONAL PARK SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: KAREN R TUPPER

Water Right #: 76LJ 28656-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: CHRISTOPHER C TURNER

Water Right #: 76LJ 134516-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: CHRISTOPHER C TURNER

Water Right #: 76LJ 134517-00

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Owner: CHRISTOPHER C TURNER

Water Right #: 76LJ 134518-00

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Owner: JEFFREY L TURNER

Water Right #: 76LJ 34209-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: PEGGY B TURNER

Water Right #: 76LJ 147141-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 147144-00

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Owner: BRUCE P TUTVEDT

Water Right #: 76LJ 109490-00

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Owner: TUTVEDT FAMILY PARTNERSHIP

Water Right #: 76LJ 109490-00

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Owner: TUTVEDT, PAUL & SHARON FAMILY LP

Water Right #: 76LJ 109493-00

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MONTANA, STATE OF DEPT OF FISH WILDLIFE & PARKS

Counsel: ALEXANDER R. SCOLAVINO III

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Owner: TWO LAST BEST PLACES LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 6720-00

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Counsel: REBECCA M ROSS

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Owner: JENO ULESAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 124191-00

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JUDITH ULESAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 124191-00

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: CATHERINE A UMBER

Water Right #: 76LJ 35654-00

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PAUL W BUCK

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: KELLY B UNGER

Water Right #: 76LJ 148825-00

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Owner: ELIZABETH URSCHER

Water Right #: 76LJ 109417-00

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Owner: USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR FISH & WILDLIFE SERVICE)

Water Right #: 76LJ 150444-00

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Owner: USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR FISH & WILDLIFE SERVICE)

Water Right #: 76LJ 188241-00

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WARDEN HUTTERIAN BRETHREN

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Owner: USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR FISH & WILDLIFE SERVICE)

Water Right #: 76LJ 188243-00

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Owner: USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR FISH & WILDLIFE SERVICE)

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Owner: USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR FISH & WILDLIFE SERVICE)

Water Right #: 76LJ 188246-00

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Owner: USA (FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION)

Water Right #: 76LJ 143863-00

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Owner: DAN H VACHAL

Water Right #: 76LJ 143859-00

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Owner: ANTHONY A VALENZA

Water Right #: 76LJ 9456-00

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USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: KATHERINE F VALENZA

Water Right #: 76LJ 9456-00

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Chief Water Judge
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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LINDA S VANDEVEER

Water Right #: 76LJ 140300-00

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Owner: KELLY VANGAALLEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 46812-00

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QUINN VANGAALLEN

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Water Right #: 76LJ 46812-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

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Water Right #: 76LJ 46813-00

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Owner: ANGELA M VANINETTI

Water Right #: 76LJ 103314-00

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Owner: KIMBERLY A VASEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30795-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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Owner: ROBERT S VASEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 30795-00

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Owner: CHARLES VAUGHN

Water Right #: 76LJ 147149-00

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JANE M BENSON

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR NATIONAL PARK SERVICE)

Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: VEW INVESTMENTS LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 5182-00

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KAREN PAULSON

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Owner: VICINO LA ACQUA LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 164739-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 105414-00

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Owner: KEITH A VIRGA

Water Right #: 76LJ 30805-00

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Owner: KEITH A VIRGA

Water Right #: 76LJ 30806-00

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Owner: PHILIP B VON BARGEN

Water Right #: 76LJ 146932-00

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Owner: CHERYL M VONLINDERN

Water Right #: 76LJ 215973-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JANYCE R VONLINDERN

Water Right #: 76LJ 215973-00

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Owner: VOYAGER GROUP LTD

Water Right #: 76LJ 166806-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

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Owner: LOREN S VRANISH

Water Right #: 76LJ 148870-00

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Owner: SHERRY L VRANISH

Water Right #: 76LJ 148870-00

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Owner: BONNIE A VROOMAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 45050-00

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Owner: RICHARD F VROOMAN

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Owner: RONALD K WADE

Water Right #: 76LJ 150444-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 30771-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 30771-00

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Owner: MARK L WAHLBERG

Water Right #: 76LJ 45124-00

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Owner: JAMES D WALKER

Water Right #: 76LJ 122958-00

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Owner: LOIS E WALKER

Water Right #: 76LJ 148724-00

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ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Water Right #: 76LJ 148724-00

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Owner: CAMDEN C WALL

Water Right #: 76LJ 35599-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: ELLEN G WALL

Water Right #: 76LJ 35599-00

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Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

Counsel: REBECCA M ROSS

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Owner: AMY J WALLER

Counsel: EMILY WILMOTT

Water Right #: 76LJ 19011-00

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AMY J WALLER

Counsel: EMILY WILMOTT

JOHN S WALLER

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Owner: JOHN S WALLER

Counsel: EMILY WILMOTT

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: MARJORIE A WALTON

Water Right #: 76LJ 143908-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: RICHARD L WALTON

Water Right #: 76LJ 143908-00

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Owner: WARDCO INC

Water Right #: 76LJ 100418-00

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Owner: TERESA F WARFORD

Water Right #: 76LJ 9419-00

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JAMES M BROOKS

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Owner: WARNE, BRUCE M & KAREN A TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 105414-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: TIMOTHY J WARNECKE

Water Right #: 76LJ 1962-00

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Owner: TIMOTHY J WARNECKE

Water Right #: 76LJ 27715-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: SHANNON M WARTNOW

Water Right #: 76LJ 335-00

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TERRY L WEISZ

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Owner: BRIAN WASIK

Water Right #: 76LJ 216084-00

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Owner: KENNETTA WASIK

Water Right #: 76LJ 216084-00

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Owner: S GENE WATNE

Water Right #: 76LJ 42561-00

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Owner: CRETA W WEBB

Water Right #: 76LJ 143911-00

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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: PATRICIA G WEBBER

Water Right #: 76LJ 45068-00

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Owner: BRUCE D WEBER

Water Right #: 76LJ 5283-00

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Owner: WEBERGS HOMEOWNERS ASSN

Water Right #: 76LJ 166805-00

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Owner: WEIDICK, MARK S & U TANIA LIVING TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 42572-00

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Owner: BENJAMIN L WEIDLING

Water Right #: 76LJ 45124-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 5809-00

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Owner: MARY L WEISZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 335-00

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Owner: GAIL P WESTLEIGH

Water Right #: 76LJ 22262-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: MEGAN RI WHEELER

Water Right #: 76LJ 140179-00

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Counsel: DANIEL LUECKE

ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: , H WHISTLER, RODGER AND PENNI TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 42569-00

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Owner: RUTH E WHITE

Water Right #: 76LJ 148946-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: WHITE SWAN LLC

Water Right #: 76LJ 45146-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 98848-00

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Owner: WHITEFISH LAKE GOLF CLUB

Water Right #: 76LJ 17981-00

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Owner: WHITEFISH, CITY OF

Water Right #: 76LJ 17981-00

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Owner: IDA M WHITTET

Water Right #: 76LJ 45086-00

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Owner: WICKERSHAM, NINA S REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 147072-00

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Owner: DEBORAH C WICKUM

Water Right #: 76LJ 100379-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 100379-00

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Owner: WIDSTRAND REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 5376-00

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RUSS A WIDSTRAND

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Water Right #: 76LJ 5377-00

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Owner: WIDSTRAND REVOCABLE TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 143947-00

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Owner: ANDREW R WILCOX

Water Right #: 76LJ 103325-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: ANDREW R WILCOX

Water Right #: 76LJ 103326-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 140300-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 46826-00

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Owner: WILLIAMS, JOAN TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 156832-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 5958-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: JOHN WINEGART

Water Right #: 76LJ 35695-00

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Owner: WINKLE, LINDA F RECOVERABLE PROPERTY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 100467-00

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Owner: CHARLES S WISE

Water Right #: 76LJ 150502-00

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Owner: WOOD, SANDRA J TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 104712-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 128986-00

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Owner: SCOTT A WORSTER

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Owner: JESSE WORTHEY

Water Right #: 76LJ 146984-00

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Owner: BLAINE WRIGHT

Water Right #: 76LJ 148763-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 148765-00

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Owner: BLAINE G WRIGHT

Water Right #: 76LJ 9419-00

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Owner: CAMERON A WRIGHT

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Owner: CHRISTOPHER A WRIGHT

Water Right #: 76LJ 148786-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 140179-00

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Owner: WRIGHT FAMILY TRUST

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Owner: JAMES R WRIGHT JR

Water Right #: 76LJ 140179-00

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Owner: HOLLY L WURL

Water Right #: 76LJ 128979-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: TRISHA YBARRA-PETERS

Water Right #: 76LJ 129022-00

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CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES

Counsel: MELISSA SCHLICHTING

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)

Counsel: REBECCA M ROSS

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Dated this 27th day of May, 2026.

**/s/ Stephen R. Brown
Chief Water Judge
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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: TRISHA YBARRA-PETERS
Counsel: MADELEINE C. WEISZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 146983-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: YEAGER FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 3353-00

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WILLIAM YEAGER

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: YEAGER FAMILY TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 150463-00

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WILLIAM YEAGER

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
CLARK FORK DIVISION
FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: YEAGER, WILLIAM P GST NON-EXEMPT TRUST

Water Right #: 76LJ 150463-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: LINDA L YEO

Water Right #: 76LJ 42548-00

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LINDA L YEO

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: KRISTIN K YOUNG

Water Right #: 76LJ 25285-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: MARK YOUNG

Water Right #: 76LJ 30114277

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MARK YOUNG

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Owner: PAULA YOUNG

Water Right #: 76LJ 30114277

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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FLATHEAD RIVER, TO & INCLUDING FLATHEAD LAKE - BASIN 76LJ**

Owner: SCOTT PAUL YOUNG

Water Right #: 76LJ 9419-00

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Owner: KARI ZAVALA

Water Right #: 76LJ 35684-00

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Owner: KARI ZAVALA

Water Right #: 76LJ 35685-00

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Owner: ROBERTO ZAVALA

Water Right #: 76LJ 35684-00

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**IN THE WATER COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
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Owner: JODY ZAWADA

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR FISH & WILDLIFE SERVICE)

Counsel: ROMNEY S PHILPOTT

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Owner: JILL S ZEMKE

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Owner: PAUL D ZEMKE

Water Right #: 76LJ 146973-00

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Owner: CHERYL D ZEMLISKA

Water Right #: 76LJ 147177-00

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Owner: CHERYL D ZEMLISKA

Water Right #: 76LJ 147178-00

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Owner: BRYAN K ZIMMERMAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 14267-00

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Owner: BRYAN K ZIMMERMAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 140298-00

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Water Right #: 76LJ 140298-00

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Owner: MARY ZIMMERMAN

Water Right #: 76LJ 123088-00

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Owner: LINDA J ZIZZ

Water Right #: 76LJ 109567-00

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Owner: ZURI HOLDING CO LLC

Counsel: ELIZABETH W ERICKSON

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