PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 217-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: 30 WHISPERING PINES LLC
2472 LASSO AVE
BOZEMAN, MT 59718-8039

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1933

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 13.46 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.12

Source Name: FROZE-TO-DEATH CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESE	10	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.12		NENESE	10	4S	12E	PARK
Total:	0.12						

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 41.

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 859-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JUDITH HONADEL
325 10TH AVE
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-3207

TOM NORTH
10218 DESMOND CT
COVINGTON, KY 41015-2436

TRUE NORTH LIVING TRUST DTD 06/13/2008
325 N 10TH AVE
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-3207

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 9, 1928

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 15.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 3

Maximum Acres: 0.64

Source Name: FROZE-TO-DEATH CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSW	10	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.64		SWSWSW	10	4S	12E	PARK
Total:	0.64						

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 41.

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE PIPELINE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 1862-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ALCIRA P DANIEL
MT CONTRACT CABINS
PO BOX 207
MC LEOD, MT 59052

JOHN L DANIEL
MT CONTRACT CABINS
MC LEOD, MT 59052

GEORGIE G STEPHENSON
% ALCIRA P DANIEL
PO BOX 207
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: APRIL 30, 1931

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 13.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.66

Source Name: FROZE-TO-DEATH CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESE	10	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.66		NENESE	10	4S	12E	PARK
Total:	0.66						

PLACE OF USE IS IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 41.

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 2981-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JULIE CURRENCE
406 MOUNTAIN VIEW DR
BOZEMAN, MT 59718

MARK D CURRENCE
405 MOUNTAIN VIEW DR
BOZEMAN, MT 59718-8784

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1970

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 13.46 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.57

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS KELLER CREEK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNW	14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.57	11	NENENE	15	4S	12E	PARK
Total:	0.57						

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 2996-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: FLYING HORSES PROPERTIES LLC
650 25TH ST NW STE 100
CLEVELAND, TN 37311

Priority Date: JUNE 10, 1910

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.46 CFS

Volume: 327.42 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 38.52

Source Name: MILLER CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSE	12	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	35.42			12	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	3.10			12	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	38.52						

PLACE OF USE, PARCEL 001, IS WITHIN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY 255.
PARCEL 002 IS WITHIN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY 665.

Remarks:

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THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE HEADGATE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS JUNE 13, 1910.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 2997-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: FLYING HORSES PROPERTIES LLC
650 25TH ST NW STE 100
CLEVELAND, TN 37311

Priority Date: DECEMBER 17, 1960

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 6.00 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 2.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSE	12	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.00		SESWNE	12	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	2.00						

Remarks:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY 255.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 3979-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: FLYING HORSES PROPERTIES LLC
650 25TH ST NW STE 100
CLEVELAND, TN 37311

Priority Date: JUNE 13, 1910

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: MULTIPLE METHODS

Flow Rate: 255.82 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 15.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SHORTY CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			12	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	11.90			12	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	3.10			12	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	15.00						

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ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 3980-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: FLYING HORSES PROPERTIES LLC
650 25TH ST NW STE 100
CLEVELAND, TN 37311

Priority Date: JUNE 13, 1910

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 53.86 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 3.10

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SHORTY CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			12	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO AUGUST 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

THE POINT OF DIVERSION IS LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY 255.

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO AUGUST 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3.10			12	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	3.10						

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY 665.

Remarks:

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

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 3988-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JON LOMELAND
189 SHORT RD
TOUCHET, WA 99360

VANESSA LOMELAND
189 SHORT RD
TOUCHET, WA 99360

Priority Date: OCTOBER 15, 1900

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 67.32 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 4.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CLAUSE-WEAVER DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	4.00		NWNWNW	11	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	4.00						

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Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JON LOMELAND
189 SHORT RD
TOUCHET, WA 99360

VANESSA LOMELAND
189 SHORT RD
TOUCHET, WA 99360

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1940

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: MULTIPLE METHODS

Flow Rate: 10.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 1.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNW	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: LAMP-NELSON DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.00		NWNWNW	11	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.00						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 3998-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVIS, BETTY JEAN TRUST
1660 COUNTRY MANOR BLVD # 126B
BILLINGS, MT 59102

Priority Date: JUNE 4, 1918

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 25.00 GPM

Volume: 3.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 1.00

Source Name: GRAHAM CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.00		SWSESE	14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.00						

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 3999-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVIS, BETTY JEAN TRUST
1660 COUNTRY MANOR BLVD # 126B
BILLINGS, MT 59102

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1967

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF GRAHAM CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNENE	23	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNENE	23	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 4141-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: PAMELA D RUSSELL
PO BOX 240
DAYTON, WA 99328-0240

NASH, ROBIN L TRUST
7729 BUCKSKIN DR
SHEPHERD, MT 59079-4520

Priority Date: JUNE 30, 1895

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.33 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 35.00

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS ERWIN CREEK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	32	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	35.00		SESE	32	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	35.00						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 4142-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KEN LECLAIR
2421 HIGHLAND BLVD
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-5852

Priority Date: JUNE 30, 1895

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 3.03 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 80.00

Source Name: WRIGHT GULCH

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSE	4	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO AUGUST 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO AUGUST 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	40.00		NE	4	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	40.00		NW	4	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	80.00						

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 4149-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: COMANCHE RESOURCE MANAGEMENT LLC
PO BOX 31118
BILLINGS, MT 59107-1118

Priority Date: APRIL 1, 1917

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 25.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: GRAHAM CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSESE	14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE LOCATED IN SURVEY NO 10454A, BONANZA NO 3 MINERAL CLAIM.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 4176-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SUSANNE FOX
%FRANCIS, JAMES M
2810 WESTMORELAND DR
IDAHO FALLS, ID 83402

JAMES M FRANCIS
2810 WESTMORELAND DR
IDAHO FALLS, ID 83402

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1928

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 5.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 0.33

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENENE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.33		NENE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.33						

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 4791-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: GBC LLC
226 CLARK AVE
% LAURETTE MURPHY
BILLINGS, MT 59101

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1945

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 13.46 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: FROZE-TO-DEATH CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESE	10	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNESE	10	4S	12E	PARK

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 41.

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 4795-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners:

DEAN B ATKINSON
C/O GALEN BERST
4452 MITCHELL AVE
BILLINGS, MT 59101

ELIZABETH O ATKINSON
C/O GALEN BERST
4452 MITCHELL AVE
BILLINGS, MT 59101

GALEN R BERST
4452 MITCHELL AVE
BILLINGS, MT 59101

JEANNINE A BERST
4452 MITCHELL AVE
BILLINGS, MT 59101

JAMES HANCOCK
132 RESERVOIR DR, APT 308
LEWISBURG, KY 42256-9129

LOIS A NORDSTOG
1711 IRIS LN
BILLINGS, MT 59102

PAUL NORDSTOG
1711 IRIS LN
BILLINGS, MT 59102

CARLA ORORKE
350 W 57TH ST
NEW YORK, NY 10019

JAMES F ORORKE JR
350 W 57TH ST
NEW YORK, NY 10019

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1942

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 5.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 2.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENW	13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.00		NESENW	13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	2.00						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 4796-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners:

DEAN B ATKINSON
C/O GALEN BERST
4452 MITCHELL AVE
BILLINGS, MT 59101

ELIZABETH O ATKINSON
C/O GALEN BERST
4452 MITCHELL AVE
BILLINGS, MT 59101

GALEN R BERST
4452 MITCHELL AVE
BILLINGS, MT 59101

JEANNINE A BERST
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BILLINGS, MT 59101

JAMES HANCOCK
132 RESERVOIR DR, APT 308
LEWISBURG, KY 42256-9129

LOIS A NORDSTOG
1711 IRIS LN
BILLINGS, MT 59102

PAUL NORDSTOG
1711 IRIS LN
BILLINGS, MT 59102

CARLA ORORKE
350 W 57TH ST
NEW YORK, NY 10019

JAMES F ORORKE JR
350 W 57TH ST
NEW YORK, NY 10019

Priority Date: MAY 18, 1951

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 34.00 GPM

***Volume:** 19.00 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 2.00

Source Name: MILLER CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENW	13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.00		NESENW	13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	2.00						

Remarks:

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THE FLOW RATE OF THIS CLAIM HAS BEEN REDUCED TO 17 GPM PER ACRE. THE FLOW RATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE HEADGATE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 4800-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MCDONNELL CABIN LLC
189 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1913

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 336.60 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 5 - LOW

Maximum Acres: 30.00

Source Name: RASPBERRY CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	14	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	30.00			13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	30.00						

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO 76.

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 4801-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MCDONNELL CABIN LLC
189 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1913

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.25 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 5 - LOW

Maximum Acres: 50.00

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENESW	13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	50.00			13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	50.00						

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO 76.

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 4802-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MCDONNELL CABIN LLC
189 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1913

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 336.60 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 5 - LOW

Maximum Acres: 30.00

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENW	13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	30.00			13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	30.00						

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 76.

Remarks:

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

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 4803-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MCDONNELL CABIN LLC
189 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1913

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 282.74 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 5 - LOW

Maximum Acres: 25.00

Source Name: FIREWATER CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENESE	14	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	25.00			13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	25.00						

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO 76.

Remarks:

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

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 4941-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D & A RANCH INC
700 LARKSPUR LANDING
SUITE 105
LARKSPUR, CA 94939

Priority Date: OCTOBER 21, 1895

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 12.50 CFS

Volume: 1,485.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 121.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESESW	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: SKILLMAN DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	37.00		NW	12	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	78.00		SW	1	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	6.00		SENW	1	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	121.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 4941-00, 43BJ 8296-00, 43BJ 13732-00, 43BJ 120208-00.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 4942-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D & A RANCH INC
700 LARKSPUR LANDING
SUITE 105
LARKSPUR, CA 94939

Priority Date: MAY 31, 1884

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 8.33 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 125.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS ARMSTRONG DITCH

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: LOASBY DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	27.00		NW	1	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	42.00		SW	1	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	52.00		SE	2	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	4.00		NWNW	12	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	125.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF FRED ESCHERKO WAS AMENDED BY FRED ESCHERKO TO INCLUDE FLOW RATE. BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 5334-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: 30 WHISPERING PINES LLC
2472 LASSO AVE
BOZEMAN, MT 59718-8039

Priority Date: MAY 31, 1952

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.25

Source Name: FROZE-TO-DEATH CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESE	10	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO NOVEMBER 19

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO NOVEMBER 19

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.25		NWNESE	10	4S	12E	PARK
Total:	0.25						

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 41.

Remarks:

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 6928-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	DIANE CLAYTON PO BOX 1185 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1185
	MICHAEL CLAYTON PO BOX 1185 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1185
	REMI M METCALF PO BOX 765 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0765
Priority Date:	NOVEMBER 3, 1893
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
***Flow Rate:**	22.50 CFS
***Volume:**	4,378.35 AC-FT
	THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
***Maximum Acres:**	601.00
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CLAYTON DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	125.00		NE	19	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
2	70.00		SE	19	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
3	35.00		NW	20	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
4	155.00		SW	20	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
5	51.00		SE	20	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
6	100.00		NE	29	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
7	65.00		NW	29	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	601.00						

Remarks:

SPLIT CLAIM NO. 43BJ 30051823 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 6946-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

BROWNLEE, WILLIAM T REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, WILLIAM TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1894

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 85.27 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 5.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CREST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5.00		NESW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	5.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 6947-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	BOULDER VALLEY HOLDINGS LLC C/O GEORGE E MATELICH 6 WILWOOD CIR LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427
	BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE REVOCABLE TRUST BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE TRUSTEE 1075 MAIN BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006
	BROWNLEE, WILLIAM T REVOCABLE TRUST BROWNLEE, WILLIAM TRUSTEE 1075 MAIN BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006
	GOLDBERG, MICHAEL B EXEMPT FAMILY TRUST NICKELL, FRANK T TRUSTEE % KELSO & COMPANY 320 PARK AVE 24TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022
***Priority Date:**	DECEMBER 31, 1972
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
***Flow Rate:**	1.36 CFS
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
***Maximum Acres:**	36.00

***Source Name:** CHERRY CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		N2NE	4	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5.00		NW	33	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	20.00		S2	33	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	11.00		N2NE	4	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	36.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE POINT OF DIVERSION AND PRIORITY DATE. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THESE CHANGES MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE IN THE SWNENE SEC 04 TWP 2S RGE 14E SWEET GRASS COUNTY.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A USE RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 6948-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners:

BLACK BUTTE HOLDINGS LLC
% GEORGE MATELICH
6 WILDWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

BOULDER VALLEY HOLDINGS LLC
C/O GEORGE E MATELICH
6 WILWOOD CIR
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GOLDBERG, MICHAEL B EXEMPT FAMILY TRUST
NICKELL, FRANK T TRUSTEE
% KELSO & COMPANY 320 PARK AVE 24TH FLOOR
NEW YORK, NY 10022

Priority Date: APRIL 1, 1898

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 5.46 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 144.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	11	NESWSW	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: SMOOT DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	44.00		E2NE	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	35.00		NW	33	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	65.00		S2	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	144.00						

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 6958-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1898

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 1.13 CFS

***Volume:** 252.45 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

***Maximum Acres:** 29.76

Source Name: LOST CABIN CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNWNE	25	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	11.16		SESE	23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	13.50	6	SENW	23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	5.10	7	SWNE	23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	29.76						

Remarks:

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THE FLOW RATE OF THIS CLAIM HAS BEEN REDUCED TO 17 GPM PER ACRE. THE FLOW RATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

A LATE OBJECTION HAS BEEN FILED TO THE FLOW RATE OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. IT WILL BE RESOLVED DURING THE ADJUDICATION OF OBJECTIONS TO THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF KENNETH SCHILLING WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE SOURCE AND PLACE OF USE. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THESE CHANGES MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION MAY BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE IN THE SENWNE SEC 25 TWP 03S RGE 13E SWEETGRASS COUNTY. SEE DNRC MEMORANDUM DATED 10/3/1986.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 6959-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: OCTOBER 10, 1893

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 3.66 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

***Maximum Acres:** 96.60

Source Name: WEST SHEEP CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	25	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	10.50		SWNE	25	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	63.60		NW	25	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	22.50		NE	26	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	96.60						

Remarks:

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THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF KENNETH SCHILLING WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE PLACE OF USE. BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OJBECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAYBE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 6960-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners:

DIANE LOGAN
25827 STUCKEY AV
VASHON, WA 98070

JOHN LOGAN
25827 STUCKEY AV
VASHON, WA 98070

DAMIAN G WYLIE
5600 298TH AV SW
PRESTON, WA 98050

JACQUELYN L WYLIE
5600 298TH AV SW
PRESTON, WA 98050

Priority Date: JUNE 18, 1973

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 15.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.80

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSE	19	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.80		NENWSE	19	3S	12E	PARK
Total:	0.80						

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 7026-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: O2 RANCH LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
108 E BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8813

Priority Date: MAY 10, 1889

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.27 CFS

***Volume:** 510.00 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 60.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: DE HART DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	60.00			33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	60.00						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 8293-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D & A RANCH INC
1294 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: OCTOBER 15, 1895

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 3.26 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 86.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MILES-FLOWER DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	52.00		NW	14	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	18.00		SESW	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	11.00		SWSE	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	5.00		NESE	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	86.00						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 8294-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES E ELLISON
1531 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

BH HOLDINGS MONTANA LLC
PO BOX 492
PROVIDENCE FORGE, VA 23140-0492

D & A RANCH INC
1294 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MAY 31, 1884

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 6.59 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 174.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS ARMSTRONG DITCH

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: LOASBY DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	57.00		NE	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	29.00		SE	10	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	76.00		SW	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	12.00		NWSE	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	174.00						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 8295-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D & A RANCH INC
2115 FOREST VIEW AVE
HILLSBOROUGH, CA 94010

Priority Date: MAY 31, 1884

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 5.38 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 142.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS ARMSTRONG DITCH

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: LOASBY DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	120.00		NE	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	4.00		NENW	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	15.00		SENW	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	3.00		NESE	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	142.00						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 8296-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D & A RANCH INC
2115 FOREST VIEW AVE
HILLSBOROUGH, CA 94010

Priority Date: OCTOBER 21, 1895

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.40 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 37.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESESW	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: SKILLMAN DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	17.00		NESE	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	5.00		SENE	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	15.00		NWSW	12	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	37.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN CHANGED THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE, IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF 03/30/1987 , A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION . BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHT MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 4941-00, 43BJ 8296-00, 43BJ 13732-00, 43BJ 120208-00.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 8297-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D & A RANCH INC
1294 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 17, 1967

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 2.00 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 1.00

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSESW	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.00		NWSESW	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.00						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 8298-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D & A RANCH INC
2115 FOREST VIEW AVE
HILLSBOROUGH, CA 94010

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 18, 1899

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 4.00 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 2.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MICHAEL GULCH

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNWNW	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.00		NESENW	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	2.00						

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 8299-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BOULDER VALLEY HOLDINGS LLC
C/O GEORGE E MATELICH
6 WILWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

GOLDBERG, MICHAEL B EXEMPT FAMILY TRUST
NICKELL, FRANK T TRUSTEE
% KELSO & COMPANY 320 PARK AVE 24TH FLOOR
NEW YORK, NY 10022

Priority Date: APRIL 1, 1939

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 272.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 16.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNENE	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: MULTIPLE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3.00		SWSWSW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	2.00		SESESE	29	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	8.00		NENE	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	3.00		NWNWNW	33	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	16.00						

Remarks:

THIS WATER RIGHT WAS SUBJECT TO A CHANGE APPLICATION APPROVED BY THE MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION. THE MONTANA WATER COURT DID NOT INCLUDE THE CHANGES APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT IN THE DECREE OF THIS WATER RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 10196-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MARGARET M AMES
6652 US HWY 212

RED LODGE, MT 59068

VINCENT E AMES
PO BOX 1578
RED LODGE, MT 59068

ESKDALE INC
2721 UNION ST
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94123

Priority Date: JANUARY 12, 1903

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

Flow Rate: 8.20 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 285.49

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MURRAY-NEWSPALMER DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	40.00		NWNW	25	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	30.19	4	NENW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	37.48	5	SENW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	57.82		SW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	120.00		NE	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	285.49						

Remarks:

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10196-00 10197-00

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 10197-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MARGARET M AMES
6652 US HWY 212

RED LODGE, MT 59068

VINCENT E AMES
PO BOX 1578
RED LODGE, MT 59068

ESKDALE INC
2721 UNION ST
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94123

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 28, 1905

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

Flow Rate: 13.75 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 444.81

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CONWELL DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	79.32		SE	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	80.00		W2SW	24	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	40.00		NWNW	25	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 10304-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KUNKEL, BRUCE A & SHERRI L FAMILY TRUST
8505 SHADY TRL
PEQUOT LAKES, MN 56472-1103

Priority Date: JULY 22, 1931

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 25.00 GPM

Volume: 2.00 AC-FT

Households: 2

Source Name: FROZE-TO-DEATH CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSE	10	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				10	4S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 41.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 10328-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LYNN J PEREY
10700 SW ORIOLE CIR
BEAVERTON, OR 97007-8388

NANCY A PEREY
10700 SW ORIOLE CIR
BEAVERTON, OR 97007-8388

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1965

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 30.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 1.40

Source Name: SPECULATOR CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	23	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.40		SESENE	23	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.40						

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 10330-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: COMANCHE RESOURCE MANAGEMENT LLC
PO BOX 31118
BILLINGS, MT 59107-1118

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1969

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 1.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: GRAHAM CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNENE	23	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSESE	14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 11724-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HANSEN LIVING TRUST
% HANSEN, JOAN STEVENS & JOSEPH DANIEL CO-TRUSTEES
276 OLD BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8021

Priority Date: JANUARY 12, 1903

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 273.77 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 16.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MURRAY-NEWSPALMER DITCH

Period of Use: MARCH 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	16.00		SWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	16.00						

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 11725-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JOAN S HANSEN
276 OLD BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

JOSEPH D HANSEN
276 OLD BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: DECEMBER 17, 1903

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 305.18 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 18.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNW	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 15 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: LAMP-NELSON DITCH

Period of Use: MARCH 15 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	18.00		NENW	35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	18.00						

Remarks:

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 11726-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HANSEN LIVING TRUST
% HANSEN, JOAN STEVENS & JOSEPH DANIEL CO-TRUSTEES
276 OLD BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8021

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 28, 1905

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 4.17 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 110.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNENW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CONWELL DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	37.00		SESW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	18.00		SWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	35.00		NWNW	35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	20.00		NENW	35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	110.00						

Remarks:

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THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN CHANGED THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE, IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF 03/30/1987 , A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION . BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHT MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 10197-00, 43BJ 11726-00, 43BJ 120150-00, 43BJ 120151-00, 43BJ 120207-00, 43BJ 125731 -00, 43BJ 125771-00, 43BJ 30160024.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE IN THE NENWNW SEC 2 TWP 1S RGE 14E SWEET GRASS COUNTY.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 12293-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 5 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JOHN H KEENAN IV
507 LAKE SHORE DRIVE NORTH
BARRINGTON, IL 60010-3523

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1932

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.14 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 30.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESESW	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	17.00		SWNE	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	4.00		SESENW	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	9.00		NWSE	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	30.00						

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 12295-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

BROWNLEE, WILLIAM T REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, WILLIAM TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

Priority Date: APRIL 6, 1906

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		N2N2SE	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			N2N2SE	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PLACE OF USE WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 12296-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

BROWNLEE, WILLIAM T REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, WILLIAM TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

Priority Date: APRIL 1, 1906

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.80 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 1.00

Source Name: CONANT CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2	SWNWNE	5	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

2		NESWNE	5	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.00	2	NE	5	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.00						

Remarks:

IMPLIED CLAIM NO. 43BJ 210827-00 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 12624-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ALMA J GOOSEY
1345 SYLVAN
HARTLAND, MI 48353

BOB L GOOSEY
1345 SYLVAN
HARTLAND, MI 48353

Priority Date: JULY 31, 1968

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 4.00 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 1.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CLAUSE-WEAVER DITCH

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.00	8		15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.00						

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 12633-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners:

LESLIE FRANK
924 3RD AVE
LAUREL, MT 59044

HERMAN KUKES
924 3RD AVE
LAUREL, MT 59044

RAYMOND W RUDD
PO BOX 216
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0216

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): MINING

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: FROZE-TO-DEATH CREEK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 11/13/85.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 12634-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners:

JAMES A BURROWS
413 W 11TH
LAUREL, MT 59044

THEODORE CHEMODUROW
DECEASED
101 S MAIN AVE STE 301
SIOUX FALLS, SD 57104-6451

GRANT LAWVER
202 5TH AVE
LAUREL, MT 59044

RAYMOND W RUDD
PO BOX 216
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0216

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): MINING

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: TUSCARORA CREEK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 09/09/86.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 12635-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners:

JAMES A BURROWS
413 W 11TH
LAUREL, MT 59044

THEODORE CHEMODUROW
DECEASED
101 S MAIN AVE STE 301
SIOUX FALLS, SD 57104-6451

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202 5TH AVE
LAUREL, MT 59044

RAYMOND W RUDD
PO BOX 216
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0216

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): MINING

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: ELK CREEK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 12636-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners:

JAMES A BURROWS
413 W 11TH
LAUREL, MT 59044

THEODORE CHEMODUROW
DECEASED
101 S MAIN AVE STE 301
SIOUX FALLS, SD 57104-6451

GRANT LAWVER
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LAUREL, MT 59044

RAYMOND W RUDD
PO BOX 216
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0216

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): MINING

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: BASIN CREEK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 12637-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners:

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413 W 11TH
LAUREL, MT 59044

THEODORE CHEMODUROW
DECEASED
101 S MAIN AVE STE 301
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LAUREL, MT 59044

RAYMOND W RUDD
PO BOX 216
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0216

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): MINING

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: SHEEP CREEK, SOUTH FORK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 12638-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners:

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LAUREL, MT 59044

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RAYMOND W RUDD
PO BOX 216
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0216

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): MINING

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: GREAT FALLS CREEK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 12641-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners:

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413 W 11TH
LAUREL, MT 59044

THEODORE CHEMODUROW
DECEASED
101 S MAIN AVE STE 301
SIOUX FALLS, SD 57104-6451

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202 5TH AVE
LAUREL, MT 59044

RAYMOND W RUDD
PO BOX 216
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0216

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): MINING

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: SHEEP CREEK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 13159-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: GBC LLC
226 CLARK AVE
% LAURETTE MURPHY
BILLINGS, MT 59101

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1925

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 13.46 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.50

Source Name: FROZE-TO-DEATH CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESE	10	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.50		NWNESE	10	4S	12E	PARK
Total:	0.50						

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 41.

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 13731-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D & A RANCH INC
1294 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: DECEMBER 19, 1905

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 2.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 35.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	1	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MCCOMB DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	25.00		N2NW	6	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	10.00		S2SW	31	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	35.00						

Remarks:

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

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 13731-00, 43BJ 17171-00.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FIELD RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 13732-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D & A RANCH INC
1294 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: OCTOBER 21, 1895

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 12.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 95.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESESW	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: SKILLMAN DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	65.00		NE	1	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	20.00		NW	6	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	10.00		SW	31	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	95.00						

Remarks:

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

13731-00 13732-00

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 4941-00, 43BJ 8296-00, 43BJ 13732-00, 43BJ 120208-00.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 13733-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D & A RANCH INC
1294 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MARCH 23, 1909

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

Flow Rate: 9.55 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 252.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSW	12	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: SCHMIDELKOFER DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5.00		NWNE	12	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	45.00		NW	12	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	15.00		SW	1	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	128.00		SE	1	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	28.00		NE	1	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
6	33.00		SW	6	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS
7	3.00		NW	6	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	257.00						

Remarks:

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POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 13734-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: GBC LEGACY PROPERTIES LLC
14508 CAMERON COURT
GRAND HAVEN, MI 49417

Priority Date: AUGUST 13, 1932

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 5.62 GPM

Volume: 2.00 AC-FT

Households: 2

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	34	5S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				3	6S	12E	SWEET GRASS

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO 39.

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE PIPELINE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 13736-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CLARA L TITECA
1643 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

JOHN H TITECA
1643 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

SHAWN TITECA
1643 MAIN BOULDER RD # A
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8818

Priority Date: JUNE 10, 1898

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 12.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 151.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MILES-FLOWER DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3.00		NWNWSW	14	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	7.00		S2SENE	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	139.50		S2	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	1.50		N2NWNE	22	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	151.00						

Remarks:

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THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF JOHN TITECA WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE ACRES IRRIGATED AND PLACE OF USE. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 14915-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES E MCGEHEE III
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

JANET MCGEHEE
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

Priority Date: JUNE 2, 1919

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 13.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 0.90

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CONWELL DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.90		NWNESE	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.90						

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 14916-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners: JAMES A BURROWS
413 W 11TH
LAUREL, MT 59044

THEODORE CHEMODUROW
DECEASED
101 S MAIN AVE STE 301
SIOUX FALLS, SD 57104-6451

GRANT LAWVER
202 5TH AVE
LAUREL, MT 59044

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): MINING

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: BASIN CREEK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 09/09/86.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 14917-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners: JAMES A BURROWS
413 W 11TH
LAUREL, MT 59044

THEODORE CHEMODUROW
DECEASED
101 S MAIN AVE STE 301
SIOUX FALLS, SD 57104-6451

GRANT LAWVER
202 5TH AVE
LAUREL, MT 59044

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): MINING

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: BASIN CREEK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 09/09/86.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 14918-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners:

JAMES A BURROWS
413 W 11TH
LAUREL, MT 59044

THEODORE CHEMODUROW
DECEASED
101 S MAIN AVE STE 301
SIOUX FALLS, SD 57104-6451

GRANT LAWVER
202 5TH AVE
LAUREL, MT 59044

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): MINING

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: BRIDGE CREEK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 09/09/86.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 14933-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

BROWNLEE, WILLIAM T REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, WILLIAM TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

Priority Date: APRIL 5, 1894

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 12.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 87.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSE	1	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CONATE-DUTTON

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	25.00		SWSE	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	22.00		NWSE	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	40.00	10	NWSE	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	87.00						

Remarks:

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THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 15014-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DENNIS B CALLENDER
735 SPRING CREEK RD
SAND COULEE, MT 59472-9749

PENELOPE M CALLENDER
735 SPRING CREEK RD
SAND COULEE, MT 59472-9749

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1944

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 25.00 GPM

Volume: 7.58 AC-FT

Households: 4

Maximum Acres: 1.79

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3	NWNWSW	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.79		NWNWSW	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.79						

Remarks:

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 15354-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JUDITH HONADEL
325 10TH AVE
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-3207

TOM NORTH
10218 DESMOND CT
COVINGTON, KY 41015-2436

TRUE NORTH LIVING TRUST DTD 06/13/2008
325 N 10TH AVE
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-3207

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1971

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 6.00 GPM

Volume: 2.00 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 1.50

Source Name: FROZE-TO-DEATH CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSE	10	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Subdivision: WHISPERING PINES SUBD TRACT/LOT: 001 BLOCK: 003

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.50			10	4S	12E	PARK

Subdivision: WHISPERING PINES SUBD TRACT/LOT: 001 BLOCK: 003

Total: 1.50

Remarks:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY 41.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 15375-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: GBC LEGACY PROPERTIES LLC
14508 CAMERON COURT
GRAND HAVEN, MI 49417

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 8, 1934

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 5.63 GPM

Volume: 2.50 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 0.25

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	34	5S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.25		NWNW	3	6S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.25						

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO 39.

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 15826-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BRYANT C BLEWETT
1335 CROWN DR
ALAMEDA, CA 94501

RONALD T JARRETT
PO BOX 1125
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: AUGUST 13, 1932

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): COMMERCIAL

Flow Rate: 1.23 CFS

Volume: 400.00 AC-FT

THE USE OF THIS WATER APPEARS TO BE LARGELY NONCONSUMPTIVE.

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	34	5S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SE	34	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2			SW	35	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE HEADGATE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 15876-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LUTHERAN BIBLE CAMP INC
1108 24TH ST W
BILLINGS, MT 59102-3810

Priority Date: MARCH 22, 1917

Type of Historical Right: USE

***Purpose (Use):** DOMESTIC

***Flow Rate:** 20.00 GPM

***Volume:** 2.00 AC-FT

Source Name: UPSIDEDOWN CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNW	27	6S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DITCH

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSE	21	6S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 15899-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SCHUMAN, DALE & RENEE FAMILY LIVING TRUST
PO BOX 1873
BIGFORK, MT 59911

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1933

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.60

Source Name: FROZE-TO-DEATH CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSE	10	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

THE TOWNSHIP IS UNSURVEYED. THE LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION FOR THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN ESTIMATED.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.60		NENWSE	10	4S	12E	PARK
Total:	0.60						

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 41.

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 16088-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JOAN I ROM
703 N 29TH ST UNIT 302
BILLINGS, MT 59101-0904

ROBERT M ROM
703 N 29TH ST UNIT 302
BILLINGS, MT 59101-0904

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1920

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 22.44 GPM

Volume: 4.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 7.00

Source Name: FROZE-TO-DEATH CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESE	10	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	7.00		NWNESE	10	4S	12E	PARK
Total:	7.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 17148-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: DECEMBER 11, 1963

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSE	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESWSE	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

SOURCE AND PLACE OF USE WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 17149-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1916

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 4.00 CFS

Volume: 300.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

***Maximum Acres:** 60.00

***Source Name:** HORSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSE	22	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SENWSE	22	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

3	SWNESE	22	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS	

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3.00		NWNENE	22	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	3.00		NESWNE	22	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	26.00		NWNE	22	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	2.00		SWNESE	22	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	26.00		NWSE	22	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	60.00						

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THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF CLAIMANT BARNEY WARP WAS AMENDED BY BARNEY WARP TO INCLUDE POINT OF DIVERSION. BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 17150-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: APRIL 13, 1907

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.25 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 60.00

Source Name: ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENW	23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: SYMES DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	50.00		NW	23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	10.00		NE	22	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	60.00						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 17151-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODEL
615 HICKORY
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER SNODEL
615 HICKORY
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: JUNE 15, 1924

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 115.00

Source Name: ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSE	23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: YERKES-WOOLSEY DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	115.00		SW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	115.00						

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 17164-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SANDBOX EL LLC
PO BOX 460571
DENVER, CO 80246-0571

Priority Date: MARCH 14, 1963

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): COMMERCIAL

Flow Rate: 30.00 GPM

Volume: 9.50 AC-FT

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSE	10	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSE	10	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			NWNE	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 17171-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEBBER RANCH LLC
1140 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: DECEMBER 19, 1905

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 80.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSW	12	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 20 TO DECEMBER 20

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: SCHMIDELKOFER DITCH

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		NWNWSE	1	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 20 TO DECEMBER 20

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CONATE-DUTTON

Period of Use: MARCH 20 TO DECEMBER 20

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	30.00		NW	6	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	50.00		NE	6	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	80.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE MOTION OF THE COURT HAS BEEN AMENDED TO CONFORM WITH THE EVIDENCE SUBMITTED BY THE CLAIMANT TO INCLUDE CHANGES IN PLACE OF USE AND ACRES IRRIGATED. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 13731-00, 43BJ 17171-00.

POINT OF DIVERSION AND DITCH NAME WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON THE BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 17172-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEBBER RANCH LLC
1140 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: APRIL 1, 1894

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 120.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSW	12	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 20 TO DECEMBER 20

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: SCHMIDELKOFER DITCH

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		NWNWSE	1	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 20 TO DECEMBER 20

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CONATE-DUTTON

Period of Use: MARCH 20 TO DECEMBER 20

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	10.00		SE	31	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	80.00		SW	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	10.00		NW	5	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	20.00		NE	6	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	120.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION AND DITCH NAME WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 17404-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES P ROONEY
12102 NE 33RD ST
BELLEVUE, WA 98005-1204

SUSAN L ROONEY
12102 NE 33RD ST
BELLEVUE, WA 98005-1204

Priority Date: JULY 31, 1948

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): COMMERCIAL

Flow Rate: 1.25 CFS

Volume: 8.40 AC-FT

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

THE POINT OF DIVERSION IS LOCATED IN LOT 8 HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY 48.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		3		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

17404-00	17405-00	17406-00	17407-00	30152669	30152670
30152673	30152674	30152676	30152677	30152682	

THE SPLIT CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT WERE AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM. 43BJ 30152673 & 43BJ 30152674.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF UNITED STATES OF AMERICA WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE SOURCE DESCRIBED ON THE FILED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED SOURCE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 17405-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES P ROONEY
12102 NE 33RD ST
BELLEVUE, WA 98005-1204

SUSAN L ROONEY
12102 NE 33RD ST
BELLEVUE, WA 98005-1204

Priority Date: JULY 31, 1948

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): FIRE PROTECTION

Flow Rate: 188.50 GPM

***Volume:** THE VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNTS NECESSARY FOR FIRE PROTECTION PURPOSES.

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

THE POINT OF DIVERSION IS LOCATED IN LOT 8 HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY 48.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		3		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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30152673	30152674	30152676	30152677	30152682	

THE SPLIT CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT WERE AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM. 43BJ 30152676 & 43BJ 30152677.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF UNITED STATES OF AMERICA WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE SOURCE DESCRIBED ON THE FILED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED SOURCE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 17406-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES P ROONEY
12102 NE 33RD ST
BELLEVUE, WA 98005-1204

SUSAN L ROONEY
12102 NE 33RD ST
BELLEVUE, WA 98005-1204

Priority Date: JULY 31, 1948

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

THE POINT OF DIVERSION IS LOCATED IN LOT 8 HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY 48.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		3		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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30152673	30152674	30152676	30152677	30152682	

SPLIT CLAIM NO. 43BJ 30152682 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF UNITED STATES OF AMERICA WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE SOURCE DESCRIBED ON THE FILED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED SOURCE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 17407-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES P ROONEY
12102 NE 33RD ST
BELLEVUE, WA 98005-1204

SUSAN L ROONEY
12102 NE 33RD ST
BELLEVUE, WA 98005-1204

Priority Date: JULY 31, 1948

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 22.00 GPM

Volume: 7.59 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

***Maximum Acres:** 7.21

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

THE POINT OF DIVERSION IS LOCATED IN LOT 8 HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY 48.

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	7.21	3		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	7.21						

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN GOV LOT 3 CERTIFICATE OF SURVEY 157117.

Remarks:

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30152673	30152674	30152676	30152677	30152682	

THE SPLIT CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT WERE AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM. 43BJ 30152669 & 43BJ 30152670.

POINT OF DIVERSION ARE LOCATED IN LOT 8 HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY 48.

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE POINT OF DIVERSION. BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE SOURCE DESCRIBED ON THE FILED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED SOURCE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 19240-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JOHN W HOILAND
311 W CALLENDER ST
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047

Priority Date: JANUARY 1, 1938

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 12.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.25

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNENE	4	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.25		NWNENE	4	3S	12E	PARK
Total:	0.25						

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 19242-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JOHN W HOILAND
311 W CALLENDER ST
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047

Priority Date: JULY 1, 1952

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.90 CFS

Volume: 150.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 22.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		N2NE	4	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: PUMP

PUMP IS MOVEABLE ALL ALONG SOURCE WITHIN LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION.

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	22.00		N2NE	4	3S	12E	PARK
Total:	22.00						

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 19257-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JOHN W HOILAND
311 W CALLENDER ST
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047

Priority Date: JANUARY 1, 1938

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 12.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNENE	4	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNENE	4	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 19259-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JOHN W HOILAND
311 W CALLENDER ST
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047

Priority Date: OCTOBER 17, 1926

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENE	4	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENE	4	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 19935-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES P ROONEY
12102 NE 33RD ST
BELLEVUE, WA 98005-1204

SUSAN L ROONEY
12102 NE 33RD ST
BELLEVUE, WA 98005-1204

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1970

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 13.46 GPM

Volume: 1.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.50

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.50	3		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.50						

Remarks:

SPLIT CLAIM NO. 43BJ 30152672 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

MEANS OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 19936-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MARGIT E THORNDAL
PO BOX 188
LAUREL, MT 59044-0188

Priority Date: AUGUST 12, 1947

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 3.00 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 2.00

Source Name: SPECULATOR CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNENE	23	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.00			11	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	2.00						

Remarks:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO 950.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 20182-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BUNTON FAMILY TRUST
BUNTON, GREG J AND RADIKA TRUSTEES
13370 SKYLINE BLVD
REDWOOD CITY, CA 94062-4562

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 247.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 14.40

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CREST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	14.40		NE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	14.40						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 20185-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HEIDI DIETMEIER
RT 1 BOX 161-B
WOLFORTH, TX 79382

BECKY D LEWIS
MCLEOD RT BOX 308
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

***Priority Date:** MAY 25, 1914

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 10.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DRY CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWNE	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSWNE	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

CLAIM WAS IMPROPERLY DESIGNATED TO BASIN 43B . CLAIM WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

ACCORDING TO CADASTRAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP RECORDS, AS OF 09/28/2017 , A PORTION OF THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY KT RANCH LLC.

THE CLAIMED SOURCE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. BASED ON AVAILABLE DATA, THE SOURCE MAY BE SURFACE WATER FROM SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 20186-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KT RANCH LLC
% SIDNEY N HERMAN
3800 N LAKE SHORE DR #15B
CHICAGO, IL 60613-3313

***Priority Date:** MAY 1, 1893

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSENE	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 20187-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: GEORGE R WANLASS
760 OLD BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

***Priority Date:** MAY 1, 1893

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BRECK GULCH

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

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1		SWNWNE	23	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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760 OLD BOULDER RD
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Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 20189-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JANETTE R MILLER
2390 CAMINO WAY
SALT LAKE CITY, UT 84121

WILLIAM B MILLER
2390 CAMINO WAY
SALT LAKE CITY, UT 84121

***Priority Date:** MAY 1, 1893

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BRECK GULCH

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENENE	22	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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Water Right Number: **43BJ 20194-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BOULDER ROAD LLC
274 S MUIRFIELD RD
LOS ANGELES, CA 90004-3731

***Priority Date:** MAY 1, 1893

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 50.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENENE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENENE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 20195-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HEIDI DIETMEIER
RT 1 BOX 161-B
WOLFORTH, TX 79382

Priority Date: OCTOBER 15, 1900

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 1.05 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 20.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CLAUSE-WEAVER DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	8.00	9	SWSW	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	5.00	2	SESE	16	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	5.00		NENWNE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	2.00		NWNWNW	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	20.00						

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THE POINT OF DIVERSION MAY BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE IN THE SWNENE SEC 21 TWP 1S RGE 14E SWEET GRASS COUNTY. SEE DNRC MEMORANDUM DATED 03/30/1987.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 20196-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HEIDI DIETMEIER
RT 1 BOX 161-B
WOLFORTH, TX 79382

GEORGE R WANLASS
760 OLD BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

BOULDER ROAD LLC
274 S MUIRFIELD RD
LOS ANGELES, CA 90004-3731

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 10.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 141.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CREST DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	37.00		E2SE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	33.00		E2NE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	16.00		W2SW	22	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	44.00		W2NW	22	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	11.00	9	SWSW	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	141.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

ALTHOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO, THE PLACE OF USE WAS CHANGED TO REFLECT THE REDUCTION IN MAXIMUM ACRES IRRIGATED.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 1389, BOZEMAN, MT 59771-1389.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 20197-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BOULDER ROAD LLC
274 S MUIRFIELD RD
LOS ANGELES, CA 90004-3731

Priority Date: JUNE 19, 1948

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 25.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 2

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENENE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENENE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 20241-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MCGRAW, MATTHEW J TRUST
MCGRAW, MATTHEW J TRUSTEE
2628 SKINNER RD
BELGRADE, MT 59714-7141

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1964

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 7.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: SPECULATOR CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		N2SENE	23	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 1 TO DECEMBER 4

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: MARCH 1 TO DECEMBER 4

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			N2SENE	23	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 21029-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: SEVERED

Owners: SARGENT, JEFFREY S REVOCABLE TRUST
PO BOX 198
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0198

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 3.75 CFS

THE WATER RIGHT NUMBERS 43BJ 21029-00 AND 43BJ 30152775 SHARE A FLOW RATE OF 3.75 CFS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE OPERATED IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: IN ACCORDANCE WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICE.

***Volume:** 395.55 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 28.72

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CREST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	28.72	2	S2NE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	28.72						

THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN SEVERED FROM THE PLACE OF USE. CONTINUED USE OF THIS WATER RIGHT IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES IS ALLOWED. YOU MUST CONTACT DNRC AND OBTAIN A CHANGE AUTHORIZATION PRIOR TO CHANGING THE PLACE OF USE OF THIS WATER RIGHT.

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 22530-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners: LANGWORTHY, NORVAL B TRUST
NBL, BRL, & GSB, CO-TRUSTEES
4320 N FLECHA DR
TUCSON, AZ 85718

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 09/22/86.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 22549-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JOHN W HOILAND
311 W CALLENDER ST
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047

Priority Date: JANUARY 2, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BASIN CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2SENE	3	3S	12E	PARK

***Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

***Reservoir:** ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
	E2SENE	3	3S	12E	PARK

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Dam Height: 13.00 FEET

Depth: 10.00 FEET

Surface Area: 0.13 ACRES

Capacity: 0.52 ACRE-FEET

THE RESERVOIR CAPACITY, DEPTH, SURFACE AREA AND DAM HEIGHT BEEN ESTIMATED BY DNRC.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2SENE	3	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMANT DID NOT IDENTIFY THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION FOR THIS RIGHT. A PERIOD OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN ADDED TO MATCH THE PERIOD OF USE. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE RECEIVED TO THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION OR PERIOD OF USE, THOSE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS ISSUE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THIS CLAIM.

RESERVOIR RECORD WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED VOLUME APPEARS TO BE EXCESSIVE FOR THE CLAIMED PURPOSE. THE CLAIMED VOLUME EQUALS 175.00 TIMES THE CAPACITY OF THE RESERVOIR.

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 23163-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	JAMES A MIRRO 737 ARLINGTON RD BIRMINGHAM, MI 48009-1660
	LORETTA MIRRO 737 ARLINGTON RD BIRMINGHAM, MI 48009-1660
	CHARLES T ROE PO BOX 1019 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	MELANIE ROE PO BOX 1019 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	ROE FAMILY LIVING TRUST PO BOX 905 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	Y RECREATION & THERAPY LLC 56072 SYLVAN MEADOWS LN BRISTOL, IN 46507-9162
Priority Date:	MAY 1, 1893
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
***Flow Rate:**	3.75 CFS
***Volume:**	474.00 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 39.46

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CREST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	8.12		E2NWSE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	4.92		E2SWSE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	9.49	3	NESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	7.44	4	W2SESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	9.49	1	NENE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	39.46						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF DEPARTMENT OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND PARKS WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE FLOW RATE, MAXIMUM ACRES AND PLACE OF USE. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 23164-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: THEODORE A THOMPSON
PO BOX 976
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: DECEMBER 15, 1892

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 6.25 CFS

***Volume:** 2,227.50 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 250.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	12	SWSWSE	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: DUNDAS DITCH

Period of Use: MARCH 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	10.00		N2SWSW	7	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
2	4.00		S2SWSW	7	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
3	40.00		SESW	7	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
4	35.00		NESW	7	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
5	32.00		NWSW	7	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
6	40.00		SESE	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
7	3.00		N2SWSE	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
8	2.00		S2SWSE	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
9	10.00		N2NESE	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
10	5.00		S2NESE	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
11	10.00		NWNWNE	18	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
12	15.00		NENENW	18	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
13	6.00			7	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
14	5.00			12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
15	20.00		S2SWNW	7	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
16	10.00		SWSENW	7	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
17	3.00		SESENW	7	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	250.00						

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 23168-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 4 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	PIONEER DITCH CO PO BOX 201 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	APRIL 15, 1893
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	SPRINKLER/FLOOD
Flow Rate:	62.50 CFS
	THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR CLAIMS 43BJ 23168-00, 43BJ 23170-00, 43BJ 23171-00, IS LIMITED TO THE HISTORIC CAPACITY OF THE DIVERSION STRUCTURE AND THE CONVEYANCE SYSTEM.
Volume:	26,250.00 AC-FT
	THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
***Maximum Acres:**	1,586.50
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County

1		8	NWNWSE	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: PIONEER DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	25.00		NENE	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	18.00	4		13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	37.00		SENE	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	38.00		SWNE	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	20.00	5		13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	10.00	6		13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
7	47.00		SW	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
8	65.00		SE	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
9	97.00		NW	18	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
10	106.00		NE	18	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
11	91.00		SE	18	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
12	14.00		N2NESW	18	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
13	38.00		NW	17	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
14	131.00		SW	17	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
15	7.50		SENENW	17	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
16	3.00		SESENW	17	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
17	20.00		SE	17	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
18	96.00		N2N2	20	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
19	2.00		SWSWNE	16	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
20	23.00		NW	16	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
21	107.00		SW	16	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
22	79.00		SE	16	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
23	203.00		N2	21	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
24	56.00		SW	21	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
25	131.00		SE	21	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
26	60.00		NE	28	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
27	4.00	6	SW	22	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
28	58.00		NW	27	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1586.50						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 23169-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners: PIONEER DITCH CO
PO BOX 201
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 12/10/87.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 23170-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	PIONEER DITCH CO PO BOX 201 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	OCTOBER 13, 1906
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	SPRINKLER/FLOOD
***Flow Rate:**	30.00 CFS
	THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR CLAIMS 43BJ 23168-00, 43BJ 23170-00, 43BJ 23171-00, IS LIMITED TO THE HISTORIC CAPACITY OF THE DIVERSION STRUCTURE AND THE CONVEYANCE SYSTEM.
***Volume:**	29,197.14 AC-FT
	THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
***Maximum Acres:**	1,586.50
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County

1	8	NWNWSE	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS	

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: PIONEER DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County

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Remarks:

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THE CLAIMED VOLUME EXCEEDS THE MAXIMUM FEASIBLE VOLUME. BASED ON THE FLOW RATE AND PERIOD OF USE, THE MAXIMUM VOLUME POSSIBLE IS 12733.02 ACRE-FEET PER YEAR.

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	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	PIONEER DITCH CO PO BOX 201 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	APRIL 15, 1893
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	SPRINKLER/FLOOD
Flow Rate:	7.50 CFS
	THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR CLAIMS 43BJ 23168-00, 43BJ 23170-00, 43BJ 23171-00, IS LIMITED TO THE HISTORIC CAPACITY OF THE DIVERSION STRUCTURE AND THE CONVEYANCE SYSTEM.
***Volume:**	3,242.21 AC-FT
	THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
***Maximum Acres:**	1,586.50
Source Name:	SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF YELLOWSTONE RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER
	THE SOURCE IS COMPOSED OF MULTIPLE UNNAMED SPRINGS.

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		S2	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Period of Diversion:	APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1					
Diversion Means:	HEADGATE					
2		NE	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Period of Diversion:	APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1					
Diversion Means:	HEADGATE					
3		NWNWNW	24	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Period of Diversion:	APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1					
Diversion Means:	HEADGATE					

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County

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THE PLACE OF USE IS MISSING.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF DEPARTMENT OF FISH, WILDLIFE, AND PARKS WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE SOURCE BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THESE CHANGES MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE HEADGATE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

THE CLAIMED VOLUME EXCEEDS THE MAXIMUM FEASIBLE VOLUME. BASED ON THE FLOW RATE AND PERIOD OF USE, THE MAXIMUM VOLUME POSSIBLE IS 3183.25 ACRE-FEET PER YEAR.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 23172-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 4 -- POST DECREE

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: PIONEER DITCH CO
PO BOX 201
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

Volume: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF YELLOWSTONE RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

SOURCE IS COMPRISED OF VARIOUS SEEPS AND SPRINGS COLLECTED IN PIONEER DITCH ALONG ITS COURSE.

ALSO KNOWN AS PIONEER DITCH

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSW	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2			E2	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
3			NWNWNW	24	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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2			E2	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3			NWNWNW	24	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

IMPLIED CLAIM NO. 43B 212247-00 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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THE SOURCE, POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION HAVE BEEN CHANGED EVEN THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO THEREFORE THEY WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTIONS AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE. THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF PIONEER DITCH CO WAS AMENDED BY PIONEER DITCH CO TO INCLUDE SOURCE, POINTS OF DIVERSION, AND MEANS OF DIVERSION. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 25628-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MARSHALL H DURSTON
4900 ROCKMERE CT
BETHESDA, MD 20816

ROBIN H DURSTON
3016 CAMBRIDGE PL NW
WASHINGTON, DC 20007-2913

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1937

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 30.00 GPM

Volume: 2.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 1.53

Source Name: GROUSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSESW	17	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.53		NESWSW	17	3S	12E	PARK
Total:	1.53						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 27129-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: FLYAWAY RANCH LLC
PO BOX 544
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0544

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 1, 1897

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 4.40 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 116.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MILES-FLOWER DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	10.00	7	SESW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	25.00	5	NENW	22	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	17.00	6	SENW	22	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	20.00		W2NE	22	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	10.00		NWSE	22	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
6	19.00	7	NESW	22	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
7	15.00	8	SESW	22	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	116.00						

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 27130-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: FLYAWAY RANCH LLC
PO BOX 544
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0544

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 15, 1893

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 3.75 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 116.00

Source Name: SUSIE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS MILES-DECKER DITCH

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

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1		SWSESW	22	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MILES-FLOWER DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

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6	19.00	7	NESW	22	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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Total:	116.00						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 27131-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: EAST BOULDER RANCH LLC
7 RENAISSANCE SQ FL 7
WHITE PLAINS, NY 10601-3039

Priority Date: JANUARY 7, 1921

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SUSIE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENENW	35	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENENW	35	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 27132-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: EAST BOULDER RANCH LLC
7 RENAISSANCE SQ FL 7
WHITE PLAINS, NY 10601-3039

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 15, 1919

Type of Historical Right: USE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 27133-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: EAST BOULDER RANCH LLC
7 RENAISSANCE SQ FL 7
WHITE PLAINS, NY 10601-3039

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1944

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	27	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: DAM

Reservoir: ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
	SESWSE	27	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWSE	27	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

EXISTENCE OF THE CLAIMED RESERVOIR CANNOT BE CONFIRMED WITH AVAILABLE DATA.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 27150-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LEO CARPER
121 N 35TH ST
BILLINGS, MT 59101

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1922

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: MILES-FLOWER DITCH

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 27171-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVID E BLAKE
148 E BOULDER RD.
MC LEOD, MT 59052

MAX K BLAKE
148 E BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 147.00

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSESE	9	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 20

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 20

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	147.00		N2	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	147.00						

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 27172-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVID E BLAKE
148 E BOULDER RD.
MC LEOD, MT 59052

MAX K BLAKE
148 E BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: OCTOBER 10, 1889

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.52 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 40.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 20

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: SMOOT DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 20

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	40.00		NE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	40.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THIS CLAIM PRESENTS ISSUES OF LAW AND FACT THAT MAY BE ADDRESSED AT THE OBJECTION STAGE. IT APPEARS THAT 27.0 ACRES ARE ACTUALLY IRRIGATED AT THIS TIME.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 29021-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JUSTINE H EVJE
% CR LAND CORP
GERALD G WING
CALISTOGA, CA 94515-9714

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1937

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 2.12 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 0.06

Source Name: GROUSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWSW	17	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO NOVEMBER 19

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO NOVEMBER 19

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.06		NWSWSW	17	3S	12E	PARK
Total:	0.06						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 29273-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	JULIAN HELVIK JR PO BOX 884 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0884
	JULIAN HELVIK PO BOX 1172 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1172
	SIDNEY HELVIK PO BOX 1172 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1172
Priority Date:	MAY 1, 1898
Type of Historical Right:	DECREED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	1.25 CFS
Volume:	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	280.00
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	35.00		SWSE	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	38.00		SESE	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	22.00		SWSW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	40.00		NWSW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	40.00		NESE	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	40.00		SENW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
7	35.00		NESW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
8	30.00		NWSE	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	280.00						

Remarks:

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

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DITCH NAME WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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IMPORTANT NOTICE

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THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

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	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	JULIAN HELVIK JR PO BOX 884 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0884
	JULIAN HELVIK PO BOX 1172 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1172
	SIDNEY HELVIK PO BOX 1172 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1172
Priority Date:	MAY 1, 1901
Type of Historical Right:	DECREED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	282.74 GPM
Volume:	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	280.00
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	35.00		SWSE	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	38.00		SESE	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	22.00		SWSW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	40.00		NWSW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	40.00		NESE	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	40.00		SENW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
7	35.00		NESW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
8	30.00		NWSE	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	280.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 29275-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	JULIAN HELVIK JR PO BOX 884 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0884
	JULIAN HELVIK PO BOX 1172 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1172
	SIDNEY HELVIK PO BOX 1172 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1172
Priority Date:	MAY 15, 1944
Type of Historical Right:	DECREED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	1.88 CFS
Volume:	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	280.00
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	35.00		SWSE	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	38.00		SESE	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	22.00		SWSW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	40.00		NWSW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	40.00		NESE	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	40.00		SENW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
7	35.00		NESW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
8	30.00		NWSE	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	280.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 29276-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	JULIAN HELVIK PO BOX 1172 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1172
	JULIAN HELVIK JR PO BOX 884 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0884
	SIDNEY HELVIK PO BOX 1172 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1172
Priority Date:	JULY 10, 1887
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	4.38 CFS
Volume:	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	216.00
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLIS-KING-HAWKS DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	35.00		SWSE	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	27.00		SESE	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	4.00		SWSW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	40.00		NWSW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	40.00		NESE	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	40.00		SENW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
7	20.00		NESW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
8	10.00		NWSE	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	216.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 29277-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	JULIAN HELVIK PO BOX 1172 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1172
	JULIAN HELVIK JR PO BOX 884 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0884
	SIDNEY HELVIK PO BOX 1172 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1172
Priority Date:	DECEMBER 4, 1905
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	3.75 CFS
Volume:	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	216.00
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

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1		NWSENE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

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Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLIS-KING-HAWKS DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 29277-00, 43BJ 125732-00, 43BJ 181038-00, 43BJ 181042-00.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 29371-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KT RANCH LLC
% SIDNEY N HERMAN
3800 N LAKE SHORE DR #15B
CHICAGO, IL 60613-3313

Priority Date: OCTOBER 15, 1900

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 4.17 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 130.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CLAUSE-WEAVER DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	19.00		SESW	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	2.00		SWSE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	27.00		NWSE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	24.00		SWNE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	35.00		NENE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
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Total:	130.00						

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THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF VIRGIL BRAUGHTON WAS AMENDED BY PATRICK L STOTESBERY TO INCLUDE VOLUME, MAXIMUM ACRES, POINTS OF DIVERSION, AND PLACE OF USE. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THESE CHANGES MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE IN THE NWSENE SEC 21 TWP 1S RGE 14E SWEET GRASS COUNTY.

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 29372-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KT RANCH LLC
% SIDNEY N HERMAN
3800 N LAKE SHORE DR #15B
CHICAGO, IL 60613-3313

Priority Date: DECEMBER 17, 1903

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 14.18 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 115.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNW	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: LAMP-NELSON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	15.00		N2SESW	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	6.00		SENESW	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	20.00		NWSE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	26.00		SWNE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	32.00		NENE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	16.00		NWNE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	115.00						

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF VIRGIL BRAUGHTON WAS AMENDED BY PATRICK L STOTESBERY TO INCLUDE VOLUME. BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 1389, BOZEMAN, MT 59771-1389.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

YOUR WATER RIGHT AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT MAY HAVE *CHANGES* FROM YOUR WATER RIGHT AS CLAIMED OR AMENDED. AN ASTERISK (*) HAS BEEN PLACED NEXT TO EACH ITEM CHANGED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR BY THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT WATER RIGHT CLAIMS EXAMINATION RULES OR BY ORDER OF THE WATER COURT.

OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 29393-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BIG TIMBER, CITY OF
PO BOX 416
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0416

Priority Date: JUNE 25, 1906

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): MUNICIPAL

Flow Rate: 125.00 CFS

Volume: 3,366.00 AC-FT

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENESW	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: INFILTRATION GALLERY

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SENWNE	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: INFILTRATION GALLERY

Reservoir: OFFSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
	NWSWSE	27	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2	14	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2			N2N2	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3			SE	15	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4			W2	14	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE FLOW RATE AND VOLUME MAY BE INCORRECT. SEE DNRC MEMORANDUM DATED 10/26/1987.

THE CLAIMANT DID NOT IDENTIFY THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION FOR THIS RIGHT. A PERIOD OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN ADDED TO MATCH THE PERIOD OF USE. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE RECEIVED TO THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION OR PERIOD OF USE, THOSE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS ISSUE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THIS CLAIM.

EXISTENCE OF THE CLAIMED RESERVOIR CANNOT BE CONFIRMED WITH AVAILABLE DATA.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 1389, BOZEMAN, MT 59771-1389.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 29822-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1890

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	16	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSENE	16	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

SOURCE WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 1389, BOZEMAN, MT 59771-1389.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 30611-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BILLINGS BIBLE CHURCH
802 N 27TH ST
BILLINGS, MT 59101

CLYDEHURST CHRISTIAN RANCH
328 S SHILOH RD STE 1
BILLINGS, MT 59106

Priority Date: OCTOBER 23, 1926

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): RECREATION

Flow Rate: 2.50 CFS

Volume: 1,000.00 AC-FT

THE USE OF THIS WATER APPEARS TO BE LARGELY NONCONSUMPTIVE.

Source Name: BLAKELY CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENW	25	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NW	25	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE HEADGATE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

THE VOLUME OF THIS CLAIM CANNOT BE DETERMINED FROM AVAILABLE INFORMATION, AND VOLUME REMAINS AS ORIGINALLY CLAIMED. THE CLAIMED VOLUME CAN BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM THE VOLUME WILL BE DECREED AS CLAIMED, AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 31117-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: RONALD L BRAUGHTON
3119 CANYON DR
BILLINGS, MT 59102

BRAUGHTON RANCH TRUST
BRAUGHTON, ROBERT D TRUSTEE
3119 CANYON DR
BILLINGS, MT 59102

Priority Date: OCTOBER 2, 1894

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 3.75 CFS

THE WATER RIGHT NUMBERS 43BJ 31117-00 AND 43BJ 30154852 SHARE A FLOW RATE OF 3.75 CFS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE OPERATED IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: AS HISTORICALLY USED: THE PROPERTIES WILL CONTINUE TO BE MANAGED AS ONE RANCH.

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 35.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: TOLHURST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	25.00		W2NW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	10.00		NE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	35.00						

Remarks:

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

31117-00 31120-00

SPLIT CLAIM NO. 43BJ 30154852 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 31117-00, 43BJ 33299-00, 43BJ 40030-00, 43BJ 111523-00, 43BJ 30154852.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 31118-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ROBERT D BRAUGHTON
3119 CANYON DR
BILLINGS, MT 59102

RONALD L BRAUGHTON
3119 CANYON DR
BILLINGS, MT 59102

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1894

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 444.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 26.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	26.00		SENE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	26.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 31118-00, 43BJ 111522-00.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS JUNE 30, 1894.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE SOURCE DESCRIBED ON THE FILED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED SOURCE.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 31119-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 4 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: RONALD L BRAUGHTON
3119 CANYON DR
BILLINGS, MT 59102

BRAUGHTON RANCH TRUST
BRAUGHTON, ROBERT D TRUSTEE
3119 CANYON DR
BILLINGS, MT 59102

Priority Date: APRIL 1, 1897

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 2.50 CFS

THE WATER RIGHT NUMBERS 43BJ 31119-00 AND 43BJ 30155993 SHARE A FLOW RATE OF 2.5 CFS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE OPERATED IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: AS HISTORICALLY USED: THE PROPERTIES WILL CONTINUE TO BE MANAGED AS ONE RANCH.

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 40.00

***Source Name:** EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MILES-FLOWER DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	10.00		SWNW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	25.00		E2NE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	5.00		SWNW	34	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	40.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION FOR THIS CLAIM HAS BEEN CHANGED, EVEN THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. AS A RESULT IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF 03/30/1987 , A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION . BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHT MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 31120-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: RONALD L BRAUGHTON
3119 CANYON DR
BILLINGS, MT 59102

BRAUGHTON RANCH TRUST
BRAUGHTON, ROBERT D TRUSTEE
3119 CANYON DR
BILLINGS, MT 59102

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1897

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 3.75 CFS

THE WATER RIGHT NUMBERS 43BJ 31120-00 AND 43BJ 30154853 SHARE A FLOW RATE OF 3.75 CFS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE OPERATED IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: AS HISTORICALLY USED: THE PROPERTIES WILL CONTINUE TO BE MANAGED AS ONE RANCH.

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 35.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: TOLHURST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	25.00		W2NW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	10.00		NE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	35.00						

Remarks:

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

31117-00 31120-00

SPLIT CLAIM NO. 43BJ 30154853 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 31120-00, 43BJ 40032-00, 43BJ 30154853.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 33281-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ALTA SCHOLTEN
PO BOX 892
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0892

Priority Date: DECEMBER 17, 1963

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENW	1	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSENW	1	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

SOURCE AND PLACE OF USE WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 33299-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LEO CARPER
121 N 35TH ST
BILLINGS, MT 59101

Priority Date: OCTOBER 2, 1894

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 170.00 GPM

Volume: 6.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 4.75

***Source Name:** EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MILES-FLOWER DITCH

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		NWSENW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: TOLHURST DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.85		NWNWSW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	3.90		NENWSW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	4.75						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF DEPARTMENT OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND PARKS WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 31117-00, 43BJ 33299-00, 43BJ 40030-00, 43BJ 111523-00, 43BJ 30154852.

DITCH NAME WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 33820-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ELIZABETH J HIGGINS
PO BOX 579
MC DONALD, TN 37353-5791

KENNETH D HIGGINS
PO BOX 579
MC DONALD, TN 37353-0579

Priority Date: JANUARY 1, 1890

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: GRAHAM CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNENE	23	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SW	14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2			SE	15	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS
3			NW	23	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 33820-00, 43BJ 33821-00.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE DITCH CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS JANUARY 31, 1890.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE SOURCE DESCRIBED ON THE FILED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED SOURCE.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 33821-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ELIZABETH J HIGGINS
PO BOX 579
MC DONALD, TN 37353-5791

KENNETH D HIGGINS
PO BOX 579
MC DONALD, TN 37353-0579

Priority Date: JANUARY 1, 1890

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 7.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 90.00

***Source Name:** GRAHAM CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNE	23	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	4.00		NW	23	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	1.00		SE	15	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS
3	85.00		SW	14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	90.00						

Remarks:

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THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE HEADGATE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS JANUARY 31, 1890.

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 33973-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HEANEY, VIVIAN G 2013 TRUST
PO BOX 1638
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1638

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 29, 1905

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1	NE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		1	NE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 33974-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WHISTLE CREEK PARTNERS LLC
540 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: JULY 1, 1921

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 35.00 GPM

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENW	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSENW	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 33982-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WHISTLE CREEK PARTNERS LLC
540 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 5, 1917

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESE	9	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SW	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESE	9	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2			SW	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 33983-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WHISTLE CREEK PARTNERS LLC
540 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MARCH 26, 1918

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENE	9	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENE	9	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 33989-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LC LAND COMPANY LLC
241 S FRONTAGE RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 27, 1920

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: WHISTLE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENE	25	1S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		S2	19	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESENE	25	1S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			S2	19	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 33990-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LC LAND COMPANY LLC
241 S FRONTAGE RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 27, 1920

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WHISTLE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NE	30	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SE	19	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NE	30	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
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Water Right Number: **43BJ 33991-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LC LAND COMPANY LLC
241 S FRONTAGE RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

WHISTLE CREEK PARTNERS LLC
540 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 27, 1920

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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1		E2	19	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		NW	20	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

3		S2S2	17	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 33992-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WHISTLE CREEK PARTNERS LLC
540 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 19, 1918

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNWNE	20	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNE	20	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

SOURCE AND PLACE OF USE WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 33993-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WHISTLE CREEK PARTNERS LLC
540 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 19, 1918

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		W2NWNE	20	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

***Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

***Reservoir:** ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
	W2NWNE	20	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Dam Height: 13.00 FEET

Depth: 10.00 FEET

Surface Area: 1.79 ACRES

Capacity: 7.16 ACRE-FEET

THE RESERVOIR CAPACITY, DEPTH, SURFACE AREA AND DAM HEIGHT BEEN ESTIMATED BY DNRC.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENWNE	20	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMANT DID NOT IDENTIFY THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION FOR THIS RIGHT. A PERIOD OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN ADDED TO MATCH THE PERIOD OF USE. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE RECEIVED TO THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION OR PERIOD OF USE, THOSE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS ISSUE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THIS CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION AND RESERVOIR RECORD WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 33994-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WHISTLE CREEK PARTNERS LLC
540 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 19, 1918

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NE	20	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SESESE	17	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NE	20	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2			SESESE	17	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 33995-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WHISTLE CREEK PARTNERS LLC
540 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 27, 1920

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** WHISTLE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	17	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
2		W2	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESESE	17	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2			NWSW	15	1S	15E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

IMPLIED CLAIM NO. 43BJ 212588-00 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 34002-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HEANEY, VIVIAN G 2013 TRUST
PO BOX 1638
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1638

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 15, 1956

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: MARCH 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2				34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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MEANS OF DIVERSION AND DITCH NAME WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 34003-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HEANEY, VIVIAN G 2013 TRUST
PO BOX 1638
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1638

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 30, 1956

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		NW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

3			E2	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2			NW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3			E2	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 34004-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HEANEY, VIVIAN G 2013 TRUST
PO BOX 1638
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1638

Priority Date: JULY 15, 1895

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 3.75 CFS

Volume: 1,014.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 196.60

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	23.30		NE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	51.90		SW	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	6.60		SE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	86.00		NE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	17.80		NW	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	11.00		NW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	196.60						

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 34005-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HEANEY, VIVIAN G 2013 TRUST
PO BOX 1638
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1638

Priority Date: MAY 15, 1944

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 11.25 CFS

Volume: 1,014.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 196.60

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

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3	6.60		SE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	86.00		NE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
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THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE EXCEEDS THE 17 GPM PER ACRE GUIDELINE AND CANNOT BE CONFIRMED DUE TO LACK OF DATA. THE FLOW RATE EQUALS 26.00 GPM PER ACRE. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THE FLOW RATE FOR THIS CLAIM, THE FLOW RATE WILL REMAIN AS IT APPEARS ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 34007-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HEANEY, VIVIAN G 2013 TRUST
PO BOX 1638
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1638

Priority Date: APRIL 20, 1908

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 7.50 CFS

Volume: 1,014.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 196.60

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 34009-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HEANEY, VIVIAN G 2013 TRUST
PO BOX 1638
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1638

Priority Date: AUGUST 3, 1908

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 7.50 CFS

Volume: 1,014.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 196.60

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 34557-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners: THOMAS D ROE
PO BOX 905
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 12/08/87.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 34854-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1960

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	22	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWSW	22	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

PURSUANT TO WATER COURT ORDER, IF NO OBJECTIONS TO THIS CLAIM ARE FILED, THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE OF 5 GPM WILL BE REINSTATED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 34855-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1960

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESENE	22	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESENE	22	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 34856-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1960

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSE	22	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 35049-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SUSIE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWNW	36	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSWNW	36	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 35050-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SUSIE CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENESW	36	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENESW	36	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 35051-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SUSIE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSW	36	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESWSW	36	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36335-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: AUGUST 16, 1900

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 221.40

Source Name: ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWSE	23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: WOOLSEY DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	59.80		SW	11	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	10.60		NENE	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	151.00		SW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	221.40						

Remarks:

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

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36336-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 21, 1896

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 5.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 221.40

Source Name: ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWSE	23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 20 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: WOOLSEY DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 20 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	59.80		SW	11	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	10.60		NENE	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	151.00		SW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	221.40						

Remarks:

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36335-00 36336-00 36337-00 36338-00 41826-00

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS SEPTEMBER 18, 1896.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36337-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: MAY 15, 1897

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 8.39 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 221.40

Source Name: ENOS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENW	13	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

2		NESWNW	13	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	59.80		SW	11	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	10.60		NENE	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	151.00		SW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	221.40						

Remarks:

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36335-00 36336-00 36337-00 36338-00 41826-00

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36338-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: AUGUST 17, 1894

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 5.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 221.40

Source Name: ENOS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWNE	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	59.80		SW	11	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	10.60		NE	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	151.00		SW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	221.40						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36357-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SHIRLEY A SCHMIDT
1429 CHERRY DR
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-5924

V HUGO SCHMIDT
1429 CHERRY DR
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-5924

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1890

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

Flow Rate: 273.77 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 16.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		N2S2	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: PUMP

POINT OF DIVERSION IS MOVEABLE ALL ALONG SOURCE WITHIN LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION.

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	8.00		N2NESW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	8.00		N2NWSE	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	16.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36402-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: 1601 MAIN BOULDER ROAD ASSOCIATES LLC
6989 HIGHLAND RD
PLEASANTON, CA 94588-9528

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1890

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER

***Flow Rate:** 149.60 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 8.80

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: PUMP

PUMP IS MOVEABLE ALL ALONG SOURCE WITHIN LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION.

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	8.80		SW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	8.80						

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

36402-00 36405-00

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE FLOW RATE OF THIS CLAIM HAS BEEN REDUCED TO 17 GPM PER ACRE. THE FLOW RATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

ALTHOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO, THE PLACE OF USE WAS CHANGED TO REFLECT THE REDUCTION IN MAXIMUM ACRES IRRIGATED.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36403-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: 1601 MAIN BOULDER ROAD ASSOCIATES LLC
6989 HIGHLAND RD
PLEASANTON, CA 94588-9528

Priority Date: MAY 31, 1973

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 255.82 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 15.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS ARMSTRONG DITCH

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: LOASBY DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	15.00		NENW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	15.00						

Remarks:

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36403-00 36404-00

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

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36404-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: 1601 MAIN BOULDER ROAD ASSOCIATES LLC
6989 HIGHLAND RD
PLEASANTON, CA 94588-9528

Priority Date: AUGUST 8, 1892

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 255.82 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 15.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS ARMSTRONG DITCH

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: LOASBY DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	15.00		NENW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	15.00						

Remarks:

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

36403-00 36404-00

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 36404-00, 43BJ 36406-00.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36405-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: 1601 MAIN BOULDER ROAD ASSOCIATES LLC
6989 HIGHLAND RD
PLEASANTON, CA 94588-9528

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1890

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		N2SW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			N2SW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

36402-00 36405-00

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

PLACE OF USE WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36406-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: 1601 MAIN BOULDER ROAD ASSOCIATES LLC
6989 HIGHLAND RD
PLEASANTON, CA 94588-9528

Priority Date: AUGUST 8, 1892

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS ARMSTRONG DITCH

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: LOASBY DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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MEANS OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36407-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVID GRUSIN
700 GARCIA ST
SANTA FE, NM 87505-2860

Priority Date: MAY 31, 1973

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 7.50 CFS

***Volume:** 864.00 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 90.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: RULE-WORK DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	45.00		N2SE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	13.00		SENE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	20.00		N2SW	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	12.00		W2W2	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	90.00						

Remarks:

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 36408-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 6.25 CFS

***Volume:** 880.00 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 93.70

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	18	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: FOSTER-RULE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	16.00		S2SE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	8.40		S2NWSW	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	57.30		NE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	10.00		NWNW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	2.00		NW	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	93.70						

Remarks:

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36408-00 36410-00 36411-00 36414-00

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36409-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVID GRUSIN
700 GARCIA ST
SANTA FE, NM 87505-2860

Priority Date: JUNE 7, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 7.50 CFS

***Volume:** 658.00 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 70.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENW	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: FOSTER-RULE-WORK DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	45.00		SW	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	25.00		SE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	70.00						

Remarks:

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36409-00 102808-00

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 36410-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 6.25 CFS

***Volume:** 880.00 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 93.70

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	18	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: FOSTER-RULE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	16.00		S2SE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	8.40		S2NWSW	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	57.30		NE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	2.00		NW	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	10.00		NWNW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	93.70						

Remarks:

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

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THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

36410-00 102807-00

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

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 1389, BOZEMAN, MT 59771-1389.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36411-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: JUNE 7, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.50 CFS

***Volume:** 880.00 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 93.70

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	18	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: FOSTER-RULE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	16.00		S2SE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	8.40		S2NWSW	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	57.30		NE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	10.00		NWNW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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Total:	93.70						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36412-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: AUGUST 8, 1892

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 6.25 CFS

***Volume:** 103.40 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 11.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS ARMSTRONG DITCH

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: LOASBY DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	9.00		W2NW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	2.00		NESENE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	11.00						

Remarks:

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

36412-00 36415-00

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 36412-00, 43BJ 102827-00.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36413-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVID GRUSIN
700 GARCIA ST
SANTA FE, NM 87505-2860

Priority Date: MAY 31, 1973

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.65 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 70.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENW	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: FOSTER-RULE-WORK DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	45.00		SW	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	25.00		SE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	70.00						

Remarks:

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36409-00 36413-00

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A LATE OBJECTION HAS BEEN FILED TO THE FLOW RATE OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. IT WILL BE RESOLVED DURING THE ADJUDICATION OF OBJECTIONS TO THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36414-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: MAY 31, 1973

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 11.25 CFS

***Volume:** 880.00 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 93.70

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	18	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: FOSTER-RULE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	16.00		S2SE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	8.40		S2NWSW	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	57.30		NE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	2.00		NW	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	10.00		NWNW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	93.70						

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36415-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: MAY 31, 1973

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 188.50 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 11.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS ARMSTRONG DITCH

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: LOASBY DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	9.00		W2NW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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Total:	11.00						

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36548-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CURTIN, PAULA SANDT REVOCABLE TRUST
CURTAIN, PAULA SANDT TRUSTEE
PO BOX 157
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1389

P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: OCTOBER 23, 1894

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
	Ditch Name:	MCLEOD MUTUAL DITCH					
2		W2NE	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS	
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
3		E2NW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS	
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
4		N2SW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS	
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWSE	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			W2NE	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3			E2NW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4			N2SW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 36549-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1949

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 8.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 80.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BRUFFEY DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	10.00		SW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	10.00		SE	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	5.00		NW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	50.00		NE	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	5.00		SE	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	80.00						

Remarks:

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

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF THE CLAIMANTS, NATHANIEL AND JOY CLARK WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANTS TO INCLUDE POINT OF DIVERSION. BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36550-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CURTIN, PAULA SANDT REVOCABLE TRUST
CURTAIN, PAULA SANDT TRUSTEE
PO BOX 157
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1389

P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

***Priority Date:** APRIL 22, 1889

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 1.87 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 130.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MCLEOD MUTUAL DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	70.00		SE	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	45.00		SW	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	5.00		NE	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	10.00		NW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	130.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36551-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CURTIN, PAULA SANDT REVOCABLE TRUST
CURTAIN, PAULA SANDT TRUSTEE
PO BOX 157
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1389

P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1949

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 6.76 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 130.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MCLEOD MUTUAL DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	70.00		SE	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	45.00		SW	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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4	10.00		NW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	130.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36552-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 15, 1912

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 5.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 80.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BRUFFEY DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	10.00		SW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	10.00		SE	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	5.00		NW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	50.00		NE	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	5.00		SE	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	80.00						

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

YOUR WATER RIGHT AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT MAY HAVE *CHANGES* FROM YOUR WATER RIGHT AS CLAIMED OR AMENDED. AN ASTERISK (*) HAS BEEN PLACED NEXT TO EACH ITEM CHANGED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR BY THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT WATER RIGHT CLAIMS EXAMINATION RULES OR BY ORDER OF THE WATER COURT.

OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 36598-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 4 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HOGAN DITCH CO
% BETTY ALEXANDER
PO BOX 1695
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MAY 15, 1888

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 15.00 CFS

FLOW RATE FOR THIS RIGHT IS LIMITED TO THE HISTORIC CAPACITY OF THE DIVERSION STRUCTURE AND CONVEYANCE FACILITY.

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 209.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	4	SWSESW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: HOGAN DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	30.00	9	SWSW	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	9.00	5	SWNE	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	32.50	6	NESW	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	13.00	7	NWSE	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	27.00	8	SESW	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	12.00	1	NENW	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
7	21.00	2	SWNW	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
8	8.00		NWNW	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
9	10.00	6	NWSE	14	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
10	42.00		E2NE	14	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
11	4.50		SESE	11	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	209.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF DEPARTMENT OF FISH, WILDLIFE, AND PARKS WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE PLACE OF USE . BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 36598-00, 43BJ 36599-00.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED APPROPRIATION ON BOULDER RIVER (HOGAN DITCH) WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 3474, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 36599-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 4 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HOGAN DITCH CO
% BETTY ALEXANDER
PO BOX 1695
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MAY 15, 1888

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

Volume: THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	4	SWSESW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: HOGAN DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESWSW	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2			SWNE	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3			NESW	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4			NWSE	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5			SESW	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
6			SWSW	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
7			NWSW	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
8			NENW	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
9			SENW	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
10			NWNW	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
11			NENE	14	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
12			SWNE	14	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
13			SENE	14	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
14			SWNE	14	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
15			SESE	11	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 36598-00, 43BJ 36599-00 .

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER (HOGAN DITCH) WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 3474, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36608-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DRIFTWOOD LLC
160 COMMONWEALTH AVE, #U2
BOSTON, MA 02116

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1936

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 6.78 AC-FT

Households: 5

Maximum Acres: 0.89

Source Name: FALLS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 19

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 19

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.89		SWNENE	15	4S	12E	PARK
Total:	0.89						

Remarks:

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 36779-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JOAN B HALL
7 SPRING MILL LN
HAVERFORD, PA 19041

ROBERT J HALL
7 SPRING MILL LN
HAVERFORD, PA 19041

Priority Date: APRIL 30, 1933

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 10.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 1.63

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	18	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: FLOWING

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.63		SESESE	18	3S	12E	PARK
Total:	1.63						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 39290-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: RENSKERS FAMILY LIVING TRUST
551 OLD BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8018

Priority Date: OCTOBER 15, 1900

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 202.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 12.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CLAUSE-WEAVER DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	12.00		SENE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	12.00						

Remarks:

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POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 39331-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MICHAEL B CLARK
285 E BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0006

WHITNEY, JOSEPH & TAMARA FAMILY TRUST
1925 ALTA NORTH RD
ALTA, WY 83414-4583

Priority Date: AUGUST 28, 1899

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.25 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 89.00

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNWNW	11	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: WOOLSEY DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	7.50		W2SESE	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	55.50		N2NE	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	5.00		E2NENW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	1.00		SWNENW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	20.00		SENE	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	89.00						

Remarks:

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

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THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

SOURCE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 39332-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MICHAEL B CLARK
285 E BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0006

WHITNEY, JOSEPH & TAMARA FAMILY TRUST
1925 ALTA NORTH RD
ALTA, WY 83414-4583

Priority Date: JUNE 15, 1899

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.75 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 89.00

Source Name: ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSE	23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: WOOLSEY DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	7.50		W2SESE	3	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	55.50		N2NE	10	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	5.00		E2NENW	10	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	1.00		SWNENW	10	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	20.00		SENE	10	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	89.00						

Remarks:

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

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POINT OF DIVERSION AND DITCH NAME WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE PLACE OF USE APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE IN THE N2NW SEC 10 TWP 3S RGE 13E SWEET GRASS COUNTY.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 39333-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: FISHCAMP MCLEOD LLC
9140 SE RIVERFRONT TER APT H
JUPITER, FL 33469-1120

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 18, 1902

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 1.25 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 5.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: TOLHURST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.00		NWNW	10	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	3.00		NENW	10	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	5.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 39333-00, 43BJ 39336-00, 43BJ 40296-00, 43BJ 111514-00.

THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 39333-00, 43BJ 39336-00.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS JULY 4, 1902.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 39334-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WHITNEY, JOSEPH & TAMARA FAMILY TRUST
1925 ALTA NORTH RD
ALTA, WY 83414-4583

Priority Date: AUGUST 28, 1899

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNWNW	11	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESE	3	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			N2NE	10	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 39335-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MICHAEL B CLARK
285 E BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0006

WHITNEY, JOSEPH & TAMARA FAMILY TRUST
1925 ALTA NORTH RD
ALTA, WY 83414-4583

Priority Date: JUNE 15, 1899

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSE	23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: WOOLSEY DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESE	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			N2	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 39336-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: FISHCAMP MCLEOD LLC
9140 SE RIVERFRONT TER APT H
JUPITER, FL 33469-1120

Priority Date: JULY 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: TOLHURST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			N2NW	10	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 39512-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES E MCGEHEE III
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

JANET MCGEHEE
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 28, 1905

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CONWELL DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SE	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2			NW	25	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 39520-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES E MCGEHEE III
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

JANET MCGEHEE
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1915

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 6.92 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 182.50

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNW	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: LAMP-NELSON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	82.50		NE	35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	32.50		SE	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	42.50		SW	25	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	24.00		NE	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	1.00		NW	36	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	182.50						

Remarks:

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THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS JUNE 2, 1919.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 39521-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES E MCGEHEE III
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

JANET MCGEHEE
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1900

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 25.00 GPM

Volume: 2.20 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 1.00

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESE	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.00		NWNESE	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.00						

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40028-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: EAST BOULDER RANCH LLC
7 RENAISSANCE SQ FL 7
WHITE PLAINS, NY 10601-3039

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1957

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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SOURCE AND POINT OF DIVERSION WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40029-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: EAST BOULDER RANCH LLC
7 RENAISSANCE SQ FL 7
WHITE PLAINS, NY 10601-3039

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1961

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): FISH AND WILDLIFE

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

Volume: 8.00 AC-FT

THE USE OF THIS WATER APPEARS TO BE LARGELY NONCONSUMPTIVE.

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

Reservoir: ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
	NWNWNE	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Reservoir: ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County

		NENWSE	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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EXISTENCE OF THE CLAIMED RESERVOIR CANNOT BE CONFIRMED WITH AVAILABLE DATA.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40030-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: EAST BOULDER RANCH LLC
7 RENAISSANCE SQ FL 7
WHITE PLAINS, NY 10601-3039

Priority Date: OCTOBER 2, 1894

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 5.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 24.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: FLOWERS DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	24.00		SE	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	24.00						

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 31117-00, 43BJ 33299-00, 43BJ 40030-00, 43BJ 111523-00, 43BJ 30154852.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40031-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: EAST BOULDER RANCH LLC
7 RENAISSANCE SQ FL 7
WHITE PLAINS, NY 10601-3039

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1882

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 5.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 92.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MILES-FLOWER DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	48.00		E2NE	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	44.00		E2SE	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	92.00						

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40032-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: EAST BOULDER RANCH LLC
7 RENAISSANCE SQ FL 7
WHITE PLAINS, NY 10601-3039

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1897

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 3.13 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 16.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: TOLHURST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	16.00		E2E2SE	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	16.00						

Remarks:

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 31120-00, 43BJ 40032-00, 43BJ 30154853.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40294-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

Priority Date: JULY 1, 1895

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 7.50 CFS

Volume: 1,500.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 872.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	16.00		SESE	17	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	20.00		NENE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40295-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

***Priority Date:** JULY 16, 1908

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 4.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 872.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40296-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

Priority Date: JULY 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 3.75 CFS

Volume: 750.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 872.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40297-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

***Priority Date:** JULY 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 3.75 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 872.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40298-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

Priority Date: OCTOBER 28, 1890

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 7.50 CFS

Volume: 1,500.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 872.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40299-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

***Priority Date:** MARCH 1, 1902

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.88 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 872.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

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Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: PUMP/HEADGATE W/DITCH OR PIPELINE

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40300-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

Priority Date: APRIL 4, 1895

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 3.75 CFS

Volume: 750.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 872.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	16.00		SESE	17	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	20.00		NENE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	160.00		SE	9	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	104.00		NE	9	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	130.00		NW	9	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
6	125.00		SW	9	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
7	52.00		SW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
8	47.00		NW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
9	58.00		NW	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
10	90.00		NE	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40301-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1950

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

Flow Rate: 15.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 872.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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Diversion Means: HEADGATE

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40302-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 11/25/86.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40303-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1942

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 171.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 10.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNWNW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	10.00		NWNW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	10.00						

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A LATE OBJECTION HAS BEEN FILED TO THE FLOW RATE OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. IT WILL BE RESOLVED DURING THE ADJUDICATION OF OBJECTIONS TO THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40304-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1942

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		W2	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40305-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1942

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			NE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3			W2	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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Water Right Number: **43BJ 40306-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

Priority Date: DECEMBER 29, 1961

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): FISH AND WILDLIFE

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

***Volume:** THE FLOW RATE AND VOLUME ARE LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE. THIS RIGHT SHALL CONTINUE TO BE UTILIZED IN ACCORDANCE WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

THE USE OF THIS WATER APPEARS TO BE LARGELY NONCONSUMPTIVE.

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENENE	9	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

***Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN STANDARDIZED BY DNRC FOR THIS CLAIM.

Reservoir: ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County

SWNWNW	9	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS	

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NE	9	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			NW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 40594-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	SWEET GRASS COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT PO BOX 886 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	SWEET GRASS, COUNTY OF PO BOX 460 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	MARCH 1, 1884
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	SPRINKLER
***Flow Rate:**	1.25 CFS
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	26.70
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3	NWNWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELECTRIC LIGHT DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.10		SESW	14	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	0.80		NENE	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	2.10		NENW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	23.70		NWNW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	26.70						

Remarks:

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THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 41826-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: MAY 25, 1956

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 5.00 CFS

Volume: 35.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 221.40

Source Name: ENOS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENW	13	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Reservoir: OFFSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County

SWSENW	13	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS	

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	59.80		SW	11	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	10.60		NWNE	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	151.00			10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	221.40						

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EXISTENCE OF THE CLAIMED RESERVOIR CANNOT BE CONFIRMED WITH AVAILABLE DATA.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 41827-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: DECEMBER 17, 1963

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF AHERN CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNE	24	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWNE	24	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 41832-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	MARY E CREMER 189 MAIN BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8017
	CORNELIA E CREMER-SEITZ PO BOX 1555 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	CHAD T SEITZ PO BOX 1555 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	MEMC REVOCABLE TRUST CREMER, MARY E. TRUSTEE 89 MAIN BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	JULY 15, 1895
Type of Historical Right:	DECREED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	1.25 CFS
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	38.00
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	38.00		SE	27	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	38.00						

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	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	MARY E CREMER 189 MAIN BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8017
	CORNELIA E CREMER-SEITZ PO BOX 1555 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
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Priority Date:	MAY 15, 1944
Type of Historical Right:	DECREED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	1.25 CFS
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	38.00
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO NOVEMBER 1

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 41834-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BROADWATER MT LLC
257 MAIN BOULDER RD
1766
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1965

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): FISH AND WILDLIFE

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

Volume: 12.00 AC-FT

THE USE OF THIS WATER APPEARS TO BE LARGELY NONCONSUMPTIVE.

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2SESE	27	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

***Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN STANDARDIZED BY DNRC FOR THIS CLAIM.

***Reservoir:** ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
	E2SESE	27	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESESE	27	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 41843-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STANDISH TRUST JOHN M & DIANE L
1634 US HIGHWAY 87 E
BILLINGS, MT 59101-6621

Priority Date: JANUARY 31, 1890

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 10.00 GPM

Volume: 2.00 AC-FT

Households: 2

***Source Name:** GRAHAM CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS IRON CREEK

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		W2SESW	14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY #48

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 42618-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: JANUARY 20, 1964

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSESW	18	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSESW	18	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 43455-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NANCY L RINNERT
PO BOX 7
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: MAY 31, 1963

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): LAWN AND GARDEN

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 0.50 AC-FT

Maximum Acres: 0.25

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENESE	24	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.25		NENESE	24	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.25						

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 43520-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: DECEMBER 1, 1897

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 43521-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: APRIL 5, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: SMALL HOPES CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNE	20	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SWSWSE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSWSE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			W2NWNE	20	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 43521-00, 43BJ 43524-00.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 43522-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

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Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1892

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 3.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 20.50

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENW	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: FOSTER-RULE-WORK DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5.20		S2SE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	15.30		N2NE	20	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	20.50						

Remarks:

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

43522-00 43523-00 43524-00

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 43523-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: MAY 31, 1973

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 350.06 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 20.50

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENW	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: FOSTER-RULE-WORK DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5.20		S2SE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	15.30		N2NE	20	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	20.50						

Remarks:

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

43522-00 43523-00 43524-00

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 43524-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: APRIL 5, 1904

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 350.06 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 20.50

Source Name: SMALL HOPES CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNE	20	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5.20		S2SE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	15.30		N2NE	20	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	20.50						

Remarks:

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43522-00 43523-00 43524-00

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 43525-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NANCY L RINNERT
PO BOX 7
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: JULY 10, 1893

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 1.68 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 24.30

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSW	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELGES-MUNCASTER DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	24.30		E2SE	24	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	24.30						

Remarks:

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

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 43526-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NANCY L RINNERT
PO BOX 7
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 11, 1898

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESESE	24	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESESE	24	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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SOURCE WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 43527-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NANCY L RINNERT
PO BOX 7
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: JULY 10, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSW	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELGES-MUNCASTER DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESE	24	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 43525-00, 43BJ 43527-00.

MEANS OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 43528-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NANCY L RINNERT
PO BOX 7
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 11, 1898

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESE	24	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESE	24	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 44358-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MAC JOHNSON
2214 LOCKEY
HELENA, MT 59601

Priority Date: AUGUST 3, 1972

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 5.60 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 1.80

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	34	5S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DITCH

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.80		SWSESE	34	5S	12E	PARK
Total:	1.80						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE DITCH CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

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COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 45573-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	ETHEL M NELSON PO BOX 1258 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	KENNETH W NELSON PO BOX 1258 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	BERG LIVING TRUST PO BOX 434 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	LC LAND COMPANY LLC 241 S FRONTAGE RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	MAY 1, 1901
Type of Historical Right:	DECREED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	3.13 CFS
Volume:	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	387.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	138.00		NE	29	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	44.00		SE	29	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	85.00		SW	29	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	120.00		NW	29	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	387.00						

Remarks:

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45573-00 45574-00 45575-00

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 45574-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	ETHEL M NELSON PO BOX 1258 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	KENNETH W NELSON PO BOX 1258 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	BERG LIVING TRUST PO BOX 434 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	LC LAND COMPANY LLC 241 S FRONTAGE RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	MAY 15, 1944
Type of Historical Right:	DECREED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	6.88 CFS
Volume:	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	387.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	138.00		NE	29	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	44.00		SE	29	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	85.00		SW	29	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	120.00		NW	29	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	387.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 45575-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 4 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	ETHEL M NELSON PO BOX 1258 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	KENNETH W NELSON PO BOX 1258 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	BERG LIVING TRUST PO BOX 434 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	LC LAND COMPANY LLC 241 S FRONTAGE RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	MAY 4, 1908
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	3.75 CFS
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	387.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

***Period of Diversion:** APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

***Period of Use:** APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	138.00		NE	29	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	44.00		SE	29	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	85.00		SW	29	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	120.00		NW	29	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	387.00						

Remarks:

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COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 45641-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER RESERVE ASSOC INC
%ROBERT GREEN
482 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8067

Priority Date: MAY 23, 1905

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NE	19	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NE	19	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 45642-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER RESERVE ASSOC INC
%ROBERT GREEN
482 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8067

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1910

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		S2	24	3S	11E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			S2	24	3S	11E	PARK

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45643-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER RESERVE ASSOC INC
%ROBERT GREEN
482 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8067

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 4, 1899

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESE	24	3S	11E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2			19	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

3			SESESE	18	3S	12E	PARK
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
4			SW	17	3S	12E	PARK
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESE	24	3S	11E	PARK
2				19	3S	12E	PARK
3			SESESE	18	3S	12E	PARK
4			SW	17	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45644-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER RESERVE ASSOC INC
%ROBERT GREEN
482 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8067

Priority Date: MARCH 19, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: GROUSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SW	17	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SW	17	3S	12E	PARK

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45645-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER RESERVE ASSOC INC
%ROBERT GREEN
482 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8067

Priority Date: MARCH 19, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSW	17	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNWSW	17	3S	12E	PARK

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45646-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER RESERVE ASSOC INC
%ROBERT GREEN
482 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8067

Priority Date: MARCH 19, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF GROUSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESW	17	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESW	17	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45647-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER RESERVE ASSOC INC
%ROBERT GREEN
482 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8067

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 4, 1899

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1	NW	30	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NW	30	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45648-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER RESERVE ASSOC INC
%ROBERT GREEN
482 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8067

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 4, 1899

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		S2	19	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45649-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER RESERVE ASSOC INC
%ROBERT GREEN
482 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8067

Priority Date: MARCH 14, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2	19	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2	19	3S	12E	PARK

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45650-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER RESERVE ASSOC INC
%ROBERT GREEN
482 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8067

Priority Date: MARCH 19, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESESE	18	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		NWSWSW	17	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45651-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER RESERVE ASSOC INC
%ROBERT GREEN
482 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8067

Priority Date: MARCH 19, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		NWSWSW	17	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45652-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER RESERVE ASSOC INC
%ROBERT GREEN
482 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8067

Priority Date: MAY 23, 1905

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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MC LEOD, MT 59052-8067

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MC LEOD, MT 59052-8067

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45713-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners:

DOUGLAS A AYERS
PO BOX 34
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0034

KATHY FREED
10503 CULPEPPER COURT NW
SEATTLE, WA 98177-5317

RODNEY D FREED
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212 BRIAR MANOR LN
HOUSTON, TX 77056-1467

CHRISTOPHER P RILEY
6207 KURY LN
HOUSTON, TX 77008

NANCY L RINNERT
PO BOX 7
MC LEOD, MT 59052

JERRY R SAUTHER
2707 ST JOHNS AVE
BILLINGS, MT 59102

BKR HOLDINGS MT, LLC
114 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

GREB FAMILY TRUST
GREB, DAVID C & DANIELA TRUSTEES
418 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

MEADOWS MONTANA PROPERTIES LLC
212 BRIAR MANOR LN
HOUSTON, TX 77056-1467

OCONNELL TRUST AGREEMENT 12-23-24
% OCONNELL. JOHN J & AUDREY CO-TRUSTEES
4225 LYTLE RD NE
BAINBRIDGE ISLAND, WA 98110-2222

PARADISE VACATIONS LLC
201 N WESTSHORE DR #1601
CHICAGO, IL 60601

SABRAW, RONALD M & CHERYLANN B FAMILY TRUST
PO BOX 3116
FREMONT, CA 94539-0311

STENBERG LIVING TRUST
STENBERG, STUART T & DAVA J TRUSTEE
1750 MAIN BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8801

VON FERSTEL HOMESTEAD LLC
3350 RIVERWOOD PKWY SE STE 425
ATLANTA, GA 30339-3347

Priority Date:	JULY 10, 1893
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
***Flow Rate:**	9.00 CFS
Volume:	450.00 AC-FT
Climatic Area:	3 - MODERATE
Maximum Acres:	112.00
Source Name:	WEST BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSW	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELGES-MUNCASTER DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5.00		SE	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	18.00		NE	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS
3	12.00		NW	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS
4	77.00		S2	24	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	112.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 45713-00, 43BJ 45720-00.

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Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

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MC LEOD, MT 59052

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MC LEOD, MT 59052-8603

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SABRAW, RONALD M & CHERYLANN B FAMILY TRUST
PO BOX 3116
FREMONT, CA 94539-0311

Priority Date: MAY 10, 1898

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
2		S2	24	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2			S2	24	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45715-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

ELLISON RANCH LP
1825 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8603

Priority Date: DECEMBER 1, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: BASIN CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		W2W2W2	2	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2	W2W2W2	35	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

3	SENE	34	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			W2W2W2	2	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2			W2W2W2	35	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS
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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45716-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NANCY L RINNERT
PO BOX 7
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 25, 1914

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENENE	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENENE	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45717-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAMILTON G KENNER
BOX 1606
PANAMA CITY, FL 32401

Priority Date: JULY 21, 1913

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENENW	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENENW	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45718-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: VON FERSTEL HOMESTEAD LLC
3350 RIVERWOOD PKWY SE STE 425
ATLANTA, GA 30339-3347

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 25, 1914

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWSE	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45719-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAMILTON G KENNER
BOX 1606
PANAMA CITY, FL 32401

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 11, 1898

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BASIN CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENESE	3	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45720-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners:

DOUGLAS A AYERS
PO BOX 34
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0034

CHRISTOPHER P RILEY
6207 KURY LN
HOUSTON, TX 77008

NANCY L RINNERT
PO BOX 7
MC LEOD, MT 59052

JERRY R SAUTHER
2707 ST JOHNS AVE
BILLINGS, MT 59102

BKR HOLDINGS MT, LLC
114 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

ELLISON RANCH LP
1825 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8603

GREB FAMILY TRUST
GREB, DAVID C & DANIELA TRUSTEES
418 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

MEADOWS MONTANA PROPERTIES LLC
212 BRIAR MANOR LN
HOUSTON, TX 77056-1467

OCONNELL TRUST AGREEMENT 12-23-24
% OCONNELL. JOHN J & AUDREY CO-TRUSTEES
4225 LYTLE RD NE
BAINBRIDGE ISLAND, WA 98110-2222

SABRAW, RONALD M & CHERYLANN B FAMILY TRUST
PO BOX 3116
FREMONT, CA 94539-0311

Priority Date: JULY 10, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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1		SWSWSW	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELGES-MUNCASTER DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SE	24	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2			NE	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS
3				26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 45713-00, 43BJ 45720-00.

MEANS OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 1389, BOZEMAN, MT 59771-1389.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 45766-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WILKINS, MARK E & KATHY F TRUST
PO BOX 1723
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 3.13 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 24.02

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CREST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	8.02		NWSE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	16.00		NESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	24.02						

Remarks:

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THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 47483-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: JANUARY 20, 1964

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENESW	14	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENESW	14	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 47484-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: JANUARY 20, 1964

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSESW	14	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSESW	14	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48447-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HEANEY, VIVIAN G 2013 TRUST
PO BOX 1638
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1638

Priority Date: MARCH 15, 1889

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 2.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 177.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLISON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	12.00		NW	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	55.00		NE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	12.00		SE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	78.00		SW	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	20.00		NW	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	177.00						

Remarks:

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

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SPLIT CLAIM NO. 30010088 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

ACRES IRRIGATED AND PLACE OF USE WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, THEREFORE ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

MEANS OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 48448-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WHISTLE CREEK PARTNERS LLC
540 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: JUNE 20, 1895

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 3.60 CFS

Volume: 720.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 512.00

Source Name: WHISTLE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNESE	16	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLISON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	20.00		NW	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	78.00		SW	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	55.00		NE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	12.00		NW	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	12.00		SE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	28.00		NE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
7	120.00		NW	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
8	80.00		SW	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
9	71.00		NW	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
10	36.00		SW	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	512.00						

Remarks:

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THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF 2 RIVER RANCH WAS AMENDED BY 2 RIVER RANCH TO INCLUDE PLACE OF USE AND ACRES IRRIGATED. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48449-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WHISTLE CREEK PARTNERS LLC
540 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1904

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 7.78 CFS

Volume: 1,866.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 512.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLISON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	20.00		NW	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	78.00		SW	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	55.00		NE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	12.00		NW	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	12.00		SE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	28.00		NE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
7	120.00		NW	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
8	80.00		SW	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
9	71.00		NW	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
10	36.00		SW	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	512.00						

Remarks:

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 48449-00, 43BJ 123987-00, 43BJ 123990-00, 43BJ 188072-00.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48450-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WHISTLE CREEK PARTNERS LLC
540 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: APRIL 20, 1905

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 9.00 CFS

Volume: 1,800.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 512.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLISON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

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1	20.00		NW	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	78.00		SW	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48451-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HEANEY, VIVIAN G 2013 TRUST
PO BOX 1638
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1638

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 25, 1957

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLIS-KING-HAWKS DITCH

Period of Use: MARCH 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			W2NENE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48674-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CAMPBELL FAMILY PARTNERSHIP
14101 POINT CABRILLO DR
MENDOCINO, CA 95460

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1901

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 7.25 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 65.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	1	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MCCOMB-CAMPBELL DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	18.00		SE	31	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	47.00		SW	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	65.00						

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENT WAS AMENDED BY ORDER OF THE MONTANA WATER COURT GRANTING A MOTION TO AMEND FILED UNDER SECTION 85-2-233(6) MCA: FLOW RATE.

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THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 48674-00, 43BJ 48679-00.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48675-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CAMPBELL FAMILY PARTNERSHIP
14101 POINT CABRILLO DR
MENDOCINO, CA 95460

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1955

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 5.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 2.00

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5	SENESW	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.00	5	SENESW	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	2.00						

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48676-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CAMPBELL FAMILY PARTNERSHIP
14101 POINT CABRILLO DR
MENDOCINO, CA 95460

Priority Date: JULY 3, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		S2SE	31	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SW	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48677-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CAMPBELL FAMILY PARTNERSHIP
14101 POINT CABRILLO DR
MENDOCINO, CA 95460

Priority Date: MARCH 7, 1927

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENW	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48678-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CAMPBELL FAMILY PARTNERSHIP
14101 POINT CABRILLO DR
MENDOCINO, CA 95460

Priority Date: JUNE 7, 1946

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENENE	31	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48679-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CAMPBELL FAMILY PARTNERSHIP
14101 POINT CABRILLO DR
MENDOCINO, CA 95460

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1901

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	1	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MCCOMB-CAMPBELL DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SE	31	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2			N2SW	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48899-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 9, 1899

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF HORSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESESE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48900-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: MAY 17, 1912

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWNW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48901-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SCHILLING LIVESTOCK INC
14 ELK CREEK RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: DECEMBER 4, 1906

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: SMALL HOPES CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		W2NWNE	20	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48902-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SCHILLING LIVESTOCK INC
14 ELK CREEK RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: JANUARY 18, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: SMALL HOPES CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESW	20	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48903-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: JUNE 30, 1961

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 5.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF HORSE CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	27	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSENE	27	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48904-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: JUNE 17, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		W2SENE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			W2SENE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48905-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: APRIL 5, 1915

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: HORSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2NE	27	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2NE	27	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48906-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 12, 1916

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENESW	26	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

Reservoir: ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
	SENESW	26	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENESW	26	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48907-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 12, 1916

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNW	26	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

Reservoir: ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
	SESWNW	26	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWNW	26	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48908-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 12, 1916

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

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1		NESWNW	26	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

Reservoir: ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
	NESWNW	26	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: JANUARY 20, 1915

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 5.00 GPM

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF HORSE CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNW	27	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

2	9		22	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Reservoir: ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
	NWNWNW	27	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNWNW	27	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2		9		22	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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EXISTENCE OF THE CLAIMED RESERVOIR CANNOT BE CONFIRMED WITH AVAILABLE DATA.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48910-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: MAY 17, 1912

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: ENOS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		N2NW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			N2NW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48911-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 9, 1899

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENWSE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48912-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SCHILLING LIVESTOCK INC
14 ELK CREEK RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: DECEMBER 4, 1906

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2SWSW	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		W2NWNW	21	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2SWSW	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			W2NWNW	21	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48913-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: AUGUST 6, 1930

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: ENOS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNENW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DITCH

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			E2E2	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 48913-00, 43BJ 48945-00.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE SOURCE (ITEM I.) DESCRIBED ON THE FILED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED SOURCE.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48914-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: OCTOBER 26, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSESW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48915-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SCHILLING LIVESTOCK INC
14 ELK CREEK RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: JULY 23, 1910

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWNW	24	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

***Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN STANDARDIZED BY DNRC FOR THIS CLAIM.

Reservoir: ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County

		SWSWNW	24	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSWNW	24	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48916-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: JULY 31, 1953

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 15.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	7	NWSWSE	21	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		7		21	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48917-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: OCTOBER 26, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2W2	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2W2	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48918-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SCHILLING LIVESTOCK INC
14 ELK CREEK RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: JULY 23, 1910

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: AHERN CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSW	24	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSW	24	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48919-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KENNETH SCHILLING
243 ELK CREEK RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

LESLEY SCHILLING
243 ELK CREEK RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: JULY 23, 1910

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	10		23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		10		23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48920-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 12, 1916

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ELK CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	26	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

Reservoir: ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
	SENWSW	26	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48921-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: MAY 17, 1912

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ENOS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESENW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48922-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: OCTOBER 26, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		NENENW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			NENENW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48923-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: OCTOBER 26, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		W2SESW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		N2NW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			W2SESW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			N2NW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48924-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: OCTOBER 26, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWNE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSWNE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48925-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: MAY 17, 1912

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ENOS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWNW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSWNW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48926-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: OCTOBER 26, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: ENOS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESESW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESESW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48927-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 9, 1899

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF HORSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESESE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48928-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 9, 1899

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: HORSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2SE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48929-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 9, 1899

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNWSW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

SOURCE WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48930-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 9, 1899

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2SE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2SE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48931-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: JULY 1, 1959

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: MULTIPLE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48932-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 9, 1899

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2NWSE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2NWSE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48933-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: JUNE 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNE	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: CRAFT DITCH

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2				15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3				16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 48934-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	KENNETH SCHILLING 243 ELK CREEK RD MC LEOD, MT 59052
	LESLEY SCHILLING 243 ELK CREEK RD MC LEOD, MT 59052
	KATHLEEN A SNODELL 615 HICKORY RD GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137
	WALTER S SNODELL 615 HICKORY RD GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137
Priority Date:	AUGUST 16, 1900
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	STOCK
***Flow Rate:**	A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.
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Source Name:	ELK CREEK
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSE	23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: YERKES-WOOLSEY DITCH

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		10		23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			NW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3			E2	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48935-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SCHILLING LIVESTOCK INC
14 ELK CREEK RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: AUGUST 9, 1919

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: SMALL HOPES CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENW	20	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENW	20	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48936-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SCHILLING LIVESTOCK INC
14 ELK CREEK RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: AUGUST 18, 1961

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 12.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ELK CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	8	E2	23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		9		23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48937-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: JULY 12, 1961

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 5.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF HORSE CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	9		22	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		9		22	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48938-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: JULY 18, 1914

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF HORSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNW	27	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENWNW	27	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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SOURCE WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48939-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SCHILLING LIVESTOCK INC
14 ELK CREEK RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: JULY 10, 1893

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 1.13 CFS

***Volume:** 282.00 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 30.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSW	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELGES-MUNCASTER DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	4.00		SWSW	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	20.00		N2	20	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	6.00		N2NWNW	21	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	30.00						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48940-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: JULY 1, 1959

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 67.32 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 4.00

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	4.00		SESW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	4.00						

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48941-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SCHILLING LIVESTOCK INC
14 ELK CREEK RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: APRIL 5, 1904

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 1.13 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 30.00

Source Name: SMALL HOPES CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENW	20	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: RULE FLOOD DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	4.00		SWSW	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	20.00		N2	20	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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Total:	30.00						

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 48942-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	KENNETH SCHILLING 243 ELK CREEK RD MC LEOD, MT 59052
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	KATHLEEN A SNODELL 615 HICKORY RD GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137
	WALTER S SNODELL 615 HICKORY RD GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137
Priority Date:	AUGUST 16, 1900
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	1.50 CFS
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	3 - MODERATE
***Maximum Acres:**	107.00
Source Name:	ELK CREEK
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSE	23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	12.00	10	NWSE	23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	19.50		SENW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	1.00		NENESE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	28.50		SENW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	10.00		S2NENW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
6	35.00		SWNW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
7	1.00		SENWNW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	107.00						

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 48943-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	KENNETH SCHILLING 243 ELK CREEK RD MC LEOD, MT 59052
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	KATHLEEN A SNODELL 615 HICKORY RD GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137
	WALTER S SNODELL 615 HICKORY RD GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137
Priority Date:	OCTOBER 21, 1964
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	2.50 CFS
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	3 - MODERATE
***Maximum Acres:**	107.00
Source Name:	ELK CREEK
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

***Place of Use:**

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3	1.00		NENESE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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5	10.00		S2NENW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48944-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: JUNE 29, 1973

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 5.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 485.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNE	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CRAFT DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	16.00		NESE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	7.00		N2SWSE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	23.00		NWNW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	40.00		NENW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	40.00		SWNW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
6	40.00		SENW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
7	21.00		NWNE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
8	40.00		SWNE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
9	5.00		W2SENE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
10	38.00		NWSW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
11	27.00		NESW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
12	7.00		W2SWSW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
13	14.00		W2SESE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
14	39.00		NWSE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
15	3.00		SENENE	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
16	25.00		SENE	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
17	3.00		SESESW	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
18	16.00		NWSE	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
19	39.00		NESE	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
20	33.00		SWSE	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
21	1.00		NWSESE	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
22	8.00		S2SESW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	485.00						

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48945-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: AUGUST 6, 1930

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.25 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 64.00

Source Name: ENOS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNENW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ENOS CREEK DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	4.00		S2NWNW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	1.00		SWNENW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	17.00		SWNW	14	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	29.00		SENE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	13.00		NESE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	64.00						

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48946-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: APRIL 18, 1903

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 4.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 485.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNE	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CRAFT DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

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3	23.00		NWNW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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12	7.00		N2SWSW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
13	14.00		W2SESE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
14	39.00		NWSE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
15	3.00		SENENE	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
16	25.00		SENE	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48947-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: JUNE 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 8.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 485.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNE	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CRAFT DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	16.00		NESE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	7.00		N2SWSE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	23.00		NWNW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	40.00		NENW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	40.00		SWNW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
6	40.00		SENW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
7	21.00		NWNE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
8	40.00		SWNE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
9	5.00		W2SENE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
10	38.00		NWSW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
11	27.00		NESW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
12	7.00		N2SWSW	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
13	14.00		W2SESE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
14	39.00		NWSE	15	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
15	3.00		SENENE	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
16	25.00		SENE	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
17	3.00		SESESW	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
18	16.00		NWSE	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
19	39.00		NESE	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
20	33.00		SWSE	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
21	1.00		NWSESE	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
22	8.00		S2SESW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	485.00						

Remarks:

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

48944-00 48946-00 48947-00

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 48933-00, 43BJ 48947-00.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48948-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KENNETH SCHILLING
243 ELK CREEK RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

LESLEY SCHILLING
243 ELK CREEK RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: JULY 23, 1910

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 3.00 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 0.50

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF AHERN CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	10		23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: BUCKET

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.50	10		23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.50						

Remarks:

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 48949-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: DECEMBER 1, 1934

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 2.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.50

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ELK CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.50		SWSESW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.50						

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 59786-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 15, 1931

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE WELL CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 59787-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1962

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

Purpose (Use): COMMERCIAL

Flow Rate: 44.88 GPM

Volume: 4.00 AC-FT

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSW	25	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSW	25	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60024-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENENW	25	3S	11E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENW	25	3S	11E	PARK

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60025-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- POST DECREE

Status: **DISMISSED**

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS DISMISSED PURSUANT TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FOREST SERVICE-MONTANA COMPACT.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60026-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- POST DECREE

Status: **DISMISSED**

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS DISMISSED PURSUANT TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FOREST SERVICE-MONTANA COMPACT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60027-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNESE	26	3S	11E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESE	26	3S	11E	PARK

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

PURSUANT TO WATER COURT ORDER, IF NO OBJECTIONS TO THIS CLAIM ARE FILED, THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE OF 89.77 WILL BE REINSTATED.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60028-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

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WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DAVIS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENW	35	3S	11E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENW	35	3S	11E	PARK

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60029-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF GROUSE CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	30	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESESE	30	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60030-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSW	30	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSW	30	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE SPRING BOX CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

PURSUANT TO WATER COURT ORDER, IF NO OBJECTIONS TO THIS CLAIM ARE FILED, THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE OF 89.77 GPM WILL BE REINSTATED.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60031-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

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Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWNW	30	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSWNW	30	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60032-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

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26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF GROUSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSW	33	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60033-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

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Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

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Flow Rate:

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1		SWSE	28	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60034-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNE	28	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNE	28	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE SPRING BOX CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

PURSUANT TO WATER COURT ORDER, IF NO OBJECTIONS TO THIS CLAIM ARE FILED, THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE OF 89.77 GPM WILL BE REINSTATED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60035-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SHEEP CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			32	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				32	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60036-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: GROUSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			6	4S	12E	PARK
	Period of Diversion:	JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				
2		N2	31	3S	12E	PARK
	Period of Diversion:	JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				

3			S2	30	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				6	4S	12E	PARK
2			N2	31	3S	12E	PARK
3			S2	30	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

MEANS OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60037-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: BASIN CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			2	4S	11E	PARK
Period of Diversion:	JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30					
Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
2		SWSE	3	4S	11E	PARK
Period of Diversion:	JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30					
Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				2	4S	11E	PARK
2			SWSE	3	4S	11E	PARK

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60038-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1939

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF GROUSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENESW	31	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			S2	31	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60039-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: LOST CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			1	4S	11E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				1	4S	11E	PARK

Remarks:

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60040-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- POST DECREE

Status: **DISMISSED**

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF FOURMILE CREEK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS DISMISSED PURSUANT TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FOREST SERVICE-MONTANA COMPACT.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60041-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- POST DECREE

Status: **DISMISSED**

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS DISMISSED PURSUANT TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FOREST SERVICE-MONTANA COMPACT.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60042-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MARCH 20, 1936

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF FOURMILE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSE	4	6S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSE	4	6S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE DIVERSION CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60043-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 18, 1928

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF FOURMILE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNE	4	6S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSE	4	6S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE DIVERSION CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60044-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: JUNE 14, 1926

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF FOURMILE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESE	4	6S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESE	4	6S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60045-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: JUNE 14, 1937

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNWNW	3	6S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNW	3	6S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60046-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: AUGUST 15, 1925

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF FOURMILE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		N2SWNE	4	6S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNE	4	6S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60047-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 3, 1932

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNW	3	6S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNW	3	6S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60048-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 3, 1932

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESW	16	6S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESW	16	6S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60049-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 15, 1939

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENENE	9	6S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENE	9	6S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60050-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: OCTOBER 21, 1932

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENE	4	6S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60051-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: JANUARY 25, 1931

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: CLEAR CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESW	16	6S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESW	16	6S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60052-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: JANUARY 25, 1931

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: CLEAR CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESW	16	6S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESW	16	6S	12E	PARK

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60053-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: JANUARY 25, 1931

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: CLEAR CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESW	16	6S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESW	16	6S	12E	PARK

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60054-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 32.31 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		W2SWSE	9	6S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSE	9	6S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60055-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): COMMERCIAL

Flow Rate: 44.88 GPM

Volume: 1.00 AC-FT

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENW	3	6S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENW	3	6S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60056-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): COMMERCIAL

Flow Rate: 44.88 GPM

Volume: 1.00 AC-FT

Source Name: FOURMILE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		N2SENE	4	6S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENE	4	6S	12E	PARK

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COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60057-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): COMMERCIAL

Flow Rate: 44.88 GPM

Volume: 1.00 AC-FT

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENE	9	6S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENE	9	6S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60058-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: APRIL 28, 1982

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): COMMERCIAL

Flow Rate: 31.42 GPM

Volume: 1.00 AC-FT

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENW	21	6S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENW	21	6S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60059-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): COMMERCIAL

Flow Rate: 44.88 GPM

Volume: 0.50 AC-FT

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESW	8	7S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESW	8	7S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60060-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): COMMERCIAL

Flow Rate: 44.88 GPM

Volume: 1.00 AC-FT

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNW	35	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENW	35	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60061-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

***Priority Date:** APRIL 11, 1882

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER, EAST FORK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSE	2	8S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSE	2	8S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60062-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

***Priority Date:** APRIL 11, 1882

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: MEATRACK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNW	21	6S	11E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNW	21	6S	11E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60063-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

***Priority Date:** APRIL 11, 1882

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: FOURMILE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESW	6	6S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60064-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- POST DECREE

Status: **DISMISSED**

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS DISMISSED PURSUANT TO THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, FOREST SERVICE-MONTANA COMPACT.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60065-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: OCTOBER 14, 1944

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: FALLS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60066-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: OCTOBER 27, 1936

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: BRAMBLE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		S2NESW	26	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESW	26	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60067-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 1, 1941

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: FALLS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60068-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: JULY 22, 1930

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: FIREWATER CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENESW	14	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESW	14	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60069-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: JANUARY 1, 1938

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESW	23	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESW	23	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60070-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 20, 1946

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60071-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: JULY 23, 1936

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: FALLS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60072-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: JULY 24, 1939

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: FALLS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60073-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LANGWORTHY FAMILY TRUST
C/O BAKER, GREGORY S - TRUSTEE
3213 W WHEELER ST # 111
SEATTLE, WA 98199-3245

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1944

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF FALLS CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60074-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 7, 1934

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: FALLS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60075-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: OCTOBER 26, 1921

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: PUMP

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SWNW	14	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNW	14	4S	12E	PARK
2			SENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60076-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: APRIL 14, 1930

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: FALLS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60077-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: JANUARY 25, 1926

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: RASPBERRY CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		S2SESE	14	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

BUCKETS OR OTHER CONTAINERS

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESE	14	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60078-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: APRIL 4, 1925

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: BLAKELY CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSW	25	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSW	25	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60079-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 15, 1939

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: FALLS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60080-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: JULY 15, 1981

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): COMMERCIAL

Flow Rate: 4.49 GPM

Volume: 1.00 AC-FT

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSW	25	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO AUGUST 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSW	25	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60081-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: JULY 2, 1957

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): COMMERCIAL

Flow Rate: 4.49 GPM

Volume: 1.00 AC-FT

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60082-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 15, 1931

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): COMMERCIAL

Flow Rate: 44.88 GPM

Volume: 1.00 AC-FT

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENE	15	4S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60083-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		S2SWNW	30	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNW	30	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

PURSUANT TO WATER COURT ORDER, IF NO OBJECTIONS TO THIS CLAIM ARE FILED, THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE OF 89.77 GPM WILL BE REINSTATED.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60084-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF HANNA CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESW	36	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESW	36	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE SPRING BOX CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60085-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF HANNA CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNE	36	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60086-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	26	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESE	26	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BAKER DRAW

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWNW	27	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

***Place of Use:**

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1			SWNW	27	3S	12E	PARK

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WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

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Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNW	34	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

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1			SWNW	34	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60089-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

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WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESW	34	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60090-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

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26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CHERRY CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSW	9	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

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Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF HAPPY JACK GULCH

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSW	4	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CASTLE CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

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Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60093-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOHEE CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNE	18	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNE	18	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

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Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CORKER CANYON

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSW	8	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CONANT CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWNE	8	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

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1			NWNE	8	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

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Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

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WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
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MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CORKER CANYON

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESW	17	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

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Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

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WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

***Priority Date:** MARCH 4, 1891

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CASTLE CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESW	19	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

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Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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1		SWNE	19	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60099-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

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Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CHERRY CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESE	4	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 60100-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOHEE CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENW	18	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENW	18	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE SPRING BOX CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

PURSUANT TO WATER COURT ORDER, IF NO OBJECTIONS TO THIS CLAIM ARE FILED, THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE OF 89.77 GPM WILL BE REINSTATED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60101-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOHEE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNW	8	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNW	8	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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SOURCE WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60102-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: OCTOBER 20, 1946

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: GRAHAM CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENE	23	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENE	23	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60103-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 10, 1931

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: BOHEE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNW	8	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNW	8	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60104-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CORKER CANYON

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWSW	8	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSWSW	8	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

PURSUANT TO WATER COURT ORDER, IF NO OBJECTIONS TO THIS CLAIM ARE FILED, THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE OF 44.89 GPM WILL BE REINSTATED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60105-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 44.88 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 5 - LOW

Maximum Acres: 15.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESW	23	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	15.00		NESW	23	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	15.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE SPRING BOX CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60106-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): COMMERCIAL

Flow Rate: 44.88 GPM

Volume: 1.00 AC-FT

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENW	32	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENW	32	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60107-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS SIMORIN SPRING

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNE	28	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNE	28	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60108-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ELK CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSE	26	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSE	26	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60109-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF HORSE CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSE	27	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSE	27	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60110-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ELK CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSW	25	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSW	25	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60111-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF FULLER GULCH

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSE	31	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60112-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SNOWSLIDE GULCH

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNW	8	4S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60113-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DRY FORK CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENW	7	4S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

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A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60114-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ENOS CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSW	7	3S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSW	7	3S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60115-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNW	1	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNW	1	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60116-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: HORSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENE	34	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENE	34	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60117-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: MAY 4, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: WEST SHEEP CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESE	36	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESE	36	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 60118-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: CREEK, DRY FORK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			12	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JULY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				12	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 81512-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MGMT)
5001 SOUTHGATE DR
BILLINGS, MT 59101-4669

Priority Date: APRIL 17, 1926

Type of Historical Right: RESERVED

Purpose (Use): WILDLIFE

***Flow Rate:** 0.50 GPM

***Volume:** 0.31 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	8	NESENW	31	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		8	SENW	31	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CAPACITY OF THE DIVERSION AND CONVEYANCE SYSTEM CANNOT BE DETERMINED AND THE FLOW RATE REMAINS AS ORIGINALLY CLAIMED. THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE CAN BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM THE FLOW RATE WILL BE DECREED AS CLAIMED, AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THIS CLAIM IS BASED ON PUBLIC WATER RESERVE NO. 107 CREATED BY EXECUTIVE ORDER DATED APRIL 17, 1926. IT IS NOT CLEAR IF THIS CLAIMED RIGHT IS A FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHT, BUT IF IT IS, IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THE PURPOSE CLAIMED WAS CONTEMPLATED BY SUCH A RESERVATION, OR IF THE AMOUNT OF WATER CLAIMED IS THE AMOUNT NECESSARY TO FULFILL THE PURPOSE OF THE RESERVATION.

THE VOLUME OF THIS CLAIM CANNOT BE DETERMINED FROM AVAILABLE INFORMATION, AND VOLUME REMAINS AS ORIGINALLY CLAIMED. THE CLAIMED VOLUME CAN BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM THE VOLUME WILL BE DECREED AS CLAIMED, AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 81513-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MGMT)
5001 SOUTHGATE DR
BILLINGS, MT 59101-4669

***Priority Date:** OCTOBER 15, 1892

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** 0.50 GPM

***Volume:** 0.31 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	8		31	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		8		31	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE IN THE NESENW SEC 31 TWP 2S RGE 13E SWEET GRASS COUNTY.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 100892-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MCGUANE JOINT LIVING TRUST
234 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8612

Priority Date: JUNE 19, 1963

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWNE	18	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSWNE	18	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 100893-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: JUNE 19, 1963

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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1		NWSWNW	15	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: JUNE 19, 1963

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNWNE	15	3S	12E	PARK

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Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 100895-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MCGUANE JOINT LIVING TRUST
234 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8612

Priority Date: JUNE 19, 1963

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102616-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: COURTNEY RUE
PO BOX 700
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0700

Priority Date: AUGUST 10, 1892

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER

Flow Rate: 52.87 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 3.11

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWNW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.35		SWNW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	1.76		SWNW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	3.11						

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THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS AUGUST 8, 1892.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102617-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: COURTNEY RUE
PO BOX 700
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0700

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1928

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 25.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 1.76

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWNW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.76		NWSWNW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.76						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102618-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: COURTNEY RUE
PO BOX 700
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0700

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1965

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 25.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 1.35

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWNW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.35		NWSWNW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.35						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102621-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LAUBACH, ALICE TRUST
1009 HIGHWAY 10 W
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8025

Priority Date: MAY 15, 1944

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 4.63 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 262.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	25.00		E2NE	25	1N	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	65.00		E2SE	25	1N	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	40.00		SWNW	30	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	116.00		SW	30	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	16.00		NWNW	31	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	262.00						

Remarks:

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

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SPLIT CLAIM NO. 43BJ 30069242 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN CHANGED THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE, IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF 03/30/1987, A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102622-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LAUBACH, ALICE TRUST
1009 HIGHWAY 10 W
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8025

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1901

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 4.63 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 262.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	116.00		SW	30	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	40.00		SWNW	30	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	16.00		NWNW	31	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	65.00		E2SE	25	1N	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	25.00		E2NE	25	1N	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	262.00						

Remarks:

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

102621-00 102622-00

SPLIT CLAIM NO. 43BJ 30069243 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102688-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 15, 1972

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWNE	10	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESWNE	10	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102689-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 15, 1972

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENW	10	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102690-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1948

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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BASIN 43BJ

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 102806-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: DECEMBER 21, 1962

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWSE	9	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSWSE	9	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102807-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	18	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: FOSTER-RULE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			S2SE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2				16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102808-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVID GRUSIN
700 GARCIA ST
SANTA FE, NM 87505-2860

Priority Date: JUNE 7, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENW	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: FOSTER-RULE-WORK DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			S2S2	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102809-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVID GRUSIN
700 GARCIA ST
SANTA FE, NM 87505-2860

Priority Date: MAY 13, 1973

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: MULTIPLE

Ditch Name: RULE-WORK DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			SW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102812-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVID GRUSIN
700 GARCIA ST
SANTA FE, NM 87505-2860

Priority Date: DECEMBER 21, 1962

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EDGAR GULCH

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNE	9	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENWNE	9	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102818-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVID GRUSIN
700 GARCIA ST
SANTA FE, NM 87505-2860

Priority Date: DECEMBER 21, 1962

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESENE	8	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESENE	8	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102819-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVID GRUSIN
700 GARCIA ST
SANTA FE, NM 87505-2860

Priority Date: DECEMBER 21, 1962

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Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESESE	8	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102820-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVID GRUSIN
700 GARCIA ST
SANTA FE, NM 87505-2860

Priority Date: DECEMBER 21, 1962

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	8	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESESE	8	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102823-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: DECEMBER 21, 1962

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM.

Volume: THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	9	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWSW	9	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102824-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: DECEMBER 21, 1962

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESENW	9	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESENW	9	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102825-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: DECEMBER 21, 1962

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNE	9	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWNE	9	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102826-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: DECEMBER 21, 1962

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESE	9	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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Remarks:

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 102827-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: AUGUST 8, 1892

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: LOASBY DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			NW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 36412-00, 43BJ 102827-00.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 102828-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: DECEMBER 17, 1916

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): GEOTHERMAL

Flow Rate: 1.50 CFS

Volume: 1,086.00 AC-FT

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWNW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSWNW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 103623-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
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	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	GLYNNA W FREEMAN PO BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
	LEE A FREEMAN JR PO BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
	FREEMAN, JR LEE A IRREVOCABLE FAMILY TRUST %MASTER KEY RANCH 22 BRIGHT LN WILSALL, MT 59086
	MASTER KEY RANCH P.O. BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
Priority Date:	JULY 1, 1935
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	STOCK
***Flow Rate:**	A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.
***Volume:**	THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.
***Source Name:**	SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			7	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

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1				7	3S	12E	PARK

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 103624-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
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	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	GLYNNA W FREEMAN PO BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
	LEE A FREEMAN JR PO BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
	FREEMAN, JR LEE A IRREVOCABLE FAMILY TRUST %MASTER KEY RANCH 22 BRIGHT LN WILSALL, MT 59086
	MASTER KEY RANCH P.O. BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
Priority Date:	JULY 1, 1935
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	STOCK
***Flow Rate:**	A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.
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***Source Name:**	SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			7	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

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1				7	3S	12E	PARK

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 103625-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
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	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	GLYNNA W FREEMAN PO BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
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	MASTER KEY RANCH P.O. BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
Priority Date:	JULY 1, 1935
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	STOCK
***Flow Rate:**	A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.
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Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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1			7	3S	12E	PARK

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 103636-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
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	Status: ACTIVE
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	FREEMAN, JR LEE A IRREVOCABLE FAMILY TRUST %MASTER KEY RANCH 22 BRIGHT LN WILSALL, MT 59086
	MASTER KEY RANCH P.O. BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
Priority Date:	OCTOBER 27, 1917
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	STOCK
***Flow Rate:**	A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.
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Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SE	18	3S	12E	PARK

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Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

***Place of Use:**

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 103637-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CASSIDY B FREEMAN
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

DAVID W RUTTENBERG
55 E MONROE ST SUITE 3950
CHICAGO, IL 60603

MASTER KEY RANCH
P.O. BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

Priority Date: OCTOBER 27, 1917

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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1		SWNESE	18	3S	12E	PARK

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THE PLACE OF USE APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE PLACE OF USE APPEARS TO BE SW NE SE SEC 18 TWP 3S RGE 12E PARK COUNTY.

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	Status: ACTIVE
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Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	STOCK
***Flow Rate:**	A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.
***Volume:**	THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.
Source Name:	UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			18	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				18	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 103642-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	GLYNNA W FREEMAN PO BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
	LEE A FREEMAN JR PO BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
	FREEMAN, JR LEE A IRREVOCABLE FAMILY TRUST %MASTER KEY RANCH 22 BRIGHT LN WILSALL, MT 59086
	MASTER KEY RANCH P.O. BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
Priority Date:	OCTOBER 27, 1917
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	STOCK
***Flow Rate:**	A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.
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Source Name:	UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			18	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				18	3S	12E	PARK

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 103644-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	GLYNNA W FREEMAN PO BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
	LEE A FREEMAN JR PO BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
	FREEMAN, JR LEE A IRREVOCABLE FAMILY TRUST %MASTER KEY RANCH 22 BRIGHT LN WILSALL, MT 59086
	MASTER KEY RANCH P.O. BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
Priority Date:	OCTOBER 27, 1917
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	STOCK
***Flow Rate:**	A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.
***Volume:**	THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.
Source Name:	UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			18	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				18	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 103647-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	GLYNNA W FREEMAN PO BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
	LEE A FREEMAN JR PO BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
	FREEMAN, JR LEE A IRREVOCABLE FAMILY TRUST %MASTER KEY RANCH 22 BRIGHT LN WILSALL, MT 59086
	MASTER KEY RANCH P.O. BOX 1295 LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295
Priority Date:	OCTOBER 27, 1917
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	STOCK
***Flow Rate:**	A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.
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Source Name:	UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			18	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				18	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 103651-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: GLYNNA W FREEMAN
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

LEE A FREEMAN JR
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

FREEMAN, JR LEE A IRREVOCABLE FAMILY TRUST
%MASTER KEY RANCH
22 BRIGHT LN
WILSALL, MT 59086

MASTER KEY RANCH
P.O. BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): FISH AND WILDLIFE

Flow Rate: 10.00 GPM

Volume: 16.20 AC-FT

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESENW	7	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				7	3S	12E	PARK
2				12	3S	11E	PARK
3				1	3S	11E	PARK
4				18	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CAPACITY OF THE DIVERSION AND CONVEYANCE SYSTEM CANNOT BE DETERMINED AND THE FLOW RATE REMAINS AS ORIGINALLY CLAIMED. THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE CAN BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM THE FLOW RATE WILL BE DECREED AS CLAIMED, AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE VOLUME OF THIS CLAIM CANNOT BE DETERMINED FROM AVAILABLE INFORMATION, AND VOLUME REMAINS AS ORIGINALLY CLAIMED. THE CLAIMED VOLUME CAN BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM THE VOLUME WILL BE DECREED AS CLAIMED, AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 103652-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CASSIDY B FREEMAN
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

LEE A FREEMAN JR
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

MASTER KEY RANCH
P.O. BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): FISH AND WILDLIFE

Flow Rate: 10.00 GPM

Volume: 16.20 AC-FT

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENENW	7	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				7	3S	12E	PARK
2				12	3S	11E	PARK
3				1	3S	11E	PARK
4				18	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 103653-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CASSIDY B FREEMAN
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

LEE A FREEMAN JR
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

MASTER KEY RANCH
P.O. BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): FISH AND WILDLIFE

Flow Rate: 10.00 GPM

Volume: 16.20 AC-FT

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNW	7	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				7	3S	12E	PARK
2				12	3S	11E	PARK
3				1	3S	11E	PARK
4				18	3S	12E	PARK

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 103663-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CASSIDY B FREEMAN
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

LEE A FREEMAN JR
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

MASTER KEY RANCH
P.O. BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1917

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): FISH AND WILDLIFE

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

Volume: 5.74 AC-FT

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSE	18	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

THE MEANS OF DIVERSION IS A PRIVATE POND.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				18	3S	12E	PARK
2				7	3S	12E	PARK
3				12	3S	11E	PARK
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Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 103664-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CASSIDY B FREEMAN
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

LEE A FREEMAN JR
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

MASTER KEY RANCH
P.O. BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1917

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): FISH AND WILDLIFE

***Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

Volume: 16.20 AC-FT

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNESE	18	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

THE MEANS OF DIVERSION IS A WOODEN TROUGH.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				18	3S	12E	PARK
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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 103667-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CASSIDY B FREEMAN
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

LEE A FREEMAN JR
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

MASTER KEY RANCH
P.O. BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1917

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): FISH AND WILDLIFE

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

Volume: 2.90 AC-FT

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSE	18	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

THE MEANS OF DIVERSION IS A PRIVATE POND.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 103669-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CASSIDY B FREEMAN
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

LEE A FREEMAN JR
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

MASTER KEY RANCH
P.O. BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1917

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): FISH AND WILDLIFE

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

Volume: 5.74 AC-FT

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

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1		NWNWSE	18	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

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Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 103670-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CASSIDY B FREEMAN
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

LEE A FREEMAN JR
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

MASTER KEY RANCH
P.O. BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1917

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): FISH AND WILDLIFE

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

Volume: 5.74 AC-FT

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

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Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

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Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 103674-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: GLYNNA W FREEMAN
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

LEE A FREEMAN JR
PO BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

FREEMAN, JR LEE A IRREVOCABLE FAMILY TRUST
%MASTER KEY RANCH
22 BRIGHT LN
WILSALL, MT 59086

MASTER KEY RANCH
P.O. BOX 1295
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1295

Priority Date: OCTOBER 17, 1917

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): FISH AND WILDLIFE

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

Volume: 2.90 AC-FT

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

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Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

THE MEANS OF DIVERSION IS A PRIVATE POND.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106277-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 30, 1908

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENW	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: RULE-WORK DITCH

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			N2NW	21	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

DITCH NAME APPEARS TO BE FOSTER-WORK-RULE

THE MEANS OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE MEANS OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE A HEADGATE.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN CHANGED THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE, IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF 03/30/1987, A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106278-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM.

Volume: THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSW	28	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSW	28	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106279-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM.

Volume: THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWSE	29	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSWSE	29	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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SOURCE WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106280-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1951

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWSE	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

PLACE OF USE WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106281-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: OCTOBER 15, 1895

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SE	21	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SE	21	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106282-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: JULY 1, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 11.37 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 300.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: RULE-WORK DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	70.00		SE	21	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	15.00		NE	21	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	108.00		SW	22	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	107.00		NW	22	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	300.00						

Remarks:

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

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106283-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1908

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 11.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 350.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENW	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: FOSTER-RULE-WORK DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	65.00		NE	21	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	65.00		SE	21	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	65.00		NW	22	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	65.00		SW	22	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	10.00		NW	27	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
6	80.00		NE	28	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	350.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106284-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: JUNE 14, 1973

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 10.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 300.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: RULE-WORK DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	70.00		SE	21	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	15.00		NE	21	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	108.00		SW	22	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	107.00		NW	22	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	300.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106285-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LINDA M MCMULLEN
1412 RAPELJE RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: APRIL 12, 1900

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.75 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 135.00

***Source Name:** SPRING CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESESE	31	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BUNSTON FLOOD

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	24.00		NE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	59.00		SE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	33.00		SW	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	19.00		NW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	135.00						

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106286-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LINDA M MCMULLEN
1412 RAPELJE RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1949

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 10.15 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 135.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MCLEOD MUTUAL DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	24.00		NE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	59.00		SE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	33.00		SW	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	19.00		NW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	135.00						

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106287-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LINDA M MCMULLEN
1412 RAPELJE RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

***Priority Date:** APRIL 22, 1889

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 4.30 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 135.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MCLEOD MUTUAL DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	24.00		NE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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3	33.00		SW	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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Total:	135.00						

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106288-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: MAY 16, 1899

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 85.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 5.00

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSW	28	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO DECEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5.00		SESW	28	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	5.00						

Remarks:

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THE POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE HAVE BEEN CHANGED THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE THEY WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF STATE LANDS WAS AMENDED BY MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF STATE LANDS TO INCLUDE POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE HEADGATE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE SOURCE DESCRIBED ON THE FILED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED SOURCE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106289-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: OCTOBER 15, 1895

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 3.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 1.00

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSE	21	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.00		NENWSE	21	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.00						

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 106321-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 15, 1912

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: BRUFFEY DITCH

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2NE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2			SWNE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
3			SENW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
4			NESW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
5			NWNW	18	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE PLACE OF USE LEGAL DESCRIPTIONS WERE AMENDED BY THE WATER COURT PURSUANT TO SECTION 85 -2-233(6), MCA.

SPLIT CLAIM NO. 43BJ 30120510 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 106321-00, 43BJ 106327-00, 43BJ 30120515.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 106322-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: MAY 16, 1889

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: MUTUAL DITCH

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
3			N2NW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
4			SWNW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
5			SENE	14	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
6			E2SE	14	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
7			E2NE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

SPLIT CLAIM NO. 43BJ 30120511 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED E. O. CLARK NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS APRIL 22, 1889.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106323-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: DECEMBER 11, 1907

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2NW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		N2SW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

3		E2SE	14	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				
4		E2NE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				
5		NESE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				
6		NWSW	24	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2NW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2			N2SW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
3			E2SE	14	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
4			E2NE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
5			NESE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
6			NWSW	24	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

SPLIT CLAIM NO. 43BJ 30120512 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106324-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: DECEMBER 27, 1963

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSE	14	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENWSE	14	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

SOURCE WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 106325-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1949

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 8.00 CFS

THE FLOW RATE OF WATER RIGHTS 43BJ 106325-00 AND 43BJ 30120513 ARE SHARED PURSUANT TO THE SUPPLEMENT TO PART B PARAGRAPH 2, DNRC FORM 641 FILED ON MARCH 6, 2018. THIS SUPPLEMENT IS LOCATED IN EACH CLAIM FILE.

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 59.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BRUFFEY DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	11.00		NENE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	13.00		NWNE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
3	12.00		N2SWNE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
4	2.00		NENENW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
5	7.00		SENENW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
6	13.00		SENW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
7	1.00		NWNWNW	18	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	59.00						

Remarks:

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

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SPLIT CLAIM NO. 43BJ 30120513 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE FLOW RATE HAS BEEN CHANGED EVEN THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF WALTER A HAAS, JR WAS AMENDED BY WALTER A HAAS, JR TO INCLUDE FLOW RATE. BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 106326-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1949

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 10.15 CFS

THE FLOW RATE OF WATER RIGHTS 43BJ 106326-00 AND 43BJ 30120514 ARE SHARED PURSUANT TO THE SUPPLEMENT TO PART B, PARAGRAPH 2, DNRC FORM 641 FILED ON 03/06/2018. THIS SUPPLEMENT IS LOCATED IN EACH CLAIM FILE.

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 115.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MCLEOD MUTUAL DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	9.00		S2NENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	3.00		NESENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
3	2.00		SESENE	14	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
4	17.00		NESE	14	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
5	13.00		W2NENW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
6	11.00		E2NWNW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
7	35.00		SWNW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
8	8.00		W2SENW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
9	17.00		NWSW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	115.00						

Remarks:

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

106326-00 106332-00 106333-00

SPLIT CLAIM NO. 43BJ 30120514 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF WALTER A HAAS, JR WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE FLOW RATE. BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE FLOW RATE HAS BEEN CHANGED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 1389, BOZEMAN, MT 59771-1389.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 106327-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 15, 1912

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 5.00 CFS

THE FLOW RATE OF WATER RIGHTS 43BJ 106327-00 AND 43BJ 30120515 ARE SHARED PURSUANT TO THE SUPPLEMENT TO PART B, PARAGRAPH 2, DNRC FORM 641 FILED ON 03/06/2018. THIS SUPPLEMENT IS LOCATED IN EACH CLAIM FILE.

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 59.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BRUFFEY DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	11.00		NENE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	13.00		NWNE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
3	12.00		N2SWNE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
4	2.00		NENENW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
5	7.00		SENENW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
6	13.00		SENW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
7	1.00		NWNWNW	18	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	59.00						

Remarks:

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

106325-00 106327-00 106328-00

SPLIT CLAIM NO. 43BJ 30120515 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE FLOW RATE HAS BEEN CHANGED EVEN THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF WALTER A HAAS, JR WAS AMENDED BY WALTER A HAAS, JR TO INCLUDE FLOW RATE. BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 106321-00, 43BJ 106327-00, 43BJ 30120515.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 1389, BOZEMAN, MT 59771-1389.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 106328-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: DECEMBER 11, 1902

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 2.50 CFS

THE FLOW RATE OF WATER RIGHTS 43BJ 106328-00 AND 43BJ 30120516 ARE SHARED PURSUANT TO THE SUPPLEMENT TO PART B, PARAGRAPH 2, DNRC FORM 641 FILED ON 03/06/2018. THIS SUPPLEMENT IS LOCATED IN EACH CLAIM FILE.

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 59.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BRUFFEY DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	11.00		NENE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	13.00		NWNE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
3	12.00		N2SWNE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
4	2.00		NENENW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
5	7.00		SENENW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
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Total:	59.00						

Remarks:

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106325-00 106327-00 106328-00

SPLIT CLAIM NO. 43BJ 30120516 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106329-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: MAY 15, 1884

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.90 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 50.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5.00		S2NENE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	11.00		S2SWNE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
3	17.00		SENE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
4	3.00		S2SENW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
5	11.00		NESW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
6	3.00		N2NWSE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	50.00						

Remarks:

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106329-00 106330-00 106331-00

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106330-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: APRIL 17, 1899

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.90 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 50.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5.00		S2NENE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	11.00		S2SWNE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
3	17.00		SENE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
4	3.00		S2SENW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
5	11.00		NESW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
6	3.00		N2NWSE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	50.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 106331-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 15, 1909

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.90 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 50.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5.00		S2NENE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	11.00		S2SWNE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
3	17.00		SENE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
4	3.00		S2SENW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
5	11.00		NESW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
6	3.00		N2NWSE	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	50.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106332-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

***Priority Date:** APRIL 22, 1889

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 2.50 CFS

THE FLOW RATE OF WATER RIGHTS 43BJ 106332-00 AND 43BJ 30120517 ARE SHARED PURSUANT TO THE SUPPLEMENT TO PART B, PARAGRAPH 2, DNRC FORM 641 FILED ON 03/06/2018. THIS SUPPLEMENT IS LOCATED IN EACH CLAIM FILE.

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 78.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MCLEOD MUTUAL DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
3	13.00		W2NENW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
4	11.00		E2NWNW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
5	8.00		W2SENW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
6	35.00		SWNW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
7	11.00		NWSW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	78.00						

Remarks:

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SPLIT CLAIM NO. 43BJ 30120517 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106333-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

***Priority Date:** APRIL 22, 1889

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 37.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MCLEOD MUTUAL DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	9.00		S2NENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	3.00		NESENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
3	2.00		SESENE	14	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
4	17.00		NESE	14	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
5	6.00		NWNWSW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	37.00						

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106334-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1886

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 5.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 2.00

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.00		NWNWSW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	2.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106335-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1928

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 3.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 1.00

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.00		NENWSW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 106336-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1960

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 3.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 1.00

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.00		SESWNW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 106350-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	CONNIE S SHIPMAN PO BOX 652 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0652
	MICHAEL J SHIPMAN PO BOX 652 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0652
	WINDBREAK RANCH LLC PO BOX 944 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	LAUBACH, ALICE TRUST 1009 HIGHWAY 10 W BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8025
Priority Date:	MAY 1, 1901
Type of Historical Right:	DECREED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	1.25 CFS
Volume:	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	444.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	120.00	1	NE	30	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	152.00		SE	30	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	15.00		NE	31	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	40.00		SW	30	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	80.00		NW	30	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	37.00		NW	31	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	444.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 106351-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	CONNIE S SHIPMAN PO BOX 652 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0652
	MICHAEL J SHIPMAN PO BOX 652 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0652
	WINDBREAK RANCH LLC PO BOX 944 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	LAUBACH, ALICE TRUST 1009 HIGHWAY 10 W BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8025
Priority Date:	MAY 15, 1944
Type of Historical Right:	DECREED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	1.25 CFS
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	444.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	120.00	1	NE	30	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	80.00		NW	30	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	152.00		SE	30	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	40.00		SW	30	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	15.00		NE	31	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	37.00		NW	31	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	444.00						

Remarks:

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

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111495-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: MAY 5, 1949

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	23	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: MCLEOD MUTUAL DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NE	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111496-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LINDA M MCMULLEN
1412 RAPELJE RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: MAY 5, 1949

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SE	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2			5	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
3			SE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SE	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2				5	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3			SE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111497-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: MAY 5, 1949

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: TOLHURST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111502-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: MAY 5, 1949

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			N2	8	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			SW	9	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111503-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: MAY 5, 1949

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111509-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: MAY 5, 1949

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESESE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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SOURCE AND PLACE OF USE WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111510-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: JUNE 23, 1910

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSW	2	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENWSW	2	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111512-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: JULY 1, 1895

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

Flow Rate: 7.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 647.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	35.00		NE	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	38.00		NW	8	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	18.00		NE	8	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	78.00		SE	8	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	64.00		SW	5	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
6	96.00		NE	5	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
7	28.00		NW	5	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
8	128.00		SW	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
9	136.00		SE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
10	20.00		SW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
11	6.00		SE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	647.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111513-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: JULY 16, 1908

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 4.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 647.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	35.00		NE	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	38.00		NW	8	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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9	136.00		SE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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11	6.00		SE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	647.00						

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111514-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: JULY 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

Flow Rate: 3.75 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 647.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 39333-00, 43BJ 39336-00, 43BJ 40296-00, 43BJ 111514-00.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111515-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: MARCH 1, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.88 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 647.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

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Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111516-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: OCTOBER 28, 1890

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

Flow Rate: 7.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 647.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	35.00		NE	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	38.00		NW	8	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	18.00		NE	8	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	78.00		SE	5	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	64.00		SW	5	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
6	96.00		NE	5	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
7	28.00		NW	5	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
8	128.00		SW	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
9	136.00		SE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
10	20.00		SW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
11	6.00		SE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	647.00						

Remarks:

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 40298-00, 43BJ 111516-00, 43BJ 120282-00.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111517-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: JULY 4, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 3.75 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 647.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

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Total:	647.00						

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111518-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: APRIL 4, 1895

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 3.75 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 647.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	35.00		NE	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111519-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1950

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

Flow Rate: 15.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 647.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

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Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

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Total:	647.00						

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111520-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners: CURTIN, PAULA SANDT REVOCABLE TRUST
CURTAIN, PAULA SANDT TRUSTEE
PO BOX 157
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1389

ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 11/25/86.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111521-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 146.00

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENENE	9	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	45.00		SW	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	95.00		NE	5	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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Total:	146.00						

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111522-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: JUNE 30, 1894

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 143.00

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENENE	9	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	45.00		SW	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	92.00		NE	5	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	6.00		SE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	143.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 31118-00, 43BJ 111522-00.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111523-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: OCTOBER 2, 1894

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 2.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 18.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: TOLHURST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	18.00		SW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	18.00						

Remarks:

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THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE IN THE NWSENW SEC 10 TWP 03S RGE 13E SWEETGRASS COUNTY. SEE DNRC MEMORANDUM DATED 03/30/1987.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111524-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: APRIL 22, 1889

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 4.92 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 216.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MCLEOD MUTUAL DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	128.00		NE	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	30.00		SE	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	40.00		NW	5	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	12.00		SW	5	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	6.00		NW	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	216.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111526-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1949

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 10.15 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 216.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MCLEOD MUTUAL DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	128.00		NE	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	30.00		SE	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	40.00		NW	5	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	12.00		SW	5	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	6.00		NW	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	216.00						

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 111529-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ENGLE RANCH INC
2083 BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: MAY 5, 1949

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 5.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.25

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: FLOWING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.25		SESESE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.25						

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 112019-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BRIAN MCGEEHAN LLC
76 LUCILLE LN
BOZEMAN, MT 59718

Priority Date: MARCH 1, 1967

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 25.50 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 1.50

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: DE HART DITCH

Period of Use: MARCH 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.50		NENWNE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.50						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE FLOW RATE OF THIS CLAIM HAS BEEN REDUCED TO 17 GPM PER ACRE. THE FLOW RATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 112024-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BLACK BUTTE HOLDINGS LLC
% GEORGE MATELICH
6 WILDWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

Priority Date: APRIL 1, 1898

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSW	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: SMOOT DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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MEANS OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 112025-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BLACK BUTTE HOLDINGS LLC
% GEORGE MATELICH
6 WILDWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CREST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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112025-00 112026-00

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 112026-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BLACK BUTTE HOLDINGS LLC
% GEORGE MATELICH
6 WILDWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.14 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 56.40

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CREST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3.40		NENESW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	15.30		NWSE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	37.70		SWNE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	56.40						

Remarks:

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112025-00 112026-00

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 112027-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BLACK BUTTE HOLDINGS LLC
% GEORGE MATELICH
6 WILDWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

Priority Date: APRIL 1, 1898

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 121.18 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 7.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSW	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: SMOOT DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	7.00		NWSE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	7.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 112111-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: JULY 15, 1959

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNE	29	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENWNE	29	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 112112-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: JULY 15, 1959

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSE	29	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSWSE	29	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

YOUR WATER RIGHT AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT MAY HAVE *CHANGES* FROM YOUR WATER RIGHT AS CLAIMED OR AMENDED. AN ASTERISK (*) HAS BEEN PLACED NEXT TO EACH ITEM CHANGED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR BY THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT WATER RIGHT CLAIMS EXAMINATION RULES OR BY ORDER OF THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 114697-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 6 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	DRY CREEK CANAL CO %DAN SANDERS 503 HIGHWAY 10 E BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8043
Priority Date:	AUGUST 15, 1902
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	SPRINKLER/FLOOD
Flow Rate:	105.00 CFS
	THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR CLAIMS 43BJ 114697-00 & 43BJ 114698-00 IS LIMITED TO THE HISTORIC CAPACITY OF THE DIVERSION STRUCTURE AND CONVEYANCE SYSTEM.
Volume:	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	5,110.00
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County

1		SENWNE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: DRY CREEK CANAL CO. DITCH

THE FOLLOWING ARE UTILIZED AS NATURAL CARRIERS FOR THE WATER DELIVERED UNDER THIS WATER RIGHT BY THE DRY CREEK CANAL COMPANY:
1. DRY CREEK FROM SENWNW TO SWNENW SEC 32 T1N R15E
2. MILLIGAN CREEK FROM NENWSE TO SWSENE SEC 33 T1N R15E
3. UPPER DEER CREEK IN THE NENESW SEC 10 T1S R15E
4. UPPER DEER CREEK IN THE SENENW SEC 2 T1S R15E
5. UPPER DEER CREEK FROM SENENW SEC 2 T1S R15E TO SENESE SEC 34 T1N R15E

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2			SW	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3			E2	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4				35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5				26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
6			SW	25	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
7			N2	25	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
8			E2	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
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16			NW	5	1S	15E	SWEET GRASS
17			N2	4	1S	15E	SWEET GRASS
18				3	1S	15E	SWEET GRASS
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20			NW	11	1S	15E	SWEET GRASS
21			W2	2	1S	15E	SWEET GRASS
22			NE	2	1S	15E	SWEET GRASS
23			N2	1	1S	15E	SWEET GRASS
24			S2	36	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
25				35	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
26				34	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
27				33	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
28				32	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
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A TOTAL OF 5,110.00 ACRES MAY BE IRRIGATED DURING ANY GIVEN IRRIGATION SEASON WITH THE HISTORIC SERVICE AREA.

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TWP RGE SECTIONS
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Remarks:

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

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THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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THE COMPLETE SET OF DOCUMENTATION, MAPS AND OTHER RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE OBTAINED BY REVIEWING FILE NO. 43BJ 114696-00.

PARENT FILE FOR THIS RIGHT IS 114696-00.

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

DITCH NAME AND POINT OF DIVERSION WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 114698-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 5 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	DRY CREEK CANAL CO %DAN SANDERS 503 HIGHWAY 10 E BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8043
Priority Date:	OCTOBER 1, 1897
Type of Historical Right:	DECREED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	SPRINKLER/FLOOD
***Flow Rate:**	80.00 CFS
	THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR CLAIMS 43BJ 114697-00 AND 43BJ 114698-00 IS LIMITED TO THE HISTORIC CAPACITY OF THE DIVERSION STRUCTURE AND CONVEYANCE SYSTEM.
***Volume:**	22,240.00 AC-FT
	THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	5,110.00
***Source Name:**	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

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Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: DRY CREEK CANAL CO. DITCH

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Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

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T1S R15E SEC1, 2

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T1N R14E SEC34

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Remarks:

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PARENT FILE FOR THIS RIGHT IS 114696-00.

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF DRY CREEK CANAL CO WAS AMENDED BY DRY CREEK CANAL CO TO INCLUDE FLOW RATE BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THESE CHANGES MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 114698-00, 43BJ 114699-00.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 114699-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 4 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DRY CREEK CANAL CO
%DAN SANDERS
503 HIGHWAY 10 E
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8043

Priority Date: OCTOBER 1, 1897

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

Volume: THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWNE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: DITCH

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Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 114700-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 4 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NANCY L ROE
604 W 4TH AVE
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-7989

Priority Date: MARCH 1, 1884

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 13.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 0.75

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELECTRIC LIGHT DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.75		NWNWNW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.75						

Remarks:

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THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN CHANGED THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF MARCH 30, 1987, A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

ACCORDING TO CADASTRAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP RECORDS, AS OF 08/27/2014 , THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY WAIDE & TIFFANY SATRE, PO BOX 593, BIG TIMBER, MT, 59011-0593.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE 366, SWEET GRASS CASE NO COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 114701-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MICKEY L WARD
PO BOX 208
TWO DOT, MT 59085

Priority Date: MARCH 1, 1884

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.88 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 78.40

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3	NWNWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELECTRIC LIGHT DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	27.13		NESE	15	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	40.00		NWSE	15	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	2.47		SWSE	15	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	8.80		NWSESE	15	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	78.40						

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 114702-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	LARSON DOWNEY LLC 1304 STEELE ST BUTTE, MT 59701
Priority Date:	MARCH 1, 1884
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	278.26 GPM
Volume:	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	16.36
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3	NWNWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion:	MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31
Diversion Means:	HEADGATE
Ditch Name:	ELECTRIC LIGHT DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	16.36		SWSE	15	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	16.36						

Remarks:

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 114706-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 5 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ROSE BLUE LLC
999 VANDERBILT BEACH RD STE 703
NAPLES, FL 34108-3516

Priority Date: MARCH 1, 1884

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 81.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 4.70

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELECTRIC LIGHT DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.70		NESENE	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	2.00		SWNWNW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	4.70						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 114715-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	THEOREM RIVER LLC 12 CRESTWOOD DR HOUSTON, TX 77007
Priority Date:	JULY 27, 1903
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	7.77 CFS
Volume:	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	205.00
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3	NWNWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion:	MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1
Diversion Means:	HEADGATE
Ditch Name:	ELECTRIC LIGHT DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	30.00		NWNW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	20.00		SESW	15	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	40.00		SWSW	15	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	40.00		NWSW	15	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	40.00		NESW	15	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	10.00		SESENW	15	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
7	25.00		N2NE	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	205.00						

Remarks:

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT AND PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION TO SUPPORT THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT AND PRIORITY DATE WAS NOT SUBMITTED WITH THIS CLAIM.

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 114716-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	ROSE BLUE LLC 999 VANDERBILT BEACH RD STE 703 NAPLES, FL 34108-3516
Priority Date:	MARCH 1, 1884
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	1.00 CFS
Volume:	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	37.83
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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Ditch Name:	ELECTRIC LIGHT DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	21.00		NENE	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	6.00		NENWNE	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	10.83		S2SESE	15	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	37.83						

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BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 114717-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MARY E CREMER
189 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8017

WILLIAM J CREMER
189 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

MEMC REVOCABLE TRUST
CREMER, MARY E. TRUSTEE
89 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MARCH 1, 1884

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELECTRIC LIGHT DITCH

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 114718-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- POST DECREE

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JESSE JIMENEZ
1019 W MONTANA
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1615

Priority Date: MARCH 1, 1884

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 9.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 0.45

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELECTRIC LIGHT DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

ID		Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		0.09		NWNWNW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
	Subdivision:		MORTON ADD (BIG TIMBER)		TRACT/LOT: 7		BLOCK: 35	
2		0.09		NWNWNW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
	Subdivision:		MORTON ADD (BIG TIMBER)		TRACT/LOT: 8		BLOCK: 35	
3		0.09		NWNWNW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
	Subdivision:		MORTON ADD (BIG TIMBER)		TRACT/LOT: 9		BLOCK: 35	
4		0.09		NWNWNW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
	Subdivision:		MORTON ADD (BIG TIMBER)		TRACT/LOT: 10		BLOCK: 35	
5		0.09		NWNWNW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
	Subdivision:		MORTON ADD (BIG TIMBER)		TRACT/LOT: 11		BLOCK: 35	
Total:		0.45						

Remarks:

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THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN CHANGED THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE, IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF 03/30/1987, A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 114722-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: GEORGE R ROSTAD
37 BIG TIMBER LOOP RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

TERRI R ROSTAD
37 BIG TIMBER LOOP RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MARCH 1, 1884

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 224.40 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 13.15

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3	NWNWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELECTRIC LIGHT DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	13.15		NENW	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	13.15						

Remarks:

THIS WATER RIGHT WAS SUBJECT TO A CHANGE APPLICATION APPROVED BY THE MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION. THE MONTANA WATER COURT INCLUDED SOME OR ALL OF THE CHANGES APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT IN THE DECREE OF THIS WATER RIGHT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 114731-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KIMBERLY H SMITH
%KIMBERLY H COPELAND
22 FIDDLERS GREEN
CLANCY, MT 59634-9741

Priority Date: DECEMBER 15, 1892

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 7.50 CFS

Volume: 1,487.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 250.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	12	SWSWSE	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: DUNDAS DITCH

THIS DITCH IS ALSO KNOWN AS HAWKS DITCH.

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	160.00		SE	17	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
2	37.00		NESW	17	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
3	20.00		NWSW	17	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
4	33.00		SESW	17	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	250.00						

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 117862-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BLACK BUTTE HOLDINGS LLC
% GEORGE MATELICH
6 WILDWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1893

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 152.59 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 9.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CREST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	9.00		E2NE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	9.00						

Remarks:

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

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 117863-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BLACK BUTTE HOLDINGS LLC
% GEORGE MATELICH
6 WILDWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

Priority Date: OCTOBER 5, 1897

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

Volume: 56.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 14.00

Source Name: CLAUSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		N2NESE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

***Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

***Reservoir:** ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
	N2NESE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Dam Height: 13.00 FEET

Depth: 10.00 FEET

Surface Area: 0.41 ACRES

Capacity: 1.64 ACRE-FEET

THE RESERVOIR CAPACITY, DEPTH, SURFACE AREA AND DAM HEIGHT BEEN ESTIMATED BY DNRC.

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	14.00		E2NE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	14.00						

Remarks:

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

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMANT DID NOT IDENTIFY THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION FOR THIS RIGHT. A PERIOD OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN ADDED TO MATCH THE PERIOD OF USE. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE RECEIVED TO THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION OR PERIOD OF USE, THOSE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS ISSUE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THIS CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION AND RESERVOIR RECORD WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

THE CLAIMED VOLUME APPEARS TO BE EXCESSIVE FOR THE CLAIMED PURPOSE. THE CLAIMED VOLUME EQUALS 34.14 TIMES THE CAPACITY OF THE RESERVOIR.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 117864-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BLACK BUTTE HOLDINGS LLC
% GEORGE MATELICH
6 WILDWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

Priority Date: APRIL 1, 1898

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 2.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 15.50

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSW	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: SMOOT DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	15.50		E2NE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	15.50						

Remarks:

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

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THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 117864-00, 43BJ 117867-00.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 117865-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BLACK BUTTE HOLDINGS LLC
% GEORGE MATELICH
6 WILDWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

Priority Date: MARCH 19, 1904

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CLAUSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENESE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENESE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

SOURCE WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 117866-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BLACK BUTTE HOLDINGS LLC
% GEORGE MATELICH
6 WILDWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CREST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 117862-00, 43BJ 117866-00.

MEANS OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 117867-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BLACK BUTTE HOLDINGS LLC
% GEORGE MATELICH
6 WILDWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

Priority Date: APRIL 1, 1898

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSW	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: SMOOT DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE MEANS OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE MEANS OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE A HEADGATE.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN CHANGED THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE, IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF MARCH 30, 1987, A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 117864-00, 43BJ 117867-00.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 117868-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BLACK BUTTE HOLDINGS LLC
% GEORGE MATELICH
6 WILDWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

Priority Date: JULY 31, 1972

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): FISH AND WILDLIFE

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

Volume: 3.00 AC-FT

THE USE OF THIS WATER APPEARS TO BE LARGELY NONCONSUMPTIVE.

Source Name: CLAUSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENESE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

***Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN STANDARDIZED BY DNRC FOR THIS CLAIM.

Reservoir: ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
	NENESE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENESE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 117889-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: RED RADISH LLC
50 S MAIN ST STE 303
PROVIDENCE, RI 02903-2919

Priority Date: AUGUST 1, 1960

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		W2	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			W2	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			SE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 117890-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: RED RADISH LLC
50 S MAIN ST STE 303
PROVIDENCE, RI 02903-2919

Priority Date: AUGUST 1, 1960

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 15 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: DE HART DITCH

Period of Use: MARCH 15 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2SE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			W2	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN CHANGED THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE, IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF MARCH 30, 1987, A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 117891-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: RED RADISH LLC
50 S MAIN ST STE 303
PROVIDENCE, RI 02903-2919

Priority Date: JUNE 28, 1973

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

Flow Rate: 112.20 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 40.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Period of Diversion:	MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15					
Diversion Means:	PUMP					
2		NWSWSW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Period of Diversion:	MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15					
Diversion Means:	PUMP					
3		SWNWSW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

	Period of Diversion:	MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15					
	Diversion Means:	PUMP					
4			NWNWSW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15					
	Diversion Means:	PUMP					
5			SESWNW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15					
	Diversion Means:	PUMP					

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	35.00		SW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	5.00		NW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	40.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 117892-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: RED RADISH LLC
50 S MAIN ST STE 303
PROVIDENCE, RI 02903-2919

Priority Date: JUNE 28, 1973

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 2.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 40.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: DE HART DITCH

Period of Use: MARCH 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	35.00		SW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	5.00		NW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	40.00						

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 117893-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: RED RADISH LLC
50 S MAIN ST STE 303
PROVIDENCE, RI 02903-2919

Priority Date: MAY 10, 1889

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 6.36 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 40.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: DE HART DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	35.00		SW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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Total:	40.00						

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 117925-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LUPINE TRUST
% CARLSON, HANS K TRUSTEE
603 2ND ST
JACKSON, MN 56143

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1947

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 1.00

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		W2SE	12	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.00			25	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.00						

Remarks:

PLACE OF USE AND POINT OF DIVERSION ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 255.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 118074-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BOULDER VALLEY HOLDINGS LLC
C/O GEORGE E MATELICH
6 WILWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

Priority Date: APRIL 30, 1971

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 4.00 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 1.00

***Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS WELL NO. 2

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.00		NWNWNE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

CLAIM WAS IMPROPERLY DESIGNATED TO BASIN 43B . CLAIM WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 118075-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BOULDER VALLEY HOLDINGS LLC
C/O GEORGE E MATELICH
6 WILWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

Priority Date: AUGUST 31, 1972

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): LAWN AND GARDEN

Flow Rate: 25.00 GPM

Volume: 2.00 AC-FT

Maximum Acres: 1.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CREST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.00		NWNWNE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

MEANS OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 118076-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BOULDER VALLEY HOLDINGS LLC
C/O GEORGE E MATELICH
6 WILWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 1.00 CFS

***Volume:** 66.62 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 13.70

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: PUMP

Ditch Name: CREST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5.50		S2SWSE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	2.60		NWNE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	5.60		N2NWNE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	13.70						

THE PLACE OF USE DECREED TO THIS RIGHT INCLUDES AN EXPANSION OF PLACE OF USE OCCURING IN 1954.

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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THE MEANS OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE MEANS OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE A HEADGATE.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF CRAMERUS, INC WAS AMENDED BY CRAMERUS, INC TO INCLUDE MEANS OF DIVERSION. BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHT MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 118077-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BOULDER VALLEY HOLDINGS LLC
C/O GEORGE E MATELICH
6 WILWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Ditch Name: CREST DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWSW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 118078-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BOULDER VALLEY HOLDINGS LLC
C/O GEORGE E MATELICH
6 WILWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

Priority Date: JANUARY 3, 1917

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: WHISTLE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNW	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNWNW	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 118079-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: GEORGE E MATELICH
KELSO & CO
320 PARK AVE 24TH FLOOR
NEW YORK, NY 10022

***Priority Date:** MARCH 16, 1889

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWSE	16	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 118080-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BOULDER VALLEY HOLDINGS LLC
C/O GEORGE E MATELICH
6 WILWOOD CIR
LARCHMONT, NY 10538-3427

Priority Date: APRIL 1, 1899

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENENW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENENW	28	1S	15E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120149-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES E MCGEHEE III
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

JANET MCGEHEE
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 3, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENESE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENESE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

PLACE OF USE WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 1389, BOZEMAN, MT 59771-1389.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

YOUR WATER RIGHT AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT MAY HAVE *CHANGES* FROM YOUR WATER RIGHT AS CLAIMED OR AMENDED. AN ASTERISK (*) HAS BEEN PLACED NEXT TO EACH ITEM CHANGED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR BY THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT WATER RIGHT CLAIMS EXAMINATION RULES OR BY ORDER OF THE WATER COURT.

OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 120150-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES E MCGEHEE III
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

JANET MCGEHEE
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 28, 1905

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNW	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: LAMP-NELSON DITCH

Period of Use: MARCH 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 10197-00, 43BJ 11726-00, 43BJ 120150-00, 43BJ 120151-00, 43BJ 120207-00, 43BJ 125731 -00, 43BJ 125771-00, 43BJ 30160024.

MEANS OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

YOUR WATER RIGHT AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT MAY HAVE *CHANGES* FROM YOUR WATER RIGHT AS CLAIMED OR AMENDED. AN ASTERISK (*) HAS BEEN PLACED NEXT TO EACH ITEM CHANGED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR BY THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT WATER RIGHT CLAIMS EXAMINATION RULES OR BY ORDER OF THE WATER COURT.

OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 120151-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES E MCGEHEE III
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

JANET MCGEHEE
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 28, 1905

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 6.78 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 179.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNW	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: LAMP-NELSON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	36.00		SESW	35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	18.00		SWSW	35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	26.00		NWSE	35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	40.00		NESW	35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	37.00		SENW	35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	22.00		NWSW	35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	179.00						

Remarks:

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

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THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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THE POINT OF DIVERSION LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION AND DITCH NAME APPEARING ON THE 1993 AS MODIFIED ABSTRANT WERE CORRECTED BY THE WATER CORT PURSUANT TO RULE 60, M.R.CIV.P.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE FLOW RATE OF THIS CLAIM HAS BEEN REDUCED TO 17 GPM PER ACRE. THE FLOW RATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 10197-00, 43BJ 11726-00, 43BJ 120150-00, 43BJ 120151-00, 43BJ 120207-00, 43BJ 125731 -00, 43BJ 125771-00, 43BJ 30160024.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED 1972 DEED REFERS TO A NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION RECORDED IN BOOK 19 OF WATER RIGHTS, PAGE 246; WHICH IS A FILED TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 120152-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES E MCGEHEE III
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

JANET MCGEHEE
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

Priority Date: AUGUST 15, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 3.13 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 190.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWNE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: DRY CREEK CANAL

Period of Use: MARCH 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	36.00		SWNE	35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	6.00		NWSE	35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	36.00		NESW	35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	26.00		SWNW	35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	8.00		SWSW	35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	40.00		NWSW	35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
7	16.00		NESE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
8	22.00		SESE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	190.00						

Remarks:

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

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN CHANGED THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE, IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREES STAGE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF MARCH 30, 1987, A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE IN THE SENWNE SEC 10 TWP 1S RGE 14 SWEET GRASS COUNTY.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 120153-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES E MCGEHEE III
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

JANET MCGEHEE
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 3, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 280.50 GPM

THE PARTIES HAVE AGREED TO A FLOW RATE OF NO MORE THAN 0.375 CFS MEASURED AT THE PLACE OF USE THROUGH A PROPERTY INSTALLED HEADGATE ON THE CONWELL DITCH.

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 42.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CONWELL DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	8.00		SWNW	35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	11.00		SENE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	21.00		NESE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	2.00		SESE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	42.00						

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN CHANGED THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE, IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT DATED 1/19/87, THE POINT OF DIVERSION WAS CHANGED ABSENT OBJECTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 120154-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES E MCGEHEE III
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

JANET MCGEHEE
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

Priority Date: AUGUST 15, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWNE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: DRY CREEK CANAL

Period of Use: MARCH 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				35	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE MEANS OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE MEANS OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE A HEADGATE.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN CHANGED THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE, IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF MARCH 30, 1987, A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE IN THE SENWNE SEC 10 TWP 1S RGE 14E SWEET GRASS COUNTY.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120155-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES E MCGEHEE III
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

JANET MCGEHEE
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 3, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CONWELL DITCH

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120207-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KIMBERLY H COPELAND
22 FIDDLERS GREEN
CLANCY, MT 59634

PAMELA A HAWKS
18718 196TH AVE SE
RENTON, WA 98058

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 28, 1905

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.60 CFS

Volume: 774.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 128.90

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5	NENWNW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CONWELL DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	33.90		N2SW	18	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
2	30.00		SE	18	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
3	10.00		NENE	19	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
4	5.00		SWSW	17	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
5	50.00		NW	20	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	128.90						

Remarks:

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 10197-00, 43BJ 11726-00, 43BJ 120150-00, 43BJ 120151-00, 43BJ 120207-00, 43BJ 125731 -00, 43BJ 125771-00, 43BJ 30160024.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120208-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: RICHERT, BRUCE & LOUISE TRUST
%BRUCE &LOUISE RICHERT,TRUSTEE
1312 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: OCTOBER 21, 1895

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.13 CFS

Volume: 50.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 9.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESESW	11	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: SKILLMAN DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	7.00		SESENW	1	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	2.00		NESENW	1	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	9.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 120258-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	ROGER M AMADON PO BOX 85 PARK CITY, MT 59063
	SHERRY L AMADON PO BOX 85 PARK CITY, MT 59063
	AARON B FREED 2033 2ND AVE, APT 1607 SEATTLE, WA 98121-2252
	DENNIS E FREED 1900 ALASKAN WAY #506 SEATTLE, WA 98101
Priority Date:	MAY 1, 1906
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	STOCK
***Flow Rate:**	A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.
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Source Name:	UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		S2SE	2	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			S2SE	2	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

PLACE OF USE AND POINT OF DIVERSION ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 858.

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120259-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NOEL D YANTOS
333 CHURN CREEK DR
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-7847

Priority Date: OCTOBER 15, 1890

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120260-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KATHLEEN A SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

WALTER S SNODELL
615 HICKORY RD
GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137

Priority Date: APRIL 27, 1906

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNE	21	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWNE	21	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120261-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1906

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNE	3	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWNE	3	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

PLACE OF USE AND POINT OF DIVERSION ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 260.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 120262-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	ROGER M AMADON PO BOX 85 PARK CITY, MT 59063 SHERRY L AMADON PO BOX 85 PARK CITY, MT 59063 AARON B FREED 2033 2ND AVE, APT 1607 SEATTLE, WA 98121-2252 DENNIS E FREED 1900 ALASKAN WAY #506 SEATTLE, WA 98101
Priority Date:	MAY 1, 1906
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	STOCK
***Flow Rate:**	A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.
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***Source Name:**	SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF LAKE CREEK
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENENE	11	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENENE	11	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

PLACE OF USE AND POINT OF DIVERSION ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 858, TRACT B.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 120263-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	ROGER M AMADON PO BOX 85 PARK CITY, MT 59063
	SHERRY L AMADON PO BOX 85 PARK CITY, MT 59063
	AARON B FREED 2033 2ND AVE, APT 1607 SEATTLE, WA 98121-2252
	DENNIS E FREED 1900 ALASKAN WAY #506 SEATTLE, WA 98101
Priority Date:	MAY 1, 1906
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	STOCK
***Flow Rate:**	A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.
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Source Name:	LAKE CREEK
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2NE	11	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Period of Diversion:	JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30					
Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
2		NW	12	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Period of Diversion:	JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30					
Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2NE	11	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			NW	12	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120264-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: TERRY AMADON
543 E BOULDER
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8815

Priority Date: MAY 17, 1914

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		N2	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			N2	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

PLACE OF USE AND POINT OF DIVERSION ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 632.

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

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 120265-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	TERRY AMADON 543 E BOULDER MC LEOD, MT 59052-8815
	CAROLINE F FAW HC 88 BOX 3635 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	ELLIS FAW KOA KAMPGROUNDS 693 HWY 10 E BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	NOEL D YANTOS 333 CHURN CREEK DR BOZEMAN, MT 59715-7847
Priority Date:	APRIL 1, 1908
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	STOCK
***Flow Rate:**	A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.
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Source Name:	EAST BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120266-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: TERRY AMADON
543 E BOULDER
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8815

NOEL D YANTOS
333 CHURN CREEK DR
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-7847

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1897

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: SPRING, ANDERSON HOT SPRINGS

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNE	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DITCH

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			NENWNE	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 120267-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	TERRY AMADON 543 E BOULDER MC LEOD, MT 59052-8815 KATHLEEN A SNODELL 615 HICKORY RD GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137 WALTER S SNODELL 615 HICKORY RD GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137 NOEL D YANTOS 333 CHURN CREEK DR BOZEMAN, MT 59715-7847
Priority Date:	JUNE 4, 1902
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	STOCK
***Flow Rate:**	A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.
***Volume:**	THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.
***Source Name:**	EAST BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNE	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: CRAFT DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			N2	21	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN CHANGED THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THERFORE, IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF MARCH 30, 1987, A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120268-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: TERRY AMADON
543 E BOULDER
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8815

Priority Date: MAY 19, 1911

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2W2	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2W2	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PLACE OF USE AND POINT OF DIVERSION ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 163.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120269-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1915

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: WRIGHT GULCH

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNE	4	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: DITCH

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			W2	3	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			E2	4	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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PLACE OF USE IS IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY #260

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120270-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: TERRY AMADON
543 E BOULDER
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8815

Priority Date: MAY 19, 1911

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

PLACE OF USE AND POINT OF DIVERSION ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 163.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120271-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: TERRY AMADON
543 E BOULDER
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8815

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1899

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NW	21	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NW	21	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120272-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: TERRY AMADON
543 E BOULDER
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8815

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1897

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): RECREATION

Flow Rate: 5.00 CFS

Volume: 3,650.00 AC-FT

THE USE OF THIS WATER APPEARS TO BE LARGELY NONCONSUMPTIVE.

Source Name: ANDERSON HOT SPRINGS

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNE	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENWNE	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PLACE OF USE AND POINT OF DIVERSION ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 632.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CAPACITY OF THE DIVERSION AND CONVEYANCE SYSTEM CANNOT BE DETERMINED AND THE FLOW RATE REMAINS AS ORIGINALLY CLAIMED. THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE CAN BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM THE FLOW RATE WILL BE DECREED AS CLAIMED, AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE VOLUME OF THIS CLAIM CANNOT BE DETERMINED FROM AVAILABLE INFORMATION, AND VOLUME REMAINS AS ORIGINALLY CLAIMED. THE CLAIMED VOLUME CAN BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM THE VOLUME WILL BE DECREED AS CLAIMED, AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120273-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NOEL D YANTOS
333 CHURN CREEK DR
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-7847

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1949

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 6.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.25

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWNW	21	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.25		NESWNW	21	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.25						

Remarks:

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120274-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1906

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		S2S2NE	3	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			S2S2NE	3	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

PLACE OF USE AND POINT OF DIVERSION ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 260.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120275-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NOEL D YANTOS
333 CHURN CREEK DR
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-7847

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1955

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 6.40 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.25

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWNW	21	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.25		SENWNW	21	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.25						

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120276-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: TERRY AMADON
543 E BOULDER
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8815

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1960

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 6.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.25

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNENW	21	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.25		NWNENW	21	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.25						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120277-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1915

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: WATER SPREADING

***Flow Rate:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

***Volume:** 64.60 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 38.00

Source Name: LEWIS GULCH

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSE	3	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

***Period of Diversion:** MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 4

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

THE METHOD OF IRRIGATION EMPLOYED IS WATER SPREADING.

***Period of Use:** MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 4

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	38.00		S2	3	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	38.00						

Remarks:

PLACE OF USE AND POINT OF DIVERSION ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 260.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120278-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: TERRY AMADON
543 E BOULDER
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8815

Priority Date: MAY 19, 1911

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: WATER SPREADING

***Flow Rate:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

***Volume:** 20.40 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 12.00

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSESW	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SWNESW	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

THE METHOD OF IRRIGATION EMPLOYED IS WATER SPREADING.

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.00		NWSESW	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	1.00		SWNESW	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	2.00		NWNESW	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	2.00		NENESW	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	5.00		SESENW	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	12.00						

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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PLACE OF USE AND POINT OF DIVERSION ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 163.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120279-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STILLWATER MINING CO
PO BOX 1330
ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1915

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: WATER SPREADING

***Flow Rate:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

***Volume:** 22.10 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 13.00

Source Name: WRIGHT GULCH

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNE	4	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

THE METHOD OF IRRIGATION EMPLOYED IS WATER SPEADING.

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	6.00		E2	4	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	7.00		W2	3	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	13.00						

PLACE OF USE IS IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY #260.

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 120280-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	TERRY AMADON 543 E BOULDER MC LEOD, MT 59052-8815
	KATHLEEN A SNODELL 615 HICKORY RD GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137
	WALTER S SNODELL 615 HICKORY RD GLEN ELLYN, IL 60137
	NOEL D YANTOS 333 CHURN CREEK DR BOZEMAN, MT 59715-7847
Priority Date:	JUNE 4, 1902
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	2.75 CFS
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	3 - MODERATE
***Maximum Acres:**	75.00
Source Name:	EAST BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNE	29	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CRAFT DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO DECEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	7.00		SWNW	21	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	65.60		N2	21	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	2.40		SESE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	75.00						

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120281-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NOEL D YANTOS
333 CHURN CREEK DR
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-7847

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1897

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: WATER SPREADING

***Flow Rate:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

***Volume:** 23.80 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 14.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

THE METHOD OF IRRIGATION EMPLOYED IS WATER SPREADING.

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	14.00		SE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	14.00						

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 120282-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	CAROLINE F FAW HC 88 BOX 3635 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	ELLIS FAW KOA KAMPGROUNDS 693 HWY 10 E BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	BOULDER CANYON INC 2421 HIGHLAND BLVD BOZEMAN, MT 59715
	STILLWATER MINING CO PO BOX 1330 ATTN: KEVIN MITCHUM COLUMBUS, MT 59019
***Priority Date:**	OCTOBER 28, 1890
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	1.38 CFS
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	3 - MODERATE
***Maximum Acres:**	48.40
Source Name:	EAST BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BOE-ENGLE DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO DECEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.40		NESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	4.50		SE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	29.50		NW	21	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4	2.00		SWNW	21	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5	10.00		E2SE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	48.40						

Remarks:

THIS WATER RIGHT WAS SUBJECT TO A CHANGE APPLICATION APPROVED BY THE MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION. THE MONTANA WATER COURT DID NOT INCLUDE THE CHANGES APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT IN THE DECREE OF THIS WATER RIGHT.

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 40298-00, 43BJ 111516-00, 43BJ 120282-00.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120284-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

***Priority Date:** APRIL 22, 1889

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 417.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 41.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MCLEOD MUTUAL DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	25.00		NW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	16.00		NESE	12	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	41.00						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120285-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1949

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 3.38 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 41.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

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Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MCLEOD MUTUAL DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Place of Use:

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1	25.00		NW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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Total:	41.00						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120286-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: OCTOBER 6, 1925

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESE	12	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
2		NW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					

3			N2SW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120287-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HELEN W CLARK
PO BOX 193
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

PETER D CLARK
PO BOX 193
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0193

Priority Date: MAY 25, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF GROUSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSW	28	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO JANUARY 15

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO JANUARY 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSWSW	28	3S	12E	PARK

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120288-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HELEN W CLARK
PO BOX 193
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

PETER D CLARK
PO BOX 193
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0193

Priority Date: MAY 25, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF GROUSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

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1		SENWSW	28	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO JANUARY 15

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO JANUARY 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENWSW	28	3S	12E	PARK

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120358-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MCGUANE JOINT LIVING TRUST
234 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8612

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1964

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 250.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 23.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWNW	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	23.00		SWNW	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	23.00						

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120359-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MCGUANE JOINT LIVING TRUST
234 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8612

Priority Date: JULY 10, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 21.44 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 88.10

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSW	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO AUGUST 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELGES-MUNCASTER DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO AUGUST 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	46.50		NW	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	41.60		NE	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	88.10						

Remarks:

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THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF CHARLES F. REID WAS AMENDED BY CHARLES F. REID TO INCLUDE VOLUME, MAXIMUM ACRES, AND PLACE OF USE. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120360-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MCGUANE JOINT LIVING TRUST
234 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8612

Priority Date: JUNE 19, 1963

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 5.00 GPM

Volume: 2.00 AC-FT

Households: 3

Maximum Acres: 1.50

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENE	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.50		NENENE	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.50						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120361-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MCGUANE JOINT LIVING TRUST
234 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8612

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1892

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 6.00 CFS

***Volume:** 463.32 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 59.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENW	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO AUGUST 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: FOSTER-RULE-WORK DITCH

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SESESE	18	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO AUGUST 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: FOSTER-RULE DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO AUGUST 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	16.00		S2SW	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	12.00		NENE	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	31.00		N2NW	20	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	59.00						

Remarks:

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

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POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE 001 POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE IN THE NESENW SEC 19 TWP 02S RGE 13E SWEET GRASS COUNTY.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120362-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: THOMAS F MCGUANE III
PO BOX 25
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0025

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 1.88 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 16.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	18	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO AUGUST 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: FOSTER-RULE DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO AUGUST 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	16.00		SESE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	16.00						

Remarks:

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

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120363-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MCGUANE JOINT LIVING TRUST
234 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8612

Priority Date: JUNE 19, 1963

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 5.00 GPM

Volume: 2.00 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 1.50

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.50		NENENE	19	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.50						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 120374-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SWEET GRASS, COUNTY OF
PO BOX 460
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MARCH 1, 1884

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.01 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 26.75

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3	NWNWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELECTRIC LIGHT DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	26.75		SWNE	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	26.75						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122400-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BURNT LEATHER HOLDINGS LLC
114 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8611

Priority Date: AUGUST 21, 1900

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		N2N2SW	20	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			N2N2SW	20	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122401-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: APRIL 1, 1936

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2E2	7	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SESE	6	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

3		S2SW	5	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2E2	7	3S	12E	PARK
2			SESE	6	3S	12E	PARK
3			S2SW	5	3S	12E	PARK

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122403-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: AUGUST 20, 1896

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	4	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENWSW	4	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122404-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BURNT LEATHER HOLDINGS LLC
114 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8611

Priority Date: AUGUST 21, 1900

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: GROUSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			20	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

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1				20	3S	12E	PARK

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ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122405-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BURNT LEATHER HOLDINGS LLC
114 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8611

WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1899

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		W2	9	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2			4	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			W2	9	3S	12E	PARK
2				4	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 122405-00, 432BJ 122418-00.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122406-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BURNT LEATHER HOLDINGS LLC
114 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8611

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 3, 1930

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: NURSES LAKES

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENE	30	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		N2NW	29	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

3	SESESW	20	3S	12E	PARK	

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENE	30	3S	12E	PARK
2			N2NW	29	3S	12E	PARK
3			SESESW	20	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122407-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: MAY 10, 1937

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2SW	5	3S	12E	PARK

***Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		NWSWSE	5	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Reservoir: ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
	E2SW	5	3S	12E	PARK

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2SW	5	3S	12E	PARK
2			NWSWSE	5	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMANT DID NOT IDENTIFY THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION FOR THIS RIGHT. A PERIOD OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN ADDED TO MATCH THE PERIOD OF USE. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE RECEIVED TO THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION OR PERIOD OF USE, THOSE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS ISSUE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THIS CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122408-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: MAY 10, 1937

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SW	5	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

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1			SW	5	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122409-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: APRIL 1, 1936

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		N2	5	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122410-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: APRIL 1, 1936

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NW	5	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NW	5	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122411-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: APRIL 1, 1936

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNE	5	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNWNE	5	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122412-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: APRIL 25, 1907

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 30.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	8	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSESW	8	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE SOURCE DESCRIBED ON THE FILED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED SOURCE.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122413-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BURNT LEATHER HOLDINGS LLC
114 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8611

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 3, 1930

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 25.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.25

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF GROUSE CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENENW	29	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: FLOWING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.25		SENENW	29	3S	12E	PARK
Total:	0.25						

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122414-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: MAY 10, 1937

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.25

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNE	5	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: FLOWING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.25		NWNWNE	5	3S	12E	PARK
Total:	0.25						

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122415-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: APRIL 25, 1907

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 166.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

***Maximum Acres:** 10.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNWSW	17	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: HOUGH-NOON-WORCHESTER DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	10.00		SWNE	4	3S	12E	PARK
Total:	10.00						

Remarks:

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POINT OF DIVERSION AND DITCH NAME WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122416-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: AUGUST 20, 1896

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 166.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

***Maximum Acres:** 10.00

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	4	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: OLD NOON DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	10.00		SWNE	4	3S	12E	PARK
Total:	10.00						

Remarks:

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THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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DITCH NAME WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122417-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1899

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 166.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

***Maximum Acres:** 10.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSW	4	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	10.00		SWNE	4	3S	12E	PARK
Total:	10.00						

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122418-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1899

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 166.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

***Maximum Acres:** 10.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSW	4	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	10.00		SWNE	4	3S	12E	PARK
Total:	10.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 122405-00, 43BJ 122418-00.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE HEADGATE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS MAY 1, 1899.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 122419-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: SEPTEMBER 4, 1899

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 166.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

***Maximum Acres:** 10.00

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	4	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: OLD NOON DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	10.00		SWNE	4	3S	12E	PARK
Total:	10.00						

Remarks:

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SOURCE NAME AND DITCH NAME WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 123896-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ARIANNA V WHITMAN
PO BOX 1782
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1782

ROSTAD, CLARENCE S REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST
432 OLD BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8019

Priority Date: OCTOBER 15, 1900

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 8.33 CFS

***Volume:** 918.00 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 90.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CLAUSE-WEAVER DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	28.00		SW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	25.00		SE	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	37.00		NE	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	90.00						

Remarks:

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THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 123897-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ROSTAD, CLARENCE S REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST
432 OLD BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8019

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 4.38 CFS

THE WATER RIGHT NOS. 43BJ 123897-00 AND 43BJ 30069244 SHARE A FLOW RATE OF 4.38 CFS, APPORTIONED BY VOLUME, BUT LIMITED TO THIS FLOW RATE BETWEEN THE TWO RIGHTS AT ANY ONE TIME.

***Volume:** 623.90 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 124.78

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWNE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: DRY CREEK CANAL

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	20.00		SE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	20.78		SW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	84.00		NW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	124.78						

Remarks:

SPLIT CLAIM NO. 43BJ 30069244 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 123898-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ROSTAD, CLARENCE S REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST
432 OLD BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8019

Priority Date: DECEMBER 17, 1903

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 17.32 CFS

***Volume:** 2,305.00 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 226.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNW	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: LAMP-NELSON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	18.00		SE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	76.00		SW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	90.00		NE	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	42.00		NW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	226.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 123899-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners: WALTER TELESETSKY
16 ETON OVERLOOK
ROCKVILLE, MD 20850-3003

ROSTAD, CLARENCE S REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST
432 OLD BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8019

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 07/17/86.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 123986-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ANN A LABRIE
426 BOULDER ROAD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

LYNN T LABRIE
426 BOULDER ROAD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8000

Priority Date: MARCH 15, 1889

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 4.26 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 237.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLISON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	38.00		NE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	40.00		NW	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	51.00		SE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	108.00		SW	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	237.00						

Remarks:

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THE MAXIMUM ACRES AND PLACE OF USE WERE REDUCED BY ORDER OF THE MONTANA WATER COURT DUE TO THE SEVERANCE OF THIS WATER RIGHT FROM A PORTION OF THE PLACE OF USE.

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF LOYD E LABRIE WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE MAXIMUM ACRES. BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

YOUR WATER RIGHT AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT MAY HAVE *CHANGES* FROM YOUR WATER RIGHT AS CLAIMED OR AMENDED. AN ASTERISK (*) HAS BEEN PLACED NEXT TO EACH ITEM CHANGED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR BY THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT WATER RIGHT CLAIMS EXAMINATION RULES OR BY ORDER OF THE WATER COURT.

OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 123987-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ANN A LABRIE
426 BOULDER ROAD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

LYNN T LABRIE
426 BOULDER ROAD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8000

Priority Date: APRIL 17, 1905

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.93 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 237.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLISON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	38.00		NE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	40.00		NW	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	51.00		SE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	108.00		SW	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	237.00						

Remarks:

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

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THE MAXIMUM ACRES AND PLACE OF USE WERE REDUCED BY ORDER OF THE MONTANA WATER COURT DUE TO THE SEVERANCE OF THIS WATER RIGHT FROM A PORTION OF THE PLACE OF USE

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF LOYD E LABRIE WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE MAXIMUM ACRES. BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 48449-00, 43BJ 123987-00, 43BJ 123990-00, 43BJ 188072-00.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT AND PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS APRIL 15, 1904 FOR A FILED TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 123988-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ANN A LABRIE
426 BOULDER ROAD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

LYNN T LABRIE
426 BOULDER ROAD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8000

Priority Date: MAY 6, 1905

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.25 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 237.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLISON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	38.00		NE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS APRIL 20, 1905.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 123989-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WHISTLE CREEK PARTNERS LLC
540 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MARCH 15, 1889

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 1.18 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 21.30

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLISON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	21.30	7	SWSE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	21.30						

Remarks:

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THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF MONTANA DEPT OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND PARKS WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE PLACE OF USE. BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE PLACE OF USE HAS BEEN CHANGED EVEN THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

MEANS OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 123990-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WHISTLE CREEK PARTNERS LLC
540 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1904

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 247.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 21.30

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLISON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	21.30	7	SWSE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	21.30						

Remarks:

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THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 48449-00, 43BJ 123987-00, 43BJ 123990-00, 43BJ 188072-00.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 123991-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WHISTLE CREEK PARTNERS LLC
540 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: APRIL 20, 1905

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 283.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 21.30

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLISON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	21.30	7	SWSE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	21.30						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 125731-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 4 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	DEARLENE A BELEY PO BOX 1252 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1252
	ROBERT H NORTON II PO BOX 1252 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1252
	HAWKS FAMILY PROPERIES LLC %BRIAN NORD 2160 WIMBLETON CT COLORADO SPRINGS, CO 80920
Priority Date:	NOVEMBER 28, 1905
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	6.24 CFS
Volume:	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	164.60
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5	NENWNW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CONWELL DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.00		S2SWSE	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	3.00		S2SESW	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	69.30		W2NE	24	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	67.30		E2NW	24	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	22.00		NWSE	24	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	1.00		SWSE	24	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	164.60						

Remarks:

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Contract for Deed Purchasers:

BURL J BELEY
341 RD 422
CIRCLE, MT 59215-9512

VICKI L BELEY
341 RD 422
CIRCLE, MT 59215-9512

THIS WATER RIGHT IS APPURTENANT TO REAL PROPERTY THAT IS THE SUBJECT OF A CONTRACT FOR DEED. THE CONTRACT FOR DEED PURCHASER IS ENTITLED TO THE SAME NOTICE AS THE OWNER OF THE PROPERTY PURSUANT TO 85-2-232(1)(C) AND 70-20-115, MCA. REFERENCE TO THE CONTRACT FOR DEED PURCHASERS IN THIS ABSTRACT IS FOR NOTICE PURPOSES ONLY AND DOES NOT AMOUNT TO A STATEMENT REGARDING OWNERSHIP. UPON TRANSFER OF THE PROPERTY IDENTIFIED AS THE PLACE OF USE FOR THIS WATER RIGHT, THE TRANSFEREE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR UPDATING OWNERSHIP AS REQUIRED BY 85-2-423 AND -424, MCA. IN THE EVENT OF A DEFAULT RESULTING IN TERMINATION OF THE CONTRACT FOR DEED AND RELEASE OF DOCUMENTS FROM ESCROW, THE OWNERS SHALL PROVIDE THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION WITH A COPY OF A QUIT CLAIM DEED OR SIMILAR INSTRUMENT INDICATING THE CONTRACT FOR DEED PURCHASERS ARE NO LONGER ENTITLED TO RECEIVE NOTICE OF PROCEEDINGS INVOLVING THIS WATER RIGHT.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125732-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: THEOREM RIVER LLC
12 CRESTWOOD DR
HOUSTON, TX 77007

Priority Date: DECEMBER 4, 1905

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 20.47 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 540.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLIS-KING-HAWKS DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	60.00		NE	20	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	160.00		NW	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	55.00		N2NE	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	80.00		S2SE	16	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	35.00		S2SW	16	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	70.00		E2SE	20	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
7	80.00		SW	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	540.00						

Remarks:

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

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125733-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: COLLEEN CONNER
PO BOX 632
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0632

KARL CONNER
PO BOX 632
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0632

Priority Date: DECEMBER 15, 1892

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): COMMERCIAL

Purpose Clarification: GRAVEL WASHING AT GRAVEL PIT

Flow Rate: 1.25 CFS

Volume: 170.00 AC-FT

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	12	SWSWSE	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: DUNDAS DITCH

Period of Use: MARCH 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		10		7	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
2			SESE	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3			NWNWNW	18	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 02/26/2025.

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125738-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BURNT LEATHER HOME PLACE LLC
C/O PATHSTONE FAMILY OFFICE
50 PARK ROW W ., STE 113
PROVIDENCE, RI 02903

Priority Date: APRIL 28, 1905

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.06 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 28.00

Source Name: DAVIS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENW	35	3S	11E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO AUGUST 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO AUGUST 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	10.00		SWSWSW	25	3S	11E	PARK
2	10.00		NWNWNW	36	3S	11E	PARK
3	8.00		SWSESW	25	3S	11E	PARK
Total:	28.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE HEADGATE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125739-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BURNT LEATHER HOME PLACE LLC
C/O PATHSTONE FAMILY OFFICE
50 PARK ROW W ., STE 113
PROVIDENCE, RI 02903

Priority Date: JUNE 30, 1949

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

***Flow Rate:** 8.07 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

***Maximum Acres:** 38.50

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENESW	25	3S	11E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO AUGUST 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO AUGUST 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	14.20		SWNE	25	3S	11E	PARK
2	16.20		E2NE	25	3S	11E	PARK
3	8.10		S2SESE	24	3S	11E	PARK
Total:	38.50						

Remarks:

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THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF CHARLES E REID WAS AMENDED BY CHARLES E REID TO INCLUDE MAXIMUM ACRES AND PLACE OF USE. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125743-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BURNT LEATHER HOLDINGS LLC
114 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8611

Priority Date: JUNE 19, 1963

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM.

Volume: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNE	17	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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1			SESWNE	17	3S	12E	PARK

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125745-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BURNT LEATHER HOME PLACE LLC
C/O PATHSTONE FAMILY OFFICE
50 PARK ROW W ., STE 113
PROVIDENCE, RI 02903

Priority Date: JUNE 19, 1963

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNWSW	25	3S	11E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNWSW	25	3S	11E	PARK

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125752-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 4 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ALAN S RONNEBERG
PO BOX 695
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0695

TRACIE A RONNEBERG
PO BOX 695
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0695

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1901

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 36.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 3.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3.00		NWNWNE	28	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	3.00						

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF MARCH 30, 1987, A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN CHANGED THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE, IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125753-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: JULY 31, 1959

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SPRING CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENESW	31	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENESW	31	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125754-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: JULY 31, 1959

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENESE	31	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENESE	31	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125755-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: DECEMBER 6, 1963

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESW	28	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125756-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: JULY 31, 1959

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

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Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125757-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: JULY 31, 1959

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESESW	30	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESESW	30	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

SOURCE WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125758-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: JULY 31, 1959

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 3.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWNW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENWNW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125759-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SMALL HOPES CREEK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 01/26/88.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125760-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 15, 1892

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		W2	22	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		NW	27	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
3			E2	28	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
4			SWSW	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
5			E2SW	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
6			SWNE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
7			SE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
8			E2NE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			W2	22	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			NW	27	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3			E2	28	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4			SWSW	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
5			E2SW	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
6			SWNE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
7			SE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
8			E2NE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125761-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1954

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 35.90 GPM

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESE	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125762-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1958

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 22.44 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSW	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSWSW	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125763-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1951

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 22.44 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWNW	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSWNW	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 125764-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1954

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESESE	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

SOURCE WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 1389, BOZEMAN, MT 59771-1389.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

YOUR WATER RIGHT AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT MAY HAVE *CHANGES* FROM YOUR WATER RIGHT AS CLAIMED OR AMENDED. AN ASTERISK (*) HAS BEEN PLACED NEXT TO EACH ITEM CHANGED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR BY THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT WATER RIGHT CLAIMS EXAMINATION RULES OR BY ORDER OF THE WATER COURT.

OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 125770-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners:

DIANE CLAYTON
PO BOX 1185
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1185

MICHAEL CLAYTON
PO BOX 1185
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1185

MARY HIBNES
PO BOX 1362
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1362

WILLIAM M HIBNES
PO BOX 1362
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

REMI M METCALF
PO BOX 765
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0765

CLAYTON RANCH INC
PO BOX 658
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1950

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

Volume: THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	8	SWSWSE	34	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: CLAYTON DITCH

Period of Use: MARCH 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NE	24	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2			SW	18	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
3			NWNW	19	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE POINT OF DIVERSION WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 03/20/2025.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

ACCORDING TO CADASTRAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP RECORDS, AS OF 06/11/2018 , A PORTION OF THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY CLAYTON RANCH INC, PO BOX 1185, BIG TIMBER, MT, 59011-1185.

SECURITY BANK AND MARGUERITE L. OVERLAND DO NOT APPEAR TO BE OWNERS OF THIS WATER RIGHT ANYMORE. NO DOCUMENTATION EXISTS IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR DNRC TO BE ABLE TO REMOVE THEM.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE IN GOVT LOT 7, NENWSE, SEC 34, T1N, R14E, SWEET GRASS COUNTY.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF MARCH 30, 1987, A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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YOUR WATER RIGHT AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT MAY HAVE *CHANGES* FROM YOUR WATER RIGHT AS CLAIMED OR AMENDED. AN ASTERISK (*) HAS BEEN PLACED NEXT TO EACH ITEM CHANGED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR BY THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT WATER RIGHT CLAIMS EXAMINATION RULES OR BY ORDER OF THE WATER COURT.

OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 125771-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- EXEMPT(RESERVED)/SEVERED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners:

DIANE CLAYTON
PO BOX 1185
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1185

MICHAEL CLAYTON
PO BOX 1185
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1185

HANSER PROPERTIES LP
430 S BILLINGS BLVD
BILLINGS, MT 59101

MARY HIBNES
PO BOX 1362
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1362

WILLIAM M HIBNES
PO BOX 1362
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

REMI M METCALF
PO BOX 765
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0765

MARGUERITE L OVERLAND
PO BOX 30918
BILLINGS, MT 59116

FELTON REVOCABLE TRUST DATED 6-5-2024
PO BOX 427
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0427

SECURITY BANK
% TRUST DEPT
PO BOX 30918
BILLINGS, MT 59116

TOM ROE & SON CONSTRUCTION INC
PO BOX 905
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 29, 1905

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 5.00 CFS

THE WATER RIGHT NUMBERS 43BJ 125771-00 AND 43BJ 30160024 SHARE A FLOW RATE OF 5 CFS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE OPERATED IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: AS HISTORICALLY OPERATED.

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 128.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNENW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CONWELL DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	44.00		SW	18	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
2	15.00		SE	18	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
3	24.00		SE	13	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	45.00		NE	24	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	128.00						

Remarks:

SPLIT CLAIM NO. 43BJ 30160024 WAS AUTHORIZED AND GENERATED BASED ON INFORMATION IN THIS CLAIM.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 10197-00, 43BJ 11726-00, 43BJ 120150-00, 43BJ 120151-00, 43BJ 120207-00, 43BJ 125731 -00, 43BJ 125771-00, 43BJ 30160024.

ACCORDING TO CADASTRAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP RECORDS, AS OF 06/11/2018 , A PORTION OF THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY CLAYTON RANCH INC, PO BOX 1185, BIG TIMBER, MT, 59011-1185.

ACCORDING TO CADASTRAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP RECORDS, AS OF 06/22/2016 , A PORTION OF THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY BIGHORN STORAGE LLC, PO BOX 1316, BILLINGS, MT, 59103-1316.

ACCORDING TO CADASTRAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP RECORDS, AS OF 02/27/2015 , A PORTION OF THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY HANSER PROPERTIES LP, 430 S BILLINGS BLVD, BILLINGS, MT, 59101-4703.

ACCORDING TO CADASTRAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP RECORDS, AS OF 11/09/2009 , A PORTION OF THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY JAMES D. & KATHRYN P. FELTON, PO BOX 427, BIG TIMBER, MT, 59011-0427.

ACCORDING TO CADASTRAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP RECORDS, AS OF 11/25/2008 , A PORTION OF THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY ACV LAND MANAGEMENT LLC, 22 HIGHWAY 10 E, BIG TIMBER, MT, 59011-8032.

SECURITY BANK AND MARGUERITE L. OVERLAND DO NOT APPEAR TO BE OWNERS OF THIS WATER RIGHT ANYMORE. NO DOCUMENTATION EXISTS IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR DNRC TO BE ABLE TO REMOVE THEM.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE IN THE NENWNW SEC 2 TWP 1S RGE 14E SWEET GRASS COUNTY.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF MARCH 30, 1987, A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE 366, SWEET GRASS CASE NO COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS NOVEMBER 28, 1905.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 130329-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 4 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	MARY E CREMER 189 MAIN BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8017
	WILLIAM J CREMER 189 BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	FISHING HOLE HOMEOWNERS ASSOC INC PO BOX 936 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	MEMC REVOCABLE TRUST CREMER, MARY E. TRUSTEE 89 MAIN BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	MARCH 1, 1884
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	SPRINKLER
***Flow Rate:**	3.13 CFS
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	21.00
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELECTRIC LIGHT DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.00		SWNWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	3.00		NWNWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	5.00		NENWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	6.00		SESWNW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	5.00		NESWNW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	21.00						

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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THIS WATER RIGHT WAS SUBJECT TO A CHANGE APPLICATION APPROVED BY THE MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION. THE MONTANA WATER COURT INCLUDED SOME OR ALL OF THE CHANGES APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT IN THE DECREE OF THIS WATER RIGHT.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number:	**43BJ 130330-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	MARY E CREMER 189 MAIN BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8017
	CORNELIA E CREMER-SEITZ PO BOX 1555 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	CHAD T SEITZ PO BOX 1555 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	MEMC REVOCABLE TRUST CREMER, MARY E. TRUSTEE 89 MAIN BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	MAY 15, 1944
Type of Historical Right:	DECREED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	SPRINKLER/FLOOD
Flow Rate:	4.25 CFS
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	82.50
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	16.00	1	NW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	9.00	2	NW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	5.00	3	SW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	25.00	1		27	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	10.00	2		27	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
6	17.50		SENE	27	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	82.50						

Remarks:

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

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE EXCEEDS THE 17 GPM PER ACRE GUIDELINE AND CANNOT BE CONFIRMED DUE TO LACK OF DATA. THE FLOW RATE EQUALS 23.00 GPM PER ACRE. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THE FLOW RATE FOR THIS CLAIM, THE FLOW RATE WILL REMAIN AS IT APPEARS ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

DITCH NAME WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 130331-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MARY E CREMER
189 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8017

WILLIAM J CREMER
189 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

MEMC REVOCABLE TRUST
CREMER, MARY E. TRUSTEE
89 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1898

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.75 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 30.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	16.00	1	NW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	5.00	3	SW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	9.00	2	NW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	30.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 130332-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	MARY E CREMER 189 MAIN BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8017
	CORNELIA E CREMER-SEITZ PO BOX 1555 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	CHAD T SEITZ PO BOX 1555 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	MEMC REVOCABLE TRUST CREMER, MARY E. TRUSTEE 89 MAIN BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	JULY 15, 1895
Type of Historical Right:	DECREED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	SPRINKLER/FLOOD
Flow Rate:	2.50 CFS
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	52.50
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	17.50		SENE	27	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	25.00	1		27	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	10.00	2		27	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	52.50						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 130333-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MARY E CREMER
189 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8017

WILLIAM J CREMER
189 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

MEMC REVOCABLE TRUST
CREMER, MARY E. TRUSTEE
89 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 4, 1920

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSESW	27	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSESW	27	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 136157-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: MAY 15, 1942

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 136158-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: OCTOBER 20, 1959

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 136167-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1945

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: MCCOMB DRAW

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2	36	1S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2	36	1S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 136168-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1945

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF FULLER DRAW

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		W2	36	1S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			W2	36	1S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 136240-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: H & S STEIN REALTY LLC
5151 LAPEER RD
SMITHS CREEK, MI 48074-1420

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1959

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 30.00 GPM

Volume: 2.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.75

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENENW	23	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 10 TO SEPTEMBER 19

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: MAY 10 TO SEPTEMBER 19

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.75		NENENW	23	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.75						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 142817-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **DISMISSED**

Owners: BNSF RAILWAY CO
2650 LOU MENK DR # MOB-2
FORT WORTH, TX 76131-2830

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): INDUSTRIAL

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS DISMISSED FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS BY ORDER OF THE WATER COURT ON 06/24/86.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 142818-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **DISMISSED**

Owners: BNSF RAILWAY CO
2650 LOU MENK DR # MOB-2
FORT WORTH, TX 76131-2830

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): INDUSTRIAL

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158549-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners: ELLISON RANCH LP
1825 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8603

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SICK EM CREEK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 10/17/85.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158550-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ELLISON RANCH LP
1825 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8603

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1903

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 80.78 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 4.80

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	33	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	4.80		SESENW	34	2S	12E	PARK
Total:	4.80						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE PUMP CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158551-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ELLISON RANCH LP
1825 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8603

Priority Date: JULY 15, 1898

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 6.70 CFS

(ALTERNATING WITH 43BJ-W-158554)

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 44.70

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENESW	34	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELGES DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	8.20		W2W2SW	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	20.70		SE	27	2S	12E	PARK
3	15.80		NE	34	2S	12E	PARK
Total:	44.70						

Remarks:

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

158551-00 158555-00

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158552-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ELLISON RANCH LP
1825 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8603

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 13, 1896

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 7.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 106.50

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	33	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	4.00		NWNE	34	2S	12E	PARK
2	28.00		NW	34	2S	12E	PARK
3	58.00		SW	34	2S	12E	PARK
4	16.50		SE	33	2S	12E	PARK
Total:	106.50						

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THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THIS CLAIM INDICATES A FLOW RATE OF 5 CFS.

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ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158553-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: VF FARM LLC
3350 RIVERWOOD PKWY SE STE 425
ATLANTA, GA 30339-3347

Priority Date: JULY 10, 1893

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 12.50 CFS

(ALTERNATING WITH USERS ON ELYES-MANCHESTER DITCH)

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 25.00

***Source Name:** WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSW	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELGES-MUNCASTER DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	25.00		SW	26	2S	12E	PARK
Total:	25.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF ORVAL S ELLISON WAS AMENDED BY ORVAL S ELLISON TO INCLUDE MAXIMUM ACRES, POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

CHANGES WERE MADE TO THE POINT OF DIVERSION AND ACREAGE OF THIS CLAIM EVEN THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE THE POINT OF DIVERSION AND ACREAGE WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158554-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: VF FARM LLC
3350 RIVERWOOD PKWY SE STE 425
ATLANTA, GA 30339-3347

Priority Date: MAY 30, 1914

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 6.70 CFS

(ALTERNATING WITH 43BJ-W-158551)

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 23.60

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENESW	34	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELGES DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.50		SENW	26	2S	12E	PARK
2	22.10		N2SW	26	2S	12E	PARK
Total:	23.60						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THIS CLAIM INDICATES A FLOW RATE OF 2 CFS.

CHANGES WERE MADE TO THE ACREAGE OF THIS CLAIM EVEN THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE THE ACREAGE WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF ORVAL S ELLISON WAS AMENDED BY ORVAL S ELLISON TO INCLUDE MAXIMUM ACRES AND PLACE OF USE. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

POINT OF DIVERSION MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158555-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ELLISON RANCH LP
1825 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8603

Priority Date: MAY 6, 1895

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 426.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 27.00

Source Name: ELGAS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNESE	27	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELGES DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	12.00		SE	27	2S	12E	PARK
2	15.00		SW	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	27.00						

Remarks:

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

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THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

ALTHOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO, THE PLACE OF USE WAS CHANGED TO REFLECT THE INCREASE IN MAXIMUM ACRES IRRIGATED.

POINT OF DIVERSION AND DITCH NAME WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158556-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners: ELLISON RANCH LP
1825 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8603

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: SICK EM CREEK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 10/17/85.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158557-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ELLISON RANCH LP
1825 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8603

Priority Date: MAY 30, 1914

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESE	22	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESE	22	2S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158558-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ELLISON RANCH LP
1825 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8603

Priority Date: MAY 6, 1895

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: ELGAS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			27	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				27	2S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158559-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: VF FARM LLC
3350 RIVERWOOD PKWY SE STE 425
ATLANTA, GA 30339-3347

Priority Date: JUNE 3, 1919

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		N2	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			N2	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158560-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ELLISON RANCH LP
1825 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8603

Priority Date: MAY 6, 1895

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 7.60 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 3.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ELGAS CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSESE	27	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: FLOWING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3.00		NWSESE	27	2S	12E	PARK
Total:	3.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158561-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ELLISON RANCH LP
1825 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8603

VF FARM LLC
3350 RIVERWOOD PKWY SE STE 425
ATLANTA, GA 30339-3347

Priority Date: OCTOBER 15, 1917

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SICK EM CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SE	22	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		S2	23	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SE	22	2S	12E	PARK
2			S2	23	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158563-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: RANCH LANDSCAPE PRESERVATION TRUST
%CG CONSULTANTS INC
444 MADISON AVE STE 1206
NEW YORK, NY 10022-6957

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1910

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF GROUSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNWSE	31	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNWSE	31	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158564-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: EMILY MILLIKAN
1331 WALNUT ST
BERKELEY, CA 94709-1408

BURNT LEATHER HOLDINGS LLC
114 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8611

MILLIKAN FAMILY LIVING TRUST
1331 WALNUT ST
BERKELEY, CA 94709-1408

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1910

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF GROUSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENESE	29	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENESE	29	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158565-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LAURA A BRAY
PO BOX 714
CULBERTSON, MT 59218

MARGARET A BRAY
PO BOX 714
CULBERTSON, MT 59218

ROBERT O BRAY
PO BOX 714
CULBERTSON, MT 59218

Priority Date: JULY 14, 1889

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 10.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BASIN CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNW	22	7S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

BUCKET

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				10	7S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE IN MINERAL SURVEY NO. 5036.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158566-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: THOMAS J BROKAW
66 E 79TH ST APT 11S
NEW YORK, NY 10075-0274

B SISTERS LLC
66 E 79TH ST APT 11S
NEW YORK, NY 10075-0274

WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1882

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNWSW	32	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNWNW	5	2S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

PURSUANT TO WATER COURT ORDER, IF NO OBJECTIONS TO THIS CLAIM ARE FILED, THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE OF 30 GPM WILL BE REINSTATED.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158567-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1882

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF NUTTAL CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNENW	5	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNENW	5	3S	12E	PARK

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158568-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1882

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	6	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSENE	6	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158569-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D & R LLC
9701 SOARING HAWK CIRCLE
ZIONSVILLE, IN 46077

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1882

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENW	6	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESENW	6	3S	12E	PARK

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158570-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D & R LLC
9701 SOARING HAWK CIRCLE
ZIONSVILLE, IN 46077

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1882

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	6	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWSW	6	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158571-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D & R LLC
9701 SOARING HAWK CIRCLE
ZIONSVILLE, IN 46077

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1882

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSW	31	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158572-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: AUGUST 1, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 3.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSESE	1	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSESE	1	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158573-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: MAY 11, 1934

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BASIN CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWNW	11	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158574-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: AUGUST 1, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 5.00 GPM

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESESE	1	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESESE	1	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158575-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: MAY 11, 1934

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BASIN CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSW	11	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNWSW	11	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158576-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: JANUARY 31, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SE	17	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		W2SWSW	16	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

3		N2NW	21	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SE	17	3S	12E	PARK
2			W2SWSW	16	3S	12E	PARK
3			N2NW	21	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158577-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 15, 1944

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	16	3S	12E	PARK

***Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN STANDARDIZED BY DNRC FOR THIS CLAIM.

Reservoir: ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County

SESWSW 16 3S 12E PARK

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWSW	16	3S	12E	PARK

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158578-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: MARCH 31, 1916

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSE	21	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESWSE	21	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158579-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: MAY 11, 1934

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BASIN CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWSW	11	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSWSW	11	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158580-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: AUGUST 1, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	1	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSENE	1	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

PURSUANT TO WATER COURT ORDER, IF NO OBJECTIONS TO THIS CLAIM ARE FILED, THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE OF 112 GPM WILL BE REINSTATED.

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BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158581-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: AUGUST 1, 1935

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENE	1	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESENE	1	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158582-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: APRIL 4, 1917

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWNW	21	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESWNW	21	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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PURSUANT TO WATER COURT ORDER, IF NO OBJECTIONS TO THIS CLAIM ARE FILED, THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE OF 280 GPM WILL BE REINSTATED.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158583-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: MARCH 5, 1918

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	17	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSESE	17	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158584-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: JANUARY 30, 1908

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 5.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNW	22	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWNW	22	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158585-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: JANUARY 31, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNWNE	21	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: DAM

Reservoir: ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
	SWNWNE	21	3S	12E	PARK

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNWNE	21	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE DAM CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

EXISTENCE OF THE CLAIMED RESERVOIR CANNOT BE CONFIRMED WITH AVAILABLE DATA.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158586-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: JANUARY 31, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWNE	21	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: DAM

THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN STANDARDIZED BY DNRC FOR THIS CLAIM.

Reservoir: ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County

NESWNE 21 3S 12E PARK

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESWNE	21	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158587-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 15, 1944

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENW	16	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158588-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: MARCH 31, 1916

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF GROUSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSE	21	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSWSE	21	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158589-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 15, 1944

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNWNW	16	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158590-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 15, 1944

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158591-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 15, 1944

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENENE	16	3S	12E	PARK

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Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158592-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 15, 1944

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NE	16	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO JANUARY 1

Place of Use:

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Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SUSAN H CHILDS
115 13TH ST
DEL MAR, CA 92014-2331

DON C COWLES III
117 HERITAGE DR
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-2941

ANN E WILCOX
PO BOX 1300
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-1300

Priority Date: JULY 13, 1891

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): MINING

Flow Rate: 15.00 GPM

Volume: 4.18 AC-FT

THE USE OF THIS WATER APPEARS TO BE LARGELY NONCONSUMPTIVE.

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER, EAST FORK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENE	22	7S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 28 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: INSTREAM

2		SWNWNW	23	7S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 28 TO OCTOBER 31

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Remarks:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE LOCATED IN EMMA LODE, MINERAL, SURVEY NO. 5876.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158594-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners: BILL J JONES
4224 KINGSBURY PL
RIVERSIDE, CA 92503

EVERYL G JONES
4224 KINGSBURY PL
RIVERSIDE, CA 92503

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: FOURMILE CREEK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 09/09/86.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158595-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners: JOHN W BLACK
PO BOX 245
HINSDALE, MT 59241

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: FALLS CREEK

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 09/24/86.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 158596-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	LORI KETCHAM PO BOX 1688 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1688
	MARK KETCHAM PO BOX 1688 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1688
	SARA E MCFARLAND 11 FISHING HOLE DR BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-7669
	WILLIAM L MCFARLAND 11 FISHING HOLE DR BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-7669
	ROBERT J TINCH PO BOX 96 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	MCFARLAND FAMILY TRUST 11 FISHING HOLE DR BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-7669
Priority Date:	MAY 1, 1898
Type of Historical Right:	DECREED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	337.00 GPM
***Volume:**	275.20 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 27.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	27.00		NW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	27.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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THE CLAIMED VOLUME EXCEEDS THE MAXIMUM FEASIBLE VOLUME. BASED ON THE FLOW RATE AND PERIOD OF USE, THE MAXIMUM VOLUME POSSIBLE IS 272.54 ACRE-FEET PER YEAR.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158597-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners:

LORI KETCHAM
PO BOX 1688
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1688

MARK KETCHAM
PO BOX 1688
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1688

SARA E MCFARLAND
11 FISHING HOLE DR
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-7669

WILLIAM L MCFARLAND
11 FISHING HOLE DR
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-7669

BRYAN SONDENO
PO BOX 47
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

SUSAN SONDENO
PO BOX 47
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

ROBERT J TINCH
PO BOX 96
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

MCFARLAND FAMILY TRUST
11 FISHING HOLE DR
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-7669

Priority Date: MAY 15, 1944

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Flow Rate: 336.60 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 27.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO JULY 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO JULY 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	27.00		NW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	27.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158598-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **DISMISSED**

Owners: DON C COWLES
430 S YELLOWSTONE
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): MINING

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS DISMISSED FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS BY ORDER OF THE WATER COURT ON 01/13/88.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158599-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **DISMISSED**

Owners: DON C COWLES
430 S YELLOWSTONE
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): MINING

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158600-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **DISMISSED**

Owners: DON C COWLES
430 S YELLOWSTONE
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): MINING

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS DISMISSED FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS BY ORDER OF THE WATER COURT ON 01/13/88.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158601-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LAZY DAY RANCH TRUST
KALANI K GOODHARD & D CARSON COWLES IV, TRUSTEES
104 E STORY ST
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-4859

Priority Date: JUNE 4, 1921

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

Flow Rate: 442.00 GPM

***Volume:** 78.00 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 5 - LOW

Maximum Acres: 26.00

Source Name: BRIDGE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	21	6S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	26.00		E2SW	21	6S	12E	PARK
Total:	26.00						

Remarks:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 259.

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE HEADGATE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158602-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners: KENNETH B BOOM
518 W LEWIS
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 09/04/86.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158603-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SPELLMAN, RICHARD E REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST
% SPELLMAN, RICHARD E TRUSTEE
226 S 8TH ST
LIVINGSTON, MT 59047-2902

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1971

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 15.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.13

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSE	19	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

DIRECT BY HAULING.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.13		SESWSW	19	3S	12E	PARK
Total:	0.13						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

A LATE OBJECTION HAS BEEN FILED TO THE MEANS OF DIVERSION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. IT WILL BE RESOLVED DURING THE ADJUDICATION OF OBJECTIONS TO THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158604-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LYNDA S SPELLMAN
7201 PINEHURST PKWY
CHEVY CHASE, MD 20815-3142

STEPHEN L SPELLMAN
7201 PINEHURST PKWY
CHEVY CHASE, MD 20815-3142

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1971

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 30.00 GPM

Volume: 3.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 1.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSE	19	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

DIRECT BY HAULING.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.00		NWSWSW	19	3S	12E	PARK
Total:	1.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

A LATE OBJECTION HAS BEEN FILED TO THE MEANS OF DIVERSION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. IT WILL BE RESOLVED DURING THE ADJUDICATION OF OBJECTIONS TO THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158605-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ANGUS MACDONALD VAUGHAN
12 HIGHLAND RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8604

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1971

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 15.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.13

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSE	19	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

DIRECT BY HAULING.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.13		NENWSE	19	3S	12E	PARK
Total:	0.13						

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

158605-00 158606-00

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 158606-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ANGUS MACDONALD VAUGHAN
12 HIGHLAND RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8604

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1971

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	13	NENWSE	19	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		13	NENWSE	19	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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158605-00 158606-00

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

SOURCE AND PLACE OF USE WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 167303-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Late Claim: A

Owners: HOPPERTUNITY PARTNERS LLC
PO BOX 542
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0542

Priority Date: JANUARY 1, 1906

CLAIM FILED LATE 05/03/1982 . AS MANDATED BY SECTION 85-2-221(3), MCA, THIS CLAIM IS SUBORDINATE, AND THEREFORE JUNIOR, TO ALL FEDERAL AND INDIAN RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): MULTIPLE DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 8.98 GPM

Volume: 14.52 AC-FT

Households: 21

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNE	3	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			N2NE	3	4S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE ASSOCIATED WHICH MEANS THE RIGHTS SHARE THE SAME OTHER.

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POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 90.

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 167304-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Late Claim: A

Owners: HOPPERTUNITY PARTNERS LLC
PO BOX 542
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0542

Priority Date: JANUARY 6, 1903

CLAIM FILED LATE 05/03/1982 . AS MANDATED BY SECTION 85-2-221(3), MCA, THIS CLAIM IS SUBORDINATE, AND THEREFORE JUNIOR, TO ALL FEDERAL AND INDIAN RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 3.03 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 80.00

Source Name: WARM SPRINGS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESESW	35	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: KOONTZ DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	80.00		NESW	35	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	80.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION AND DITCH NAME WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS JANUARY 2, 1903.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 167305-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Late Claim: A

Owners: HOPPERTUNITY PARTNERS LLC
PO BOX 542
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0542

Priority Date: JANUARY 1, 1906

CLAIM FILED LATE 05/03/1982 . AS MANDATED BY SECTION 85-2-221(3), MCA, THIS CLAIM IS SUBORDINATE, AND THEREFORE JUNIOR, TO ALL FEDERAL AND INDIAN RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): POWER GENERATION

Flow Rate: 1.50 CFS

Volume: 1,080.00 AC-FT

THE USE OF THIS WATER APPEARS TO BE LARGELY NONCONSUMPTIVE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNE	3	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENWNE	3	4S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 90.

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 167334-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DEWEY F WHITTAKER
PO BOX E
PACIFIC BEACH, WA 98571

Priority Date: JULY 28, 1960

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): MINING

***Flow Rate:** 100.00 GPM

***Volume:** 83.00 AC-FT

THIS USE IS ESSENTIALLY NON-CONSUMPTIVE. IN THE EVENT OF A SUBSEQUENT TRANSFER OR CHANGE OF THIS WATER RIGHT, THE USE SHALL BE DEEMED TO BE WHOLLY NON-CONSUMPTIVE.

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Source Name: FORGE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWSE	2	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Diversion Means: PUMP

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SENESW	3	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Diversion Means: PUMP

3			SESWSW	11	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4					
	Diversion Means:	PUMP					
4			SWNESE	15	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4					
	Diversion Means:	PUMP					

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENESW	3	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

WHENEVER THE WATER RIGHTS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE COMBINED TO SUPPLY WATER FOR THE CLAIMED PURPOSE, EACH IS LIMITED TO THE HISTORICAL FLOW RATE AND PLACE OF USE OF THAT INDIVIDUAL RIGHT. THE SUM TOTAL OF THE VOLUME OF THESE WATER RIGHTS SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE. W167334-00, W167335-00.

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF MONTANA DEPT OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND PARKS WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE FLOW RATE. BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 167335-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DEWEY F WHITTAKER
PO BOX E
PACIFIC BEACH, WA 98571

Priority Date: JULY 28, 1960

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): MINING

***Flow Rate:** 100.00 GPM

***Volume:** 83.00 AC-FT

THIS USE IS ESSENTIALLY NON-CONSUMPTIVE. IN THE EVENT OF A SUBSEQUENT TRANSFER OR CHANGE OF THIS WATER RIGHT, THE USE SHALL BE DEEMED TO BE WHOLLY NON-CONSUMPTIVE.

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWSE	2	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Diversion Means: PUMP

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SESWSW	11	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Diversion Means: PUMP

3		SWNESE	15	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4				
	Diversion Means:	PUMP				
4		SWNESE	15	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4				
	Diversion Means:	PUMP				

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSWSE	2	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			SESWSW	11	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3			SWNESE	15	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

WHENEVER THE WATER RIGHTS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE COMBINED TO SUPPLY WATER FOR THE CLAIMED PURPOSE, EACH IS LIMITED TO THE HISTORICAL FLOW RATE AND PLACE OF USE OF THAT INDIVIDUAL RIGHT. THE SUM TOTAL OF THE VOLUME OF THESE WATER RIGHTS SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE. W167334-00, W167335-00.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 167402-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Late Claim: A

Owners: HOPPERTUNITY PARTNERS LLC
PO BOX 542
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0542

Priority Date: APRIL 1, 1906

CLAIM FILED LATE 05/03/1982 . AS MANDATED BY SECTION 85-2-221(3), MCA, THIS CLAIM IS SUBORDINATE, AND THEREFORE JUNIOR, TO ALL FEDERAL AND INDIAN RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.50 CFS

Volume: 540.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 60.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNE	3	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: DIKE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	60.00		NE	3	4S	12E	PARK
Total:	60.00						

Remarks:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 90.

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THIS CLAIM PRESENTS ISSUES OF FACT AND LAW THAT MAY BE ADDRESSED AT THE OBJECTION STAGE. THERE MAY BE PROBLEMS WITH VOLUME.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179700-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SIGGINS, STANLEY & LILA LIVING TRUST
PO BOX 621
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 18, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS ELGAS SPRING

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DITCH

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		5	N2NE	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2			NENENE	24	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE DITCH CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179701-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SIGGINS, STANLEY & LILA LIVING TRUST
PO BOX 621
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1952

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 2.10 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 0.25

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS ELGAS SPRING

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.25		NWNENE	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.25						

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179702-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners:

AMANDA HITT
PO BOX 1016
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

NICHOLAS HITT
PO BOX 1016
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

JANE V PITSCH
PO BOX 1351
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

STEVEN L PITSCH
PO BOX 1351
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: APRIL 30, 1949

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 25.00 GPM

Volume: 6.20 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 2.50

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNW	24	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.50		NENWNW	24	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	2.50						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

ON 11/4/2008 THE DNRC FILED A MEMORANDUM STATING THAT THE PLACE OF USE LEGAL DESCRIPTION SHOULD BE CORRECTED TO THE NWNWNW 24, T1N, R14E. THIS WILL BE HEARD AFTER PROPER NOTICE ON THE NEXT OBJECTION LIST.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179703-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SIGGINS, STANLEY & LILA LIVING TRUST
PO BOX 621
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MAY 14, 1973

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): WATERFOWL

Flow Rate: 15.50 CFS

Volume: 1,000.00 AC-FT

THE USE OF THIS WATER APPEARS TO BE LARGELY NONCONSUMPTIVE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSE	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: MULTIPLE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SESWNE	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: MULTIPLE

3 SWSENE 23 1N 14E SWEET GRASS

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: MULTIPLE

4 NWSENE 23 1N 14E SWEET GRASS

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: MULTIPLE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNWNW	24	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2			NENENE	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3			NWNENE	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4			NWNENE	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
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Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179744-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: VF FARM LLC
3350 RIVERWOOD PKWY SE STE 425
ATLANTA, GA 30339-3347

Priority Date: MARCH 23, 1893

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 1.21 CFS

Volume: 200.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 32.00

***Source Name:** SECOND CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	23	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	32.00		NE	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	32.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE HEADGATE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

SOURCE NAME WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179790-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 5 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CAMERON MAYO
PO BOX 318
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1901

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 2.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 70.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	70.00		E2	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	70.00						

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179791-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 5 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CAMERON MAYO
PO BOX 318
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1901

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

Volume: THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

***Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

***Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			S2NE	21	1N	12E	SWEET GRASS
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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 179792-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 5 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	CAMERON MAYO PO BOX 318 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	MAY 15, 1944
Type of Historical Right:	DECREED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	2.00 CFS
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	70.00
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion:	APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15
Diversion Means:	HEADGATE
Ditch Name:	POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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Total:	70.00						

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179793-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 5 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CAMERON MAYO
PO BOX 318
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MARCH 1, 1884

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3	NWNWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELECTRIC LIGHT DITCH

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			S2NE	21	1N	12E	SWEET GRASS
2			N2SE	21	1N	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179794-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: INTERNATIONAL CHURCH OF THE FOURSQUARE GOSPEL
1910 W SUNSET BLVD SUITE 200
PO BOX 26902
LOS ANGELES, CA 90026-0176

Priority Date: JUNE 12, 1957

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.14 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 5 - LOW

Maximum Acres: 30.00

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSW	23	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	30.00		SE	23	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	30.00						

Remarks:

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POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 950.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE HEADGATE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS JUNE 4, 1957.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179795-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: INTERNATIONAL CHURCH OF THE FOURSQUARE GOSPEL
1910 W SUNSET BLVD SUITE 200
PO BOX 26902
LOS ANGELES, CA 90026-0176

Priority Date: JULY 12, 1962

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

Flow Rate: 426.36 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 5 - LOW

Maximum Acres: 25.00

Source Name: SPECULATOR CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENW	23	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	25.00		SE	23	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	25.00						

Remarks:

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

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POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 950.

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE HEADGATE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 1389, BOZEMAN, MT 59771-1389.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

YOUR WATER RIGHT AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT MAY HAVE *CHANGES* FROM YOUR WATER RIGHT AS CLAIMED OR AMENDED. AN ASTERISK (*) HAS BEEN PLACED NEXT TO EACH ITEM CHANGED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR BY THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT WATER RIGHT CLAIMS EXAMINATION RULES OR BY ORDER OF THE WATER COURT.

OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 179821-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BIG TIMBER, CITY OF
PO BOX 416
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0416

Priority Date: JULY 1, 1900

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 3.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: HOGAN DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3.00		NWNWNE	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	3.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE EXCEEDS THE 17 GPM PER ACRE GUIDELINE AND CANNOT BE CONFIRMED DUE TO LACK OF DATA. THE FLOW RATE EQUALS 224.00 GPM PER ACRE. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THE FLOW RATE FOR THIS CLAIM, THE FLOW RATE WILL REMAIN AS IT APPEARS ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 1389, BOZEMAN, MT 59771-1389.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179900-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KIRSTEN A BARGE
PO BOX 757
FORT BENTON, MT 59442

Priority Date: AUGUST 12, 1939

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 3.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 1.49

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MILLER CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWNW	18	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.49		NE	13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.49						

Remarks:

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179922-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners:

DOROTHY GOOSEY
%NORSKOG, DARRELL
PO BOX 161
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

FRANCES M LAMP
%NORSKOG, DARRELL
PO BOX 161
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

SHARON LAMP
%NORSKOG, DARRELL
PO BOX 161
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: JUNE 30, 1894

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

Flow Rate: 22.44 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 1.44

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County

1		SESWSW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS	

Period of Diversion: MARCH 15 TO NOVEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CREST DITCH

Period of Use: MARCH 15 TO NOVEMBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.44		NENE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.44						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179974-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DENNIS O ESPELAND
917 EDGEHILL VISTA
BILLINGS, MT 59101

MARILYN L ESPELAND
917 EDGEHILL VISTA
BILLINGS, MT 59101

Priority Date: JULY 13, 1945

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 12.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.50

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.50			13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.50						

Remarks:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 1134.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE PUMP CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

MEANS OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179994-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KT RANCH LLC
% SIDNEY N HERMAN
3800 N LAKE SHORE DR #15B
CHICAGO, IL 60613-3313

Priority Date: JANUARY 31, 1903

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWNW	14	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENWNW	14	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

SOURCE WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179995-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KT RANCH LLC
% SIDNEY N HERMAN
3800 N LAKE SHORE DR #15B
CHICAGO, IL 60613-3313

Priority Date: OCTOBER 15, 1900

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 4.13 CFS

***Volume:** 300.00 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 32.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CLAUSE-WEAVER DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	32.00		NW	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	32.00						

Remarks:

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THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF PATRICK STOTESBERY WAS AMENDED BY PATRICK STOTESBERY TO INCLUDE VOLUME . BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179996-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES E MCGEHEE III
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

JANET MCGEHEE
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

***Priority Date:** JUNE 13, 1901

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESENE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179997-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: RED RADISH LLC
50 S MAIN ST STE 303
PROVIDENCE, RI 02903-2919

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1900

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 15.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNWSW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 179998-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: RED RADISH LLC
50 S MAIN ST STE 303
PROVIDENCE, RI 02903-2919

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1954

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 15.00 GPM

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Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENWSW	33	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 180046-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	ELIZABETH ALOISI 1725 GLENVIEW AVE KAUKAUNA, WI 54130
	ROBERT ALOISI 1725 GLENVIEW AVE KAUKAUNA, WI 54130
	CAROL A ANDERSON 3353 STATE ST EAU CLAIRE, WI 54701
	PETER HANS ANDERSON 3353 STATE ST EAU CLAIRE, WI 54701
	JAY R WILDNER 410 WOODWARD DR SUN PRAIRIE, WI 53590
	SARA WILDNER W7031 HIGH RD WILD ROSE, WI 54984-9015
Priority Date:	JULY 31, 1955
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	DOMESTIC
Flow Rate:	25.00 GPM
Volume:	2.00 AC-FT
Households:	1

Maximum Acres: 8.80

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSW	14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	8.80		NENWSW	14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	8.80						

Remarks:

PLACE OF USE IS IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 48.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 180117-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1961

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNENE	36	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

***Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN STANDARDIZED BY DNRC FOR THIS CLAIM.

Reservoir: OFFSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
	NWNENE	36	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNENE	36	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

NO QUANTIFIED FLOW RATE WAS CLAIMED. THE FLOW RATE GUIDELINE FOR THIS PURPOSE IS 35 GPM.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 180118-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1956

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: SHIPTON GULCH

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSW	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSWSW	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 180119-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1950

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 180120-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: VON FERSTEL HOMESTEAD LLC
3350 RIVERWOOD PKWY SE STE 425
ATLANTA, GA 30339-3347

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1956

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESESE	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 180121-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1961

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BASIN CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSW	36	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

***Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN STANDARDIZED BY DNRC FOR THIS CLAIM.

Reservoir: ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County

SWSWSW	36	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS	

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSWSW	36	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 180122-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1953

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESENW	28	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

***Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DAM

THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN STANDARDIZED BY DNRC FOR THIS CLAIM.

Reservoir: ONSTREAM

Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
	SESENW	28	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESENW	28	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 180123-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

Priority Date: JULY 31, 1959

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENENE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENENE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 180124-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: STENBERG LIVING TRUST
STENBERG, STUART T & DAVA J TRUSTEE
1750 MAIN BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8801

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1945

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSW	26	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELGES-MUNCASTER DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENW	25	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 181034-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: EARL C SCHOTT
PO BOX 1007
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: JUNE 27, 1973

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 158.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	78.00		NW	28	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	15.00		NE	28	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	65.00		SW	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	158.00						

Remarks:

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

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 181035-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	EARL C SCHOTT PO BOX 1007 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	MAY 1, 1901
Type of Historical Right:	DECREED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	1.93 CFS
Volume:	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	158.00
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion:	APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1
Diversion Means:	HEADGATE
Ditch Name:	POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	78.00		NW	28	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	15.00		NE	28	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	65.00		SW	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	158.00						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 181036-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	EARL C SCHOTT PO BOX 1007 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	MAY 15, 1944
Type of Historical Right:	DECREED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	2.00 CFS
Volume:	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	158.00
Source Name:	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

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Diversion Means:	HEADGATE
Ditch Name:	POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 181037-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: EARL C SCHOTT
PO BOX 1007
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1901

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

Volume: THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

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Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NE	28	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
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IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF MARCH 30, 1987, A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 181038-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	ETHEL M NELSON PO BOX 1258 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	KENNETH W NELSON PO BOX 1258 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	EARL C SCHOTT PO BOX 1007 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	KAREN TUSCANO PO BOX 1615 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	WESLEY TUSCANO PO BOX 1615 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	DECEMBER 9, 1905
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	SPRINKLER/FLOOD
Flow Rate:	1.00 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 80.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLIS-KING-HAWKS DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	60.00		S2SW	21	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	20.00		N2NW	28	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	80.00						

Remarks:

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THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 181040-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: EARL C SCHOTT
PO BOX 1007
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: DECEMBER 9, 1905

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Ditch Name: ELLIS-KING-HAWKS DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 181042-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 4 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	MARY E CREMER 189 MAIN BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8017
	GENE LANGHUS 147 BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	MARY LANGHUS 147 BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8017
	MEMC REVOCABLE TRUST CREMER, MARY E. TRUSTEE 89 MAIN BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	DECEMBER 4, 1905
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	2.50 CFS
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 70.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLIS-KING-HAWKS DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	22.80		NESE	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	3.00	2	SENE	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	23.90	3	NESW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	20.30	4	SESW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	70.00						

Remarks:

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

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 29277-00, 43BJ 125732-00, 43BJ 181038-00, 43BJ 181042-00.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN CHANGED THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE, IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF MARCH 30, 1987, A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 181043-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
Owners:	MARY E CREMER 189 MAIN BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8017
	GENE LANGHUS 147 BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	MARY LANGHUS 147 BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8017
	MEMC REVOCABLE TRUST CREMER, MARY E. TRUSTEE 89 MAIN BOULDER RD BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	MAY 6, 1908
Type of Historical Right:	DECREED
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
Flow Rate:	2.00 CFS
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 59.20

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOGG DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	12.00		NESE	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	3.00	2	SENE	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	23.90	3	NESW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	20.30	4	SESW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	59.20						

Remarks:

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DITCH NAME WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE LOCATED IN GOVT LOT 3 IN THE SWSESE, SEC 3, T1S, R14E, SWEET GRASS COUNTY.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF MARCH 30, 1987, A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PLACE OF USE FOR THE H. O. KELLOGG DECREED RIGHT, DESCRIBED AS SECTION 29 T1N R14E IN SUPPLEMENTAL DECREE NO. 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY, IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE AND THE SUBMITTED ALMA CORT NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT (BK. 20 PG. 195). ALMA CORT'S DECREED MAY 1, 1901 SUPPLEMENTAL RIGHT APPEARS CORRECT AND IS CONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 181228-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KIRSTEN A BARGE
PO BOX 757
FORT BENTON, MT 59442

Priority Date: AUGUST 31, 1939

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 3.00 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 1.49

Source Name: MILLER CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWNW	18	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.49		NWSENE	13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.49						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE PIPELINE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 182412-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JAMES E MCGEHEE III
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

JANET MCGEHEE
1530 CARR AVE
MEMPHIS, TN 38104

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1940

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 25.00 GPM

Volume: 4.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 2.00

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENESE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.00		NENESE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	2.00						

Remarks:

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 185506-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: AILEEN L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

TERRY L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: OCTOBER 10, 1894

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNWSW	33	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNWSW	33	2S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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SOURCE WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 185507-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: AILEEN L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

TERRY L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: OCTOBER 10, 1894

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSW	33	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNWSW	33	2S	12E	PARK

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 185626-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: AILEEN L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

TERRY L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1885

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 66.00

***Source Name:** NUTTAL CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSW	33	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: WILSON DITCH

2	NWSESW	33	2S	12E	PARK	

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: WILSON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	30.00		E2W2SE	33	2S	12E	PARK
2	15.00		W2SWSE	33	2S	12E	PARK
3	20.00		SESW	33	2S	12E	PARK
4	1.00		NESWSW	33	2S	12E	PARK
Total:	66.00						

Remarks:

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 185627-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: AILEEN L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

TERRY L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1885

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** NUTTAL CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSW	33	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: WILSON DITCH

2			NWSESW	33	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: WILSON DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			W2SE	33	2S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 185628-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: AILEEN L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

TERRY L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: MAY 3, 1916

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNENW	33	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNENW	33	2S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 185629-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: AILEEN L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

TERRY L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: AUGUST 28, 1893

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	32	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSENE	32	2S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 185630-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: AILEEN L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

TERRY L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 26, 1906

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESW	32	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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Water Right Number: **43BJ 185631-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: AILEEN L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

TERRY L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: OCTOBER 22, 1908

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 185634-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: AILEEN L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

TERRY L NOBLE
1509 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 26, 1909

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWNE	32	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESWNE	32	2S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

SOURCE WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 185638-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ROBIN E HANEL
1723 IRIS LANE
BILLINGS, MT 59102

THOMAS W HANEL
1723 IRIS LANE
BILLINGS, MT 59102

Priority Date: JULY 10, 1934

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 10.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 2

Source Name: FROZE-TO-DEATH CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			10	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 19

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

THE POINT OF DIVERSION IS LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY #4 (PLAT 94).

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 19

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				10	4S	12E	PARK

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY #4 (PLAT 94).

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THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE IN THE W2SE SEC 10 TWP 4S RGE 12E PARK COUNTY.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 185639-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KUNKEL, BRUCE A & SHERRI L FAMILY TRUST
8505 SHADY TRL
PEQUOT LAKES, MN 56472-1103

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1934

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 12.50 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.27

Source Name: FROZE-TO-DEATH CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSE	10	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MARCH 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: MARCH 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.27		NESWSE	10	4S	12E	PARK
Total:	0.27						

Remarks:

PLACE OF USE IS IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 41.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 185640-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER RESERVE ASSOC INC
%ROBERT GREEN
482 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8067

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1906

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 5.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSE	19	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: OTHER DIVERSION

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNWSE	19	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 185641-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER RESERVE ASSOC INC
%ROBERT GREEN
482 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8067

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1940

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 30.00 GPM

Volume: 3.00 AC-FT

Households: 4

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESW	19	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SW	19	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 185642-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CINDY A STEIGER
471 VALLEY FRONTAGE RD
HYSHAM, MT 59038-9435

DALLAS STEIGER
471 VALLEY FRONTAGE RD
HYSHAM, MT 59038-9435

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1934

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 30.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.33

Source Name: FROZE-TO-DEATH CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSE	10	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

THE TOWNSHIP IS UNSURVEYED. THE LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION FOR THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN ESTIMATED.

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.33		NESWSE	10	4S	12E	PARK
Total:	0.33						

THE TOWNSHIP IS UNSURVEYED. THE LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION FOR THE PLACE OF USE HAS BEEN ESTIMATED.

Remarks:

PLACE OF USE IS IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY NO. 41.

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POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE PLACE OF USE APPEARS TO NEED MODIFICATION BASED ON THE DNRC CORRECTION TO THE POINT OF DIVERSION. THE CORRECT PLACE OF USE LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION APPEARS TO BE THE E2NWSE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 188028-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DEWEY F WHITTAKER
PO BOX E
PACIFIC BEACH, WA 98571

Priority Date: JULY 4, 1951

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): MINING

***Flow Rate:** 100.00 GPM

***Volume:** 83.00 AC-FT

THIS USE IS ESSENTIALLY NON-CONSUMPTIVE. IN THE EVENT OF A SUBSEQUENT TRANSFER OR CHANGE OF THIS WATER RIGHT, THE USE SHALL BE DEEMED TO BE WHOLLY NON-CONSUMPTIVE.

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

***Source Name:** EAST CHIPPY CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS BOBCAT CREEK

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESW	5	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Period of Diversion:	MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4					
Diversion Means:	PUMP					
2		SWNWNE	6	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Period of Diversion:	MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4					

	Diversion Means:	PUMP					
3			NENWNE	6	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4					
	Diversion Means:	PUMP					
4			NWNENE	1	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4					
	Diversion Means:	PUMP					

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNESW	5	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			SWNENE	6	5S	13E	SWEET GRASS
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Water Right Number: **43BJ 188029-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: JANUARY 20, 1964

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): FISH AND WILDLIFE

Flow Rate: 33.70 GPM

Volume: 56.00 AC-FT

THE USE OF THIS WATER APPEARS TO BE LARGELY NONCONSUMPTIVE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSW	24	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESESE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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

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THE CAPACITY OF THE DIVERSION AND CONVEYANCE SYSTEM CANNOT BE DETERMINED AND THE FLOW RATE REMAINS AS ORIGINALLY CLAIMED. THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE CAN BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM THE FLOW RATE WILL BE DECREED AS CLAIMED, AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE VOLUME OF THIS CLAIM CANNOT BE DETERMINED FROM AVAILABLE INFORMATION, AND VOLUME REMAINS AS ORIGINALLY CLAIMED. THE CLAIMED VOLUME CAN BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM THE VOLUME WILL BE DECREED AS CLAIMED, AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 188030-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: JANUARY 20, 1964

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNWNE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PURSUANT TO WATER COURT ORDER, IF NO OBJECTIONS TO THIS CLAIM ARE FILED, THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE OF 5 GPM WILL BE REINSTATED.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 188031-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: JANUARY 20, 1964

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENESW	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENESW	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 188032-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: HAAS REAL PROPERTY TRUST
%ARGONAUT SECURITIES
1155 BATTERY ST #LS7W
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111-1203

Priority Date: JUNE 27, 1971

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 41.00 AC-FT

Households: 21

Maximum Acres: 10.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSW	24	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3.00		NESESE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	7.00		SWSWSW	24	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	10.00						

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE ASSOCIATED WHICH MEANS THE RIGHTS SHARE THE SAME POINT OF DIVERSION.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 188056-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: PACKARD, JULIE E SEPERATE PROPERTY TRUST
6551 GLEN HAVEN
SOQUEL, CA 95073

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1901

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.90 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

***Maximum Acres:** 49.00

***Source Name:** NATURAL BRIDGE DRAW CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNW	26	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO NOVEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: KOONTZ DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO NOVEMBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	7.00		NESWSW	26	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	17.00		SWNW	26	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
3	25.00		NWSW	26	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	49.00						

Remarks:

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SOURCE NAME AND DITCH NAME WERE MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 188057-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: PACKARD, JULIE E SEPERATE PROPERTY TRUST
6551 GLEN HAVEN
SOQUEL, CA 95073

Priority Date: APRIL 1, 1903

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 120.00

Source Name: HANNA CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENESE	35	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO NOVEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO NOVEMBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	100.00		W2E2	35	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	20.00		SWSE	26	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	120.00						

Remarks:

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

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THE PLACE OF USE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT IN 2011 PURSUANT TO SECTION 85-2-233(6), MCA.

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THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE HEADGATE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS MARCH 18, 1908.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE SOURCE DESCRIBED ON THE FILED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED SOURCE.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 188058-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: PACKARD, JULIE E SEPERATE PROPERTY TRUST
6551 GLEN HAVEN
SOQUEL, CA 95073

Priority Date: MAY 29, 1903

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: WATER SPREADING

***Flow Rate:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

***Volume:** 25.50 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

***Maximum Acres:** 15.00

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS FLINT BLUFF SPRING

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSESE	26	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO NOVEMBER 15

Diversion Means: DIKE

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO NOVEMBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	15.00		W2SE	26	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	15.00						

Remarks:

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THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE DIKE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

SOURCE NAME WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS MAY 25, 1903.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 188059-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: PACKARD, JULIE E SEPERATE PROPERTY TRUST
6551 GLEN HAVEN
SOQUEL, CA 95073

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 19, 1928

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 120.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WARM SPRINGS CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWSE	35	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO NOVEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO NOVEMBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	100.00		W2E2	35	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	20.00		SWSE	26	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	120.00						

Remarks:

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

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 188060-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: PACKARD, JULIE E SEPERATE PROPERTY TRUST
6551 GLEN HAVEN
SOQUEL, CA 95073

Priority Date: JANUARY 5, 1903

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 1.90 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 50.00

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWSE	26	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO NOVEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 15 TO NOVEMBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	7.00		S2SWSE	26	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	43.00		W2NE	35	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	50.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE HEADGATE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS JANUARY 2, 1903.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 188061-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WENDY DENNEHY
PO BOX 1096
COLSTRIP, MT 59323

DORIS MANNING
PO BOX 212
HYSHAM, MT 59038

MARK MANNING
PO BOX 71
HYSHAM, MT 59038

Priority Date: JULY 13, 1945

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 12.00 GPM

Volume: 2.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.50

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: MULTIPLE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.50			13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.50						

Remarks:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY #1134

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 188070-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SARAH L WALTON
540 BOULDER ROAD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8001

Priority Date: MARCH 15, 1889

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 390.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 18.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLISON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	18.00		NW	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	18.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE EXCEEDS THE 17 GPM PER ACRE GUIDELINE AND CANNOT BE CONFIRMED DUE TO LACK OF DATA. THE FLOW RATE EQUALS 22.00 GPM PER ACRE. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THE FLOW RATE FOR THIS CLAIM, THE FLOW RATE WILL REMAIN AS IT APPEARS ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 188071-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SARAH L WALTON
540 BOULDER ROAD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8001

Priority Date: APRIL 17, 1905

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 247.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 18.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLISON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	18.00		NW	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	18.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS APRIL 20, 1905.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 188072-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SARAH L WALTON
540 BOULDER ROAD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8001

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1904

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 283.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 18.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLISON DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	18.00		NW	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	18.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 48449-00, 43BJ 123987-00, 43BJ 123990-00, 43BJ 188072-00.

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THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 1389, BOZEMAN, MT 59771-1389.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 188073-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NANCY L ICOPINI
3313 STONEWALL LN
BILLINGS, MT 59102-0142

Priority Date: JULY 13, 1945

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 12.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.75

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: MULTIPLE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.75			13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.75						

Remarks:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY NO. 1134.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE PIPE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 193134-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D & R LLC
9701 SOARING HAWK CIRCLE
ZIONSVILLE, IN 46077

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1882

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2NESE	1	3S	11E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2NESE	1	3S	11E	PARK

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 193135-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D & R LLC
9701 SOARING HAWK CIRCLE
ZIONSVILLE, IN 46077

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1882

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESENE	1	3S	11E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESENE	1	3S	11E	PARK

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 193138-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D & R LLC
9701 SOARING HAWK CIRCLE
ZIONSVILLE, IN 46077

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1940

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSESE	1	3S	11E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSESE	1	3S	11E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 193638-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: ELLISON RANCH LP
1825 SWINGLEY RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8603

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1960

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SICK EM CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENESE	22	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENESE	22	2S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 207160-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BRANDON FUNK
511 RIMROCK RD
BILLINGS, MT 59102

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 4, 1968

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 26.93 GPM

Volume: 3.50 AC-FT

Households: 3

Maximum Acres: 0.50

Source Name: GRAHAM CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWSE	14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.50		NESESW	14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.50						

Remarks:

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 207161-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MICHAEL E MIHALOVICH
119 6TH ST W
ROUNDUP, MT 59072-2824

ROBERT V MIHALOVICH
119 6TH ST W
ROUNDUP, MT 59072-2824

Priority Date: JUNE 30, 1938

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 10.00 GPM

Volume: 3.00 AC-FT

Households: 3

Maximum Acres: 1.00

Source Name: MILLER CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNWNE	13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.00		SWNENW	13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.00						

Remarks:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE ARE LOCATED IN HOMESTEAD ENTRY NO. 1134.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE PIPELINE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 210827-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

BROWNLEE, WILLIAM T REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, WILLIAM TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

***Priority Date:** APRIL 1, 1906

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

***Purpose (Use):** IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 166.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 10.00

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CONANT CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWNE	5	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

2		NESWNE	5	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS	

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

***Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	10.00	2	NE	5	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	10.00						

Remarks:

THIS IMPLIED CLAIM WAS BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NUMBER W012296-00.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

FILING FEE INSUFFICIENT TO COVER IMPLIED CLAIM. TOTAL AMOUNT DUE 40.00.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE HEADGATE CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE SOURCE DESCRIBED ON THE FILED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED SOURCE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 210838-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Owners: FRED ESCHENKE
MCLEOD RT
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

KANSAS CITY LIFE INSURANCE CO
PO BOX 139
KANSAS CITY, MO 64101

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 09/05/86.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 211136-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: EAST BOULDER RANCH #2 LLC
% ELIO MAZZELLA
7 RENAISSANCE SQ FL 7
WHITE PLAINS, NY 10601-3039

Priority Date: DECEMBER 20, 1906

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 10.00 GPM

Volume: 3.00 AC-FT

Households: 2

Maximum Acres: 1.00

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWNW	34	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.00		SESWNW	34	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

FEE INSUFFICIENT TO COVER CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 211352-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 5 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
	Late Claim: B
Owners:	ANNETTE THOMPSON PO BOX 976 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
	THEODORE A THOMPSON PO BOX 976 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011
Priority Date:	DECEMBER 15, 1892
Enforceable Priority Date:	JUNE 30, 1973
	CLAIM FILED LATE 07/10/1985 . AS MANDATED BY SECTION 85-2-221(3), MCA, THIS CLAIM IS SUBORDINATE, AND THEREFORE JUNIOR, TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW.
Type of Historical Right:	FILED
Purpose (Use):	STOCK
Flow Rate:	A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.
Volume:	THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	12	SWSWSE	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: DUNDAS DITCH

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2	12	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2			SW	7	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

CLAIM WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

CLAIM FILED LATE 07/10/1985 . IN ADDITION TO BEING SUBORDINATE TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW, THIS RIGHT MAY ALSO BE SUBORDINATE TO CERTAIN PERMITS AND RESERVATIONS OF WATER. SEE SECTION 85-2-221 MCA.

ACCORDING TO CADASTRAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP RECORDS, AS OF 11/13/2012 , THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY TIMOTHYY E. THOMPSON ETAL. AND BRUCE WILLIAM TOWNSEND.

THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION OF THE PERIOD OF USE ISSUE.

POINT OF DIVERSION WAS MODIFIED AS A RESULT OF DNRC REVIEW UNDER MONTANA WATER COURT REEXAMINATION ORDERS. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THIS CLAIM, THESE ELEMENTS WILL REMAIN AS THEY APPEAR ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED PERIOD OF USE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. USE OF THIS WATER MAY NOT BE FEASIBLE DURING WINTER MONTHS.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 211461-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: **WITHDRAWN**

Late Claim: B

Owners: DRY CREEK CANAL CO
%DAN SANDERS
503 HIGHWAY 10 E
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8043

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right:

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Flow Rate:

Volume:

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

Period of Use:

Place of Use:

Remarks:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 11/04/88.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 212588-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

***Priority Date:** FEBRUARY 27, 1920

***Type of Historical Right:** USE

***Purpose (Use):** STOCK

***Flow Rate:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM.

***Volume:** THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** WHISTLE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		S2	16	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

***Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			S2	16	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THIS IMPLIED CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. W033995-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 215572-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Late Claim: B

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date: JUNE 30, 1973

CLAIM FILED LATE 06/28/1996 . AS MANDATED BY SECTION 85-2-221(3), MCA, THIS CLAIM IS SUBORDINATE, AND THEREFORE JUNIOR, TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW.

Type of Historical Right: USE

***Purpose (Use):** IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 3.94 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 105.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	105.00		W2	16	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	105.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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

CLAIM WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

CLAIM FILED LATE 06/28/1996 . IN ADDITION TO BEING SUBORDINATE TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW, THIS RIGHT MAY ALSO BE SUBORDINATE TO CERTAIN PERMITS AND RESERVATIONS OF WATER. SEE SECTION 85-2-221 MCA.

THE SWEET GRASS COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1950) APPEARS TO INDICATE 60 ACRES IRRIGATED. A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE.

USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO(S). 179-13 , DATED 09/16/1979 , APPEARS TO INDICATE 135 ACRES IRRIGATED. A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE.

NO PRIORITY DATE WAS CLAIMED.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A USE AND RESERVED RIGHT.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 215573-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Late Claim: B

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date: JUNE 30, 1973

CLAIM FILED LATE 06/28/1996 . AS MANDATED BY SECTION 85-2-221(3), MCA, THIS CLAIM IS SUBORDINATE, AND THEREFORE JUNIOR, TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW.

Type of Historical Right: USE

***Purpose (Use):** IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.62 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 70.00

Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
3		SESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

***Period of Diversion:** APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

***Period of Use:** APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	70.00		SESWSE	20	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	70.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

CLAIM WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

CLAIM FILED LATE 06/28/1996 . IN ADDITION TO BEING SUBORDINATE TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW, THIS RIGHT MAY ALSO BE SUBORDINATE TO CERTAIN PERMITS AND RESERVATIONS OF WATER. SEE SECTION 85-2-221 MCA.

NO PRIORITY DATE WAS CLAIMED.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A USE AND RESERVED RIGHT.

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COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 215604-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Late Claim: B

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date: JUNE 30, 1973

CLAIM FILED LATE 07/01/1996 . AS MANDATED BY SECTION 85-2-221(3), MCA, THIS CLAIM IS SUBORDINATE, AND THEREFORE JUNIOR, TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW.

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 102.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 6.00

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	18	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	6.00		SESENW	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	6.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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

THE FLOW RATE OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN REDUCED TO THE 17 GPM PER ACRE GUIDELINE. THE FLOW RATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

CLAIM WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

CLAIM FILED LATE 07/01/1996 . IN ADDITION TO BEING SUBORDINATE TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW, THIS RIGHT MAY ALSO BE SUBORDINATE TO CERTAIN PERMITS AND RESERVATIONS OF WATER. SEE SECTION 85-2-221 MCA.

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT WERE FILED BY DIFFERENT PARTIES WHO CLAIM OVERLAPPING PLACES OF USE. W036408-00, W036410-00, W036411-00, W036414-00, W215604-00.

THE SWEET GRASS COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1957) APPEARS TO INDICATE 3.04 ACRES IRRIGATED. A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE.

NO PRIORITY DATE WAS CLAIMED.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A USE AND RESERVED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 215605-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Late Claim: B

Owners: MONTANA STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS
FORESTRY AND TRUST LANDS DIVISION
PO BOX 201601
HELENA, MT 59620-1601

Priority Date:

Enforceable Priority Date: JUNE 30, 1973

CLAIM FILED LATE 07/01/1996 . AS MANDATED BY SECTION 85-2-221(3), MCA, THIS CLAIM IS SUBORDINATE, AND THEREFORE JUNIOR, TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW.

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 425.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 25.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLISON DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	25.00		E2E2	16	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	25.00						

Remarks:

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE FLOW RATE OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN REDUCED TO THE 17 GPM PER ACRE GUIDELINE. THE FLOW RATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

CLAIM WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

CLAIM FILED LATE 07/01/1996 . IN ADDITION TO BEING SUBORDINATE TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW, THIS RIGHT MAY ALSO BE SUBORDINATE TO CERTAIN PERMITS AND RESERVATIONS OF WATER. SEE SECTION 85-2-221 MCA.

NO PRIORITY DATE WAS CLAIMED.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A USE AND RESERVED RIGHT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 216205-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 5 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: ACTIVE
	Late Claim: B
Owners:	LOVELY LAND AND LIVESTOCK LLC PO BOX 1485 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1485
	SWEET GRASS COMMUNITY FOUNDATION PO BOX 517 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0517
***Priority Date:**	DECEMBER 31, 1905
Enforceable Priority Date:	JUNE 30, 1973
	CLAIM FILED LATE 07/01/1996 . AS MANDATED BY SECTION 85-2-221(3), MCA, THIS CLAIM IS SUBORDINATE, AND THEREFORE JUNIOR, TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW.
Type of Historical Right:	USE
Purpose (Use):	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
***Flow Rate:**	1.36 CFS
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
Maximum Acres:	36.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELLIS-KING-HAWKS DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	36.00		NW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	36.00						

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 03/11/1977: MAXIMUM ACRES, PLACE OF USE.

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE FLOW RATE OF THIS CLAIM HAS BEEN REDUCED TO 17 GPM PER ACRE. THE FLOW RATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

CLAIM WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

CLAIM FILED LATE 07/01/1996 . IN ADDITION TO BEING SUBORDINATE TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW, THIS RIGHT MAY ALSO BE SUBORDINATE TO CERTAIN PERMITS AND RESERVATIONS OF WATER. SEE SECTION 85-2-221 MCA.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 216206-00** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 4 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Late Claim: B

Owners:

HERITAGE BARNS LLC
34 BIG TIMBER LOOP RD.
C/O DANIEL TROY SAYLOR
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

LOVELY LAND AND LIVESTOCK LLC
PO BOX 1485
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1485

ROSE BLUE LLC
999 VANDERBILT BEACH RD STE 703
NAPLES, FL 34108-3516

SWEET GRASS COMMUNITY FOUNDATION
PO BOX 517
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0517

***Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1884

Enforceable Priority Date: JUNE 30, 1973

CLAIM FILED LATE 07/01/1996 . AS MANDATED BY SECTION 85-2-221(3), MCA, THIS CLAIM IS SUBORDINATE, AND THEREFORE JUNIOR, TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW.

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.50 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 112.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSW	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: ELECTRIC LIGHT DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 1

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	76.00		NE	22	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	36.00		NW	23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	112.00						

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 03/11/1997: MAXIMUM ACRES, PLACE OF USE.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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

CLAIM WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

CLAIM FILED LATE 07/01/1996 . IN ADDITION TO BEING SUBORDINATE TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW, THIS RIGHT MAY ALSO BE SUBORDINATE TO CERTAIN PERMITS AND RESERVATIONS OF WATER. SEE SECTION 85-2-221 MCA.

THE SWEET GRASS COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1950) APPEARS TO INDICATE 85.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

YOUR WATER RIGHT AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT MAY HAVE *CHANGES* FROM YOUR WATER RIGHT AS CLAIMED OR AMENDED. AN ASTERISK (*) HAS BEEN PLACED NEXT TO EACH ITEM CHANGED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR BY THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT WATER RIGHT CLAIMS EXAMINATION RULES OR BY ORDER OF THE WATER COURT.

OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 30010088** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WHISTLE CREEK PARTNERS LLC
540 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

***Priority Date:** MARCH 15, 1889

***Type of Historical Right:** DECREED

***Purpose (Use):** IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 10.10 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 335.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSESE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

***Period of Diversion:** APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CLAUSE-WEAVER

***Period of Use:** APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	71.00		NW	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	36.00		SW	15	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	120.00		NW	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
4	80.00		SW	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
5	28.00		NE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	335.00						

Remarks:

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

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THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 48447-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

ACRES IRRIGATED AND PLACE OF USE WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST FOR PARENT CLAIM 43BJ 48447-00, THEREFORE ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE IN THE NWSENE SEC 21 TWP 1S RGE 14E SWEET GRASS COUNTY.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 1389, BOZEMAN, MT 59771-1389.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

YOUR WATER RIGHT AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT MAY HAVE *CHANGES* FROM YOUR WATER RIGHT AS CLAIMED OR AMENDED. AN ASTERISK (*) HAS BEEN PLACED NEXT TO EACH ITEM CHANGED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR BY THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT WATER RIGHT CLAIMS EXAMINATION RULES OR BY ORDER OF THE WATER COURT.

OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 30051823** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 4 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BAR NOTHING RANCH PARTNERSHIP
PO BOX 1354
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1354

***Priority Date:** NOVEMBER 3, 1893

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

***Purpose (Use):** IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 153.00 GPM

***Volume:** 121.65 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 9.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSE	34	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CLAYTON DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 15

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	9.00		SE	20	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	9.00						

Remarks:

THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 6928-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE FLOW RATE OF THIS CLAIM HAS BEEN REDUCED TO 17 GPM PER ACRE. THE FLOW RATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION OF THE PERIOD OF USE ISSUE.

THE PERIOD OF USE APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE PERIOD OF USE SHOULD BE MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 15.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 1389, BOZEMAN, MT 59771-1389.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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YOUR WATER RIGHT AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT MAY HAVE *CHANGES* FROM YOUR WATER RIGHT AS CLAIMED OR AMENDED. AN ASTERISK (*) HAS BEEN PLACED NEXT TO EACH ITEM CHANGED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR BY THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT WATER RIGHT CLAIMS EXAMINATION RULES OR BY ORDER OF THE WATER COURT.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30069242** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 4 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WINDBREAK RANCH LLC
PO BOX 944
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MAY 15, 1944

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.25 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 194.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 19

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 19

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	74.00		W2SE	20	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	80.00		S2SW	20	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	40.00		NENE	30	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	194.00						

Remarks:

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

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THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 102621-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN CHANGED THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. THEREFORE, IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF MARCH 30, 1987, A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION OF THE PERIOD OF USE ISSUE.

THE PERIOD OF USE APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE PERIOD OF USE SHOULD BE APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15.

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COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30069243** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- POST DECREE

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WINDBREAK RANCH LLC
PO BOX 944
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1901

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Flow Rate: 2.25 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 194.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSESE	3	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 19

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: POST-KELLOG DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 19

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	74.00		W2SE	20	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2	80.00		S2SW	20	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3	40.00		NENE	30	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	194.00						

Remarks:

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THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 102622-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER USES WATER IN THE BOULDER RIVER BASIN (43BJ) AND THE UPPER YELLOWSTONE RIVER BASIN (43B). AS A RESULT IT WILL BE DECREED IN BOTH BASINS AND SUBJECT TO OBJECTION IN EITHER BASIN BEFORE BECOMING FINAL.

THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION OF THE PERIOD OF USE ISSUE.

THE PERIOD OF USE APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE PERIOD OF USE SHOULD BE APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15.

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COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30069244** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MAVIS N RATH
PO BOX 254
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

RICHARD J RATH
PO BOX 254
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

***Priority Date:** MAY 1, 1893

***Type of Historical Right:** USE

***Purpose (Use):** IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 4.38 CFS

THE WATER RIGHT NOS. 43BJ 123897-00 AND 43BJ 30069244 SHARE A FLOW RATE OF 4.38 CFS, APPORTIONED BY VOLUME, BUT LIMITED TO THIS FLOW RATE BETWEEN THE TWO RIGHTS AT ANY ONE TIME.

***Volume:** 6.10 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 1.22

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWNE	10	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: DRY CREEK CANAL

***Period of Use:** APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.22		SW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.22						

Remarks:

THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 123897-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE IN THE SENWNE SEC 10 TWP 1S RGE 14E SWEET GRASS COUNTY.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM INDICATES A FILED RIGHT.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30070551** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

BROWNLEE, WILLIAM T REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, WILLIAM TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

***Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1923

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 15.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MILES GULCH

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2	SWNWNE	23	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 20 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: MAY 20 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		2	SWNWNE	23	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30070552** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

BROWNLEE, WILLIAM T REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, WILLIAM TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

***Priority Date:** JANUARY 20, 1964

THE PRIORITY DATE OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN CHANGED TO THE DATE OF FILING THE NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER APPROPRIATION (FORM GW3). THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 15.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SUSIE CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNE	26	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 20 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: MAY 20 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWNE	26	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30070553** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

BROWNLEE, WILLIAM T REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, WILLIAM TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

Priority Date: MARCH 11, 1963

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SULPHUR CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNESW	13	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 20 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: MAY 20 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNESW	13	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 12/03/2018: SOURCE, POINT OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE AND MEANS OF DIVERSION.

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30070554** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

BROWNLEE, WILLIAM T REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, WILLIAM TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

***Priority Date:** MARCH 11, 1963

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: CASTLE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNE	24	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 20 TO DECEMBER 30

	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
2			NESENW	24	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	MAY 20 TO DECEMBER 30					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
3		3	W2NENW	24	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	MAY 20 TO DECEMBER 30					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
4		4	NENWNW	24	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	MAY 20 TO DECEMBER 30					
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					

Period of Use: MAY 20 TO DECEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNE	24	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			NESENW	24	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3		3	W2NENW	24	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
4		4	NENWNW	24	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30070555** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

BROWNLEE, WILLIAM T REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, WILLIAM TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

***Priority Date:** JANUARY 20, 1964

THE PRIORITY DATE OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN CHANGED TO THE DATE OF FILING THE NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER APPROPRIATION (FORM GW3). THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 15.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF HAPPY JACK GULCH

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1	NENENE	5	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		1	NENENE	5	2S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE MEANS OF DIVERSION WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 12/03/2018.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30116646** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CATHERINE HANSER
15 WHISPERING PINES
MC LEOD, MT 59052

JOSEPH HANSER
15 WHISPERING PINES
MC LEOD, MT 59052

***Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1921

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 50.00 GPM

Volume: 5.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 2.00

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF FROZE TO DEATH CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

SOURCE IS COMPOSED OF WATER COLLECTED IN A PIT FROM TWO (2) SPRINGS WITHIN THE POINT OF DIVERSION LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION.

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSE	10	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Subdivision: KIM-SCO-HEY SUB IN HES 41 OF S/D 30, 30A TRACT/LOT: 2

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.00		NENWSE	10	4S	12E	PARK

Subdivision: KIM-SCO-HEY SUB IN HES 41 OF S/D 30, 30A TRACT/LOT: 2

Total: 2.00

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30116649** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CATHERINE HANSER
15 WHISPERING PINES
MC LEOD, MT 59052

JOSEPH HANSER
15 WHISPERING PINES
MC LEOD, MT 59052

***Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1921

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 50.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF FROZE TO DEATH CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

SOURCE IS COMPOSED OF WATER COLLECTED IN A PIT FROM TWO (2) SPRINGS WITHIN THE POINT OF DIVERSION LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION.

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWSE	10	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Subdivision: KIM-SCO-HEY SUB IN HES 41 OF S/D 30, 30A TRACT/LOT: 2

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENWSE	10	4S	12E	PARK

Subdivision: KIM-SCO-HEY SUB IN HES 41 OF S/D 30, 30A TRACT/LOT: 2

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30120391** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1960

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 25.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSE	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENESW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1960

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 25.00 GPM

Volume: 1.38 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.15

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSE	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.15		NWNWSE	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			NENESW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.15						

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Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: AUGUST 7, 1948

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 35.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

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Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: AUGUST 7, 1948

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 35.00 GPM

Volume: 2.25 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.50

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNENW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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1	0.50		NWNENW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.50						

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Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1960

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 25.00 GPM

Volume: 3.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 1.00

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWSE	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1.00		SWSWSE	6	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	1.00						

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Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1960

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 25.00 GPM

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Source Name: GROUNDWATER

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Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

Priority Date: MAY 11, 1934

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNWNW	11	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNWNW	11	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30120510** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

***Priority Date:** SEPTEMBER 15, 1912

***Type of Historical Right:** USE

***Purpose (Use):** STOCK

***Flow Rate:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM.

***Volume:** THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** BOULDER CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: BRUFFEY DITCH

***Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			S2SW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 106321-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30120511** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

***Priority Date:** MAY 16, 1889

***Type of Historical Right:** DECREED

***Purpose (Use):** STOCK

***Flow Rate:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM.

***Volume:** THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** BOULDER CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DITCH

Ditch Name: MCLEOD MUTUAL DITCH

***Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			W2SE	12	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2			SESW	12	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 106322-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED E. O. CLARK NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS APRIL 22, 1889.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30120512** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

***Priority Date:** DECEMBER 11, 1907

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

***Purpose (Use):** STOCK

***Flow Rate:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM.

***Volume:** THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		W2SE	12	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SESW	12	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

***Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			W2SE	12	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2			SESW	12	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 106323-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30120513** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

***Priority Date:** JUNE 1, 1949

***Type of Historical Right:** USE

***Purpose (Use):** IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 8.00 CFS

THE FLOW RATE OF WATER RIGHTS 43BJ 106325-00 AND 43BJ 30120513 ARE SHARED PURSUANT TO THE SUPPLEMENT TO PART B PARAGRAPH 2, DNRC FORM 641 FILED ON MARCH 6, 2018. THIS SUPPLEMENT IS LOCATED IN EACH CLAIM FILE.

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 27.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 19

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BRUFFEY DITCH

***Period of Use:** MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 19

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	9.00		S2SESE	12	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	3.00		W2SESW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	15.00		SWSW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	27.00						

Remarks:

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

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THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 106325-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30120514** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

***Priority Date:** MAY 1, 1949

***Type of Historical Right:** USE

***Purpose (Use):** IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 10.15 CFS

THE FLOW RATE OF WATER RIGHTS 43BJ 106326-00 AND 43BJ 30120514 ARE SHARED PURSUANT TO THE SUPPLEMENT TO PART B, PARAGRAPH 2, DNRC FORM 641 FILED ON MARCH 6, 2018. THIS SUPPLEMENT IS LOCATED IN EACH CLAIM FILE.

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 22.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 19

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MCLEOD MUTUAL DITCH

***Period of Use:** MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 19

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	11.00		SESW	12	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	11.00		W2SWSE	12	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	22.00						

Remarks:

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THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 106326-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30120515** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

***Priority Date:** SEPTEMBER 15, 1912

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

***Purpose (Use):** IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 5.00 CFS

THE FLOW RATE OF WATER RIGHTS 43BJ 106327-00 AND 43BJ 30120515 ARE SHARED PURSUANT TO THE SUPPLEMENT TO PART B, PARAGRAPH 2, DNRC FORM 641 FILED ON MARCH 6, 2018. THIS SUPPLEMENT IS LOCATED IN EACH CLAIM FILE.

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 27.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 19

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BRUFFEY DITCH

***Period of Use:** MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 19

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	9.00		S2SESE	12	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	3.00		W2SESW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	15.00		SWSW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	27.00						

Remarks:

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

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THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 106327-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE CLAIMS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT MAY BE A MULTIPLE USE OF THE SAME RIGHT. THESE CLAIMS MAY NEED A MULTIPLE USE REMARK. 43BJ 106321-00, 43BJ 106327-00, 43BJ 30120515.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30120516** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

***Priority Date:** DECEMBER 11, 1902

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

***Purpose (Use):** IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 2.50 CFS

THE FLOW RATE OF WATER RIGHTS 43BJ 106328-00 AND 43BJ 30120516 ARE SHARED PURSUANT TO THE SUPPLEMENT TO PART B, PARAGRAPH 2, DNRC FORM 641 FILED ON MARCH 6, 2018. THIS SUPPLEMENT IS LOCATED IN EACH CLAIM FILE.

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 27.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNESW	13	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 19

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BRUFFEY DITCH

***Period of Use:** MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 19

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	9.00		S2SESE	12	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	3.00		W2SESW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3	15.00		SWSW	7	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	27.00						

Remarks:

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

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THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 106328-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30120517** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: P BAR RANCH LLC
% MADRONE CAPITAL PARTNERS
1149 CHESTNUT ST SUITE 200
MENLO PARK, CA 94025

***Priority Date:** APRIL 22, 1889

***Type of Historical Right:** DECREED

***Purpose (Use):** IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 2.50 CFS

THE FLOW RATE OF WATER RIGHTS 43BJ 106332-00 AND 43BJ 30120517 ARE SHARED PURSUANT TO THE SUPPLEMENT TO PART B, PARAGRAPH 2, DNRC FORM 641 FILED ON MARCH 6, 2018. THIS SUPPLEMENT IS LOCATED IN EACH CLAIM FILE.

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 22.00

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	23	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 19

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MCLEOD MUTUAL DITCH

***Period of Use:** MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 19

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	11.00		W2SWSE	12	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2	11.00		SESW	12	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	22.00						

Remarks:

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THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 106332-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30120770** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

BROWNLEE, WILLIAM T REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, WILLIAM TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

***Priority Date:** AUGUST 2, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

***Flow Rate:** 15.00 GPM

Volume: 2.40 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.50

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CHERRY CREEK

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENENW	33	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.50		SENENW	33	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.50						

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30120771** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

BROWNLEE, WILLIAM T REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, WILLIAM TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

***Priority Date:** AUGUST 2, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		2	33	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

THE POINT OF DIVERSION INCLUDES GOVERNMENT LOTS 9, 10.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2		2		33	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

THE PLACE OF USE INCLUDES GOVERNMENT LOTS 9, 10.

Remarks:

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THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30120772** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

BROWNLEE, WILLIAM T REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, WILLIAM TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

***Priority Date:** AUGUST 4, 1925

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** CLAUSE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			34	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		SWSW	27	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

***Period of Use:** JUNE 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				34	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
2			SWSW	27	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30120773** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, ROCHELLE TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

BROWNLEE, WILLIAM T REVOCABLE TRUST
BROWNLEE, WILLIAM TRUSTEE
1075 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8006

***Priority Date:** AUGUST 2, 1902

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: CHERRY CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NW	33	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NW	33	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30122869** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: JANUARY 29, 1916

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 35.00 GPM

Volume: 1.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWSW	4	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENWSW	4	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING WATER RIGHTS ARE ASSOCIATED BECAUSE THEY SHARE THE SAME POINT OF DIVERSION: 43BJ 30123063 (GW CERTIFICATE), 43BJ 30122869 (STATEMENT OF CLAIM), 43BJ 30122873 (STATEMENT OF CLAIM), 43BJ 30122875 (STATEMENT OF CLAIM).

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30122873** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: MARCH 30, 1900

Type of Historical Right: USE

***Purpose (Use):** DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 35.00 GPM

Volume: 11.00 AC-FT

Households: 4

Maximum Acres: 2.00

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWSW	4	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.00		N2SWNE	4	3S	12E	PARK
Total:	2.00						

Remarks:

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30122875** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: JANUARY 29, 1916

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 35.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWSW	4	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESENW	4	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30122877** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: JANUARY 22, 1912

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 35.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESW	5	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESESW	5	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30122878** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: APRIL 14, 1906

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 35.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWNE	7	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSWNE	7	3S	12E	PARK
2			SENWNE	7	3S	12E	PARK
3			NWNENE	7	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30122910** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BURNT LEATHER HOLDINGS LLC
114 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8611

Priority Date: APRIL 17, 1913

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENESE	8	3S	12E	PARK

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		S2NESE	8	3S	12E	PARK
	Source Name:	WEST BOULDER RIVER				
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				
3		NWSESE	8	3S	12E	PARK
	Source Name:	WEST BOULDER RIVER				
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				
4		NESWSE	8	3S	12E	PARK
	Source Name:	WEST BOULDER RIVER				
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				
5		S2SWSE	8	3S	12E	PARK
	Source Name:	WEST BOULDER RIVER				
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				
6		N2NWSW	9	3S	12E	PARK
	Source Name:	WEST BOULDER RIVER				
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				
7		NWNWNE	17	3S	12E	PARK
	Source Name:	WEST BOULDER RIVER				
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				
8		SWNWNE	17	3S	12E	PARK
	Source Name:	WEST BOULDER RIVER				
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				
9		SENENW	17	3S	12E	PARK
	Source Name:	WEST BOULDER RIVER				
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				
10		NESENW	17	3S	12E	PARK
	Source Name:	WEST BOULDER RIVER				
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				
11		SESENW	17	3S	12E	PARK
	Source Name:	WEST BOULDER RIVER				

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

12 N2SWNE 17 3S 12E PARK

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

13 SESWNE 17 3S 12E PARK

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

14 NENWSE 17 3S 12E PARK

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENESE	8	3S	12E	PARK
2			S2NESE	8	3S	12E	PARK
3			NWSESE	8	3S	12E	PARK
4			NESWSE	8	3S	12E	PARK
5			S2SWSE	8	3S	12E	PARK
6			N2NWSW	9	3S	12E	PARK
7			NWNWNE	17	3S	12E	PARK
8			SWNWNE	17	3S	12E	PARK
9			SENENW	17	3S	12E	PARK
10			NESENW	17	3S	12E	PARK
11			SESENW	17	3S	12E	PARK
12			N2SWNE	17	3S	12E	PARK
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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30122913** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: JULY 25, 1916

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		N2SWNW	10	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			N2SWNW	10	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30122915** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 15, 1944

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWNW	16	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSWNW	16	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30122918** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 15, 1944

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWNW	16	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWNW	16	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30122919** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: WEST BOULDER HOLDINGS LLC
46 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8613

Priority Date: APRIL 4, 1917

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNW	21	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNW	21	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

THE POINT OF DIVERSION WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 11/07/2022.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30130038** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: GREB FAMILY TRUST
GREB, DAVID C & DANIELA TRUSTEES
418 W BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

Priority Date:

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

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Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSW	24	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSW	24	2S	12E	SWEET GRASS

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NO PRIORITY DATE WAS CLAIMED.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30131539** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 9, 1908

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NENWNE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NENE	16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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NO QUANTIFIED FLOW RATE HAS BEEN CLAIMED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30131541** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: JUNE 18, 1917

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate:

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSE	9	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSE	9	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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NO QUANTIFIED FLOW RATE HAS BEEN CLAIMED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30131542** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

Priority Date: JULY 3, 1899

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2			16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SE	17	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2				16	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30131544** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MJD FAMILY INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP LP
%WILLIAM TANNER, TANNER MAINSTAIN ET AL
10866 WILSHIRE BLVD 10TH FLOOR
LOS ANGELES, CA 90024

***Priority Date:** JULY 21, 1900

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		E2SWNW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			E2SWNW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30132424** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: D & L DEIBLER INC
183 WHISTLE CREEK LN
REED POINT, MT 59069-7930

Priority Date: JULY 18, 1919

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESWNE	28	2S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESWNE	28	2S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30136980** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SHAWN TITECA
1643 MAIN BOULDER RD # A
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8818

***Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1960

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 2.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	6	SESWSE	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		6	SWSWSE	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30137441** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

***Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1948

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: LOST CABIN CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			19	3S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 20

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

THE POINT OF DIVERSION IS LOCATED IN PROTRACTION BLOCK 45 (PB45) (UNSURVEYED SECTION 19).

Period of Use: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 20

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				19	3S	14E	SWEET GRASS

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN PROTRACTION BLOCK 45 (PB45) (UNSURVEYED SECTION 19).

Remarks:

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30137813** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SHAWN TITECA
1643 MAIN BOULDER RD # A
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8818

***Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1938

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 35.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	6	SWNWSE	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		6	NWSWSE	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30137814** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SHAWN TITECA
1643 MAIN BOULDER RD # A
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8818

***Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1890

***Type of Historical Right:** USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 1.50 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MILES GULCH

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	14	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWSW	14	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30137815** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SHAWN TITECA
1643 MAIN BOULDER RD # A
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8818

***Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1938

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 35.00 GPM

Volume:

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	6	SWNWSE	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		6	SWNWSE	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

THE CLAIMED VOLUME WAS NOT EXAMINED. THE CLAIMED NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS AND ACRES OF DOMESTIC IRRIGATION COULD NOT BE IDENTIFIED.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30138099** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BRENT SHAY
717 TREWIN SCHOOL RD
LAUREL, MT 59044-9754

***Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1940

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BRECK GULCH

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSENE	23	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWSENE	23	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30141852** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MGMT)
5001 SOUTHGATE DR
BILLINGS, MT 59101-4669

Priority Date: MARCH 16, 1938

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNW	9	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SWNW	9	3S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNW	9	3S	12E	PARK
2			SWNW	9	3S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

THIS RIGHT EXTENDS ONLY TO THE SOURCE LOCATIONS ON LAND ADMINISTERED BY THE BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT.

BLM FILED ELECTRONIC CLAIMS. THIS CLAIM REFERENCES BLM CLAIM ID BLM2494 AND GRAZING ALLOTMENT MT05529.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30142854** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MGMT)
5001 SOUTHGATE DR
BILLINGS, MT 59101-4669

Priority Date: MARCH 16, 1938

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNW	24	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
2		SWNW	24	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNW	24	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS
2			SWNW	24	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

BLM FILED ELECTRONIC CLAIMS. THIS CLAIM REFERENCES BLM CLAIM ID BLM3496 AND GRAZING ALLOTMENT MT05501.

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BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

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ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30145000** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DENISE HASSKAMP
130 ASTER ST
CASPER, WY 82604

***Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1928

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 3.00 GPM

***Volume:** 2.23 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.29

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	7	SENWNE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: DEVELOPED SPRING

Period of Use: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.29	7	SENWNE	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.29						

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30145098** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVID E BLAKE
148 E BOULDER RD.
MC LEOD, MT 59052

MAX K BLAKE
148 E BOULDER RD
MC LEOD, MT 59052

***Priority Date:** DECEMBER 4, 1894

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1	W2NENE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2	2	NENWNE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
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2		2	NENWNE	4	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30145099** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: FLYAWAY RANCH LLC
PO BOX 544
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0544

Priority Date: JUNE 20, 1916

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: SUSIE CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

THE SOURCE INCLUDES UNNAMED TRIBUTARIES OF SUSIE CREEK.

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWNE	35	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
2		S2	26	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

3		2	SWNW	26	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SWNE	35	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			S2	26	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3		2	SWNW	26	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30145104** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SHAWN TITECA
1643 MAIN BOULDER RD # A
MC LEOD, MT 59052-8818

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1890

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENE	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		SE	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

3			SESW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

***Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

THE POINT OF DIVERSION INCLUDES GOVERNMENT LOTS 5, 6, 7.

***Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SENE	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			SE	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
3			SESW	15	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

THE PLACE OF USE INCLUDES GOVERNMENT LOTS 5, 6, 7.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30145107** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NASH, ROBIN L TRUST
7729 BUCKSKIN DR
SHEPHERD, MT 59079-4520

Priority Date: MARCH 27, 1916

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS EWING CREEK

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		W2	33	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		W2	4	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			W2	33	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2			W2	4	4S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30145108** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NASH, ROBIN L TRUST
7729 BUCKSKIN DR
SHEPHERD, MT 59079-4520

Priority Date: MARCH 27, 1916

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 25.00 GPM

Volume: 8.50 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 3.00

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESESE	32	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PIPELINE

THE TOWNSHIP IS UNSURVEYED. THE LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION FOR THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN ESTIMATED.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3.00		SESESE	32	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	3.00						

THE TOWNSHIP IS UNSURVEYED. THE LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION FOR THE PLACE OF USE HAS BEEN ESTIMATED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30145110** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MCDONNELL CABIN LLC
189 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: JULY 15, 1912

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		W2	13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			W2	13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30145111** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MCDONNELL CABIN LLC
189 BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1958

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 20.00 GPM

Volume: 1.10 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.50

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SWSWNW	13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

THE TOWNSHIP IS UNSURVEYED. THE LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION FOR THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN ESTIMATED.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.50		SWSWNW	13	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.50						

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30145112** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MARY E CREMER
189 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-8017

MEMC REVOCABLE TRUST
CREMER, MARY E. TRUSTEE
89 MAIN BOULDER RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: APRIL 18, 1895

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		1	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				
3		2	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				
4		3	26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				
5		3	27	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
	Period of Diversion:	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31				
	Diversion Means:	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE				

THE POINT OF DIVERSION INCLUDES GOVERNMENT LOTS 2, 3, 4.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				23	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
2		1		26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
3		2		26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
4		3		26	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS
5		3		27	1N	14E	SWEET GRASS

THE PLACE OF USE INCLUDES GOVERNMENT LOTS 2, 3, 4.

Remarks:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30145115** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

***Priority Date:** JUNE 28, 2019

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THIS IS AN EXISTING RIGHT. ITS POST-1973 PRIORITY DATE IS DECREED PURSUANT TO SECTION 85-2-306(4) MCA.

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 5.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	2	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			SESWSW	2	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

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ACCORDING TO CADASTRAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP RECORDS, AS OF 09/25/2024 , THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY STENBERG OLAV S & GLADYS K 1750 MAIN BOULDER RD MC LEOD, MT 59052-1515.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30145118** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DAVA J STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

STUART T STENBERG
PO BOX 515
MC LEOD, MT 59052-0515

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***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 5.00 GPM

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***Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WEST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSWSW	2	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: SPRING BOX

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWSWSW	2	3S	12E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30145122** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LINDA M MCMULLEN
1412 RAPELJE RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 15, 1892

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

Flow Rate: 35.00 GPM

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWSE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNWSE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30145126** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: LINDA M MCMULLEN
1412 RAPELJE RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

Priority Date: NOVEMBER 15, 1892

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 35.00 GPM

Volume: 8.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 5.00

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5.00		SENWSE	32	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	5.00						

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30145129** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CAMPBELL FAMILY PARTNERSHIP
1076 MAIN BOULDER RD.
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011

***Priority Date:** APRIL 30, 1955

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 65.00 GPM

Volume: 7.00 AC-FT

Maximum Acres: 3.00

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5	SENESW	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3.00	5	SENESW	32	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	3.00						

Remarks:

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THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE EXCEEDS THE 35 GPM GUIDELINE FOR THIS PURPOSE AND CANNOT BE CONFIRMED DUE TO LACK OF DATA. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO THE FLOW RATE FOR THIS CLAIM, THE FLOW RATE WILL REMAIN AS IT APPEARS ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THE REMARK WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CLAIM.

THIS CLAIM DOES NOT APPEAR TO MEET THE DEFINITION OF AN EXEMPT RIGHT UNDER SECTION 85-2-222 (1), MCA.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30145137** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: BRANDON FUNK
511 RIMROCK RD
BILLINGS, MT 59102

***Priority Date:** JULY 31, 1959

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (Use): DOMESTIC

Flow Rate: 5.00 GPM

Volume:

Households: 1

Maximum Acres: 0.00

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NESESW	14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MARCH 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: WELL

THE TOWNSHIP IS UNSURVEYED. THE LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION FOR THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN ESTIMATED.

Period of Use: MARCH 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NESESW	14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

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Remarks:

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NO VOLUME HAS BEEN CLAIMED. THE VOLUME GUIDELINE FOR THIS AREA IS 1.5 ACRE-FEET PER ACRE.

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30145140** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CHIPPY CREEK RANCH LLC
PO BOX 1697
HELENA, MT 59624

***Priority Date:** JULY 30, 1919

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			1	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

THE TOWNSHIP IS UNSURVEYED. THE LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION FOR THE POINT OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN ESTIMATED.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1				1	5S	12E	SWEET GRASS

THE TOWNSHIP IS UNSURVEYED. THE LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION FOR THE PLACE OF USE HAS BEEN ESTIMATED.

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 1389, BOZEMAN, MT 59771-1389.

PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30146155** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: TRACY TOULOU
9706 BRIXTON LN
BETHESDA, MD 20817-1602

JULIE A ZIEGLER
9706 BRIXTON LN
BETHESDA, MD 20817-1602

***Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1969

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (Use): STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

Source Name: SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNWNE	10	4S	12E	PARK

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1			NWNWNE	10	4S	12E	PARK

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30152669** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NEXT RIDGE LLC
307 S WILLSON AVE
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-4632

***Priority Date:** JULY 31, 1948

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

***Purpose (Use):** IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 22.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

***Maximum Acres:** 2.79

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

***Period of Use:** APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	2.79	1		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	2.79						

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN GOV LOT 1 CERTIFICATE OF SURVEY NO. 157117.

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

17404-00	17405-00	17406-00	17407-00	30152669	30152670
30152673	30152674	30152676	30152677	30152682	

THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE DNRC BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 17407-00

POINT OF DIVERSION IS LOCATED IN LOT 8 HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY 48.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE POINT OF DIVERSION. BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE SOURCE DESCRIBED ON THE FILED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED SOURCE.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 30152670** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DOUBLE DIAMOND GUEST RANCH LLC
12520 GINAMI ST
ANCHORAGE, AK 99516-3348

***Priority Date:** JULY 31, 1948

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

***Purpose (Use):** IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 23.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

***Maximum Acres:** 21.97

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

***Period of Use:** APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	21.97	4		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	21.97						

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN GOV LOT 4 CERTIFICATE OF SERVEY NO. 157117.

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

17404-00	17405-00	17406-00	17407-00	30152669	30152670
30152673	30152674	30152676	30152677	30152682	

THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE DNRC BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 17407-00

POINT OF DIVERSION IS LOCATED IN LOT 8 HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY 48.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE POINT OF DIVERSION. BECAUSE THIS ELEMENT WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE SOURCE DESCRIBED ON THE FILED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED SOURCE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30152672** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DOUBLE DIAMOND GUEST RANCH LLC
12520 GINAMI ST
ANCHORAGE, AK 99516-3348

***Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1970

***Type of Historical Right:** USE

***Purpose (Use):** DOMESTIC

***Flow Rate:** 13.46 GPM

***Volume:** 1.00 AC-FT

Households: 1

***Maximum Acres:** 0.50

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP/GRAVITY FLOW

***Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	0.50	4		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	0.50						

Remarks:

THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE DNRC BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 19935-00

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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

THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30152673** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DOUBLE DIAMOND GUEST RANCH LLC
12520 GINAMI ST
ANCHORAGE, AK 99516-3348

***Priority Date:** JULY 31, 1948

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

***Purpose (Use):** COMMERCIAL

***Flow Rate:** 62.83 GPM

***Volume:** 2.80 AC-FT

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

***Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		4		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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30152673	30152674	30152676	30152677	30152682	

THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE DNRC BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 17404-00

POINT OF DIVERSION ARE LOCATED IN LOT 8 HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY 48.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF UNITED STATES OF AMERICA WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 30152674** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NEXT RIDGE LLC
307 S WILLSON AVE
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-4632

***Priority Date:** JULY 31, 1948

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

***Purpose (Use):** COMMERCIAL

***Flow Rate:** 188.50 GPM

***Volume:** 2.80 AC-FT

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

***Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		1		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

17404-00	17405-00	17406-00	17407-00	30152669	30152670
30152673	30152674	30152676	30152677	30152682	

THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE DNRC BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 17404-00

POINT OF DIVERSION IS LOCATED IN LOT 8 HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY 48.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

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THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE SOURCE DESCRIBED ON THE FILED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED SOURCE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

Water Right Number: **43BJ 30152676** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DOUBLE DIAMOND GUEST RANCH LLC
12520 GINAMI ST
ANCHORAGE, AK 99516-3348

***Priority Date:** JULY 31, 1948

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

***Purpose (Use):** FIRE PROTECTION

***Flow Rate:** 184.01 GPM

***Volume:** 0.20 AC-FT

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	3		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

***Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		4		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

17404-00	17405-00	17406-00	17407-00	30152669	30152670
30152673	30152674	30152676	30152677	30152682	

THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE DNRC BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 17405-00

POINT OF DIVERSION ARE LOCATED IN LOT 8 HOMESTEAD ENTRY SURVEY 48.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TIMELY FILED OBJECTION OF UNITED STATES OF AMERICA WAS AMENDED BY AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES TO INCLUDE POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE. BECAUSE THESE ELEMENTS WERE NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE SOURCE DESCRIBED ON THE FILED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED SOURCE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30152677** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NEXT RIDGE LLC
307 S WILLSON AVE
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-4632

***Priority Date:** JULY 31, 1948

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

***Purpose (Use):** FIRE PROTECTION

***Flow Rate:** 188.50 GPM

***Volume:** 0.20 AC-FT

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

***Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		1		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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30152673	30152674	30152676	30152677	30152682	

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30152682** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NEXT RIDGE LLC
307 S WILLSON AVE
BOZEMAN, MT 59715-4632

***Priority Date:** JULY 31, 1948

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

***Purpose (Use):** STOCK

***Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

***Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

***Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	1		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

***Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		1		14	4S	12E	SWEET GRASS

Remarks:

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30152673	30152674	30152676	30152677	30152682	

THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE DNRC BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 17406-00

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30152775** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: SEVERED

Owners: RODRIGUEZ, CYD TRUST
RODRIGUEZ, CYD MARTINE TRUSTEE
PO BOX 1068
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-1068

***Priority Date:** MAY 1, 1893

***Type of Historical Right:** USE

***Purpose (Use):** IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 3.75 CFS

THE WATER RIGHT NUMBERS 43BJ 21029-00 & 43BJ 30152775 SHARE A FLOW RATE OF 3.75 CFS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE OPERATED IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: IN ACCORDANCE WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICE.

***Volume:** 11.87 AC-FT

THE WATER COURT HAS DETERMINED THAT A VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT.

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

***Maximum Acres:** 4.75

***Source Name:** BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SESWSW	28	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CREST DITCH

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

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	4.75		E2S2NE	21	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	4.75						

THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN SEVERED FROM THE PLACE OF USE. CONTINUED USE OF THIS WATER RIGHT IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES IS ALLOWED. YOU MUST CONTACT DNRC AND OBTAIN A CHANGE AUTHORIZATION PRIOR TO CHANGING THE PLACE OF USE OF THIS WATER RIGHT.

Remarks:

THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS GENERATED BY THE DEPARTMENT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM 43BJ 21029-00.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A USE RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30154852** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: EAST BOULDER RANCH #2 LLC
% ELIO MAZZELLA
7 RENAISSANCE SQ FL 7
WHITE PLAINS, NY 10601-3039

***Priority Date:** OCTOBER 2, 1894

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

***Purpose (Use):** IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 3.75 CFS

THE WATER RIGHT NUMBERS 43BJ 31117-00 AND 43BJ 30154852 SHARE A FLOW RATE OF 3.75 CFS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE OPERATED IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: AS HISTORICALLY USED: THE PROPERTIES WILL CONTINUE TO BE MANAGED AS ONE RANCH.

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 55.00

***Source Name:** EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: TOLHURST DITCH

***Period of Use:** APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	15.00		SW	34	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	40.00		NW	34	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	55.00						

Remarks:

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

30154852 30154853

THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS GENERATED BY THE DEPARTMENT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM 43BJ 31117-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 31117-00, 43BJ 33299-00, 43BJ 40030-00, 43BJ 111523-00, 43BJ 30154852.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30154853** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: EAST BOULDER RANCH #2 LLC
% ELIO MAZZELLA
7 RENAISSANCE SQ FL 7
WHITE PLAINS, NY 10601-3039

***Priority Date:** MAY 1, 1897

***Type of Historical Right:** FILED

***Purpose (Use):** IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 3.75 CFS

THE WATER RIGHT NUMBERS 43BJ 31120-00 AND 43BJ 30154853 SHARE A FLOW RATE OF 3.75 CFS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE OPERATED IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: AS HISTORICALLY USED: THE PROPERTIES WILL CONTINUE TO BE MANAGED AS ONE RANCH.

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 55.00

***Source Name:** EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWSENW	10	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: TOLHURST DITCH

***Period of Use:** APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	15.00		SW	34	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	40.00		NW	34	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	55.00						

Remarks:

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

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THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS GENERATED BY THE DEPARTMENT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM 43BJ 31120-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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

THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE, AND FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE CLAIMS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT USE THE SAME FILED APPROPRIATION TO DOCUMENT THE RIGHT. THE COMBINED FLOW RATE FOR THIS GROUP OF CLAIMS EXCEEDS THE TOTAL OF THE ORIGINAL APPROPRIATION. 43BJ 31120-00, 43BJ 40032-00, 43BJ 30154853.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

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Water Right Number: **43BJ 30155993** STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED

Status: ACTIVE

Owners: EAST BOULDER RANCH #2 LLC
% ELIO MAZZELLA
7 RENAISSANCE SQ FL 7
WHITE PLAINS, NY 10601-3039

***Priority Date:** APRIL 1, 1897

***Type of Historical Right:** USE

***Purpose (Use):** IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

***Flow Rate:** 2.50 CFS

THE WATER RIGHT NUMBERS 43BJ 31119-00 AND 43BJ 30155993 SHARE A FLOW RATE OF 2.5 CFS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE OPERATED IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: AS HISTORICALLY USED: THE PROPERTIES WILL CONTINUE TO BE MANAGED AS ONE RANCH.

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

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

***Maximum Acres:** 5.00

***Source Name:** EAST BOULDER RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		SENWSW	3	3S	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: MILES-FLOWER DITCH

***Period of Use:** APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	5.00		SWNW	34	2S	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	5.00						

Remarks:

THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. 43BJ 31119-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43BJ TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 04/03/1985.

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THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DNRC MEMORANDUM OF MARCH 30, 1987, A CLERICAL CORRECTION HAS BEEN MADE TO CHANGE THE DECREED POINT OF DIVERSION TO A DNRC STANDARD LAND DESCRIPTION. BECAUSE THIS CORRECTION WAS NOT INCLUDED ON THE OBJECTION LIST, ANY WATER USER WHOSE RIGHTS MAY BE ADVERSELY AFFECTED BY ENFORCEMENT OF THIS CHANGE MAY PETITION THE APPROPRIATE COURT FOR RELIEF OR MAY FILE AN OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION FOR THIS CLAIM HAS BEEN CHANGED, EVEN THOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO. AS A RESULT IT WILL BE SUBJECT TO OBJECTION AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

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COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS PRELIMINARY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE

BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER

BASIN 43BJ

ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

IMPORTANT NOTICE

****** THIS IS AN INTERBASIN TRANSFER CLAIM ******

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE BOULDER RIVER, TRIBUTARY TO YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43BJ) AND USES IT IN THE YELLOWSTONE RIVER, ABOVE & INCLUDING BRIDGER CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 43B).

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Water Right Number:	**43BJ 30160024** STATEMENT OF CLAIM
	Version: 2 -- REEXAMINED
	Status: SEVERED
Owners:	REMI M METCALF PO BOX 765 BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-0765
***Priority Date:**	NOVEMBER 29, 1905
***Type of Historical Right:**	FILED
***Purpose (Use):**	IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type:	FLOOD
***Flow Rate:**	5.00 CFS
	THE WATER RIGHT NUMBERS 43BJ 125771-00 AND 43BJ 30160024 SHARE A FLOW RATE OF 5 CFS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE OPERATED IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER: AS HISTORICALLY OPERATED.
***Volume:**	THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.
Climatic Area:	2 - MODERATELY HIGH
***Maximum Acres:**	4.00
***Source Name:**	BOULDER RIVER
Source Type:	SURFACE WATER

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

ID	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1		NWNENW	2	1S	14E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: CONWELL DITCH

***Period of Use:** APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

***Place of Use:**

ID	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	4.00		SESW	18	1N	15E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	4.00						

THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN SEVERED FROM THE PLACE OF USE. CONTINUED USE OF THIS WATER RIGHT IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES IS ALLOWED. YOU MUST CONTACT DNRC AND OBTAIN A CHANGE AUTHORIZATION PRIOR TO CHANGING THE PLACE OF USE OF THIS WATER RIGHT.

Remarks:

THIS SPLIT CLAIM WAS GENERATED BY THE DEPARTMENT BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM 43BJ 125771-00.

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 43B DECREE ISSUED 05/09/2019.

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THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. THE POINT OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE IN GOVT LOT 5 IN THE NENWNW, SEC 2, T1S, R14E, SWEET GRASS COUNTY.

THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS FOR A FILED RIGHT ON BOULDER RIVER WITH A PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO 366, SWEET GRASS COUNTY. IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED TO PRIORITY DATE OR TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT, THESE ELEMENTS WILL BE DECREED AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT AND THIS REMARK WILL BE REMOVED.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS NOVEMBER 28, 1905.

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