

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4001-W-170965-00

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OWNERS: SOUTHERN HILLS  
PO BOX 445  
MINDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 15, 1947  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, SEC. TWP, RGE, COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SESESW 04 30N 36E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR, SEC, SEC. TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----  
01 DNSTREAM SESESW 04 30N 36E VALLEY

THE DAM EXTENDS INTO GOVT LOT 3 NENENW SEC 09 TWP 30N  
RGE 36E VALLEY COUNTY.

\* PLACE OF USE, EDB, STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, SEC. TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----  
001 SESESW 04 30N 36E VALLEY  
002 (GOVT) 3 NENENW 09 30N 36E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/13/94.

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: THE DARC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, :  
: DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. :  
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**OWNERS:** SOUTHERN HILLS  
PO BOX 445  
MINSDALE MT 59241

**PURPOSE (USE):** STOCK

\* **SOURCE:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ANTELOPE CREEK, NORTH FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

**PRIORITY DATE:** AUGUST 10, 1942  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

**FLOW RATE:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* **VOLUME:** THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

**PERIOD OF USE:** JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* **POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:**

----- LOT\_BLS\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 SWNWSW 25 30N 35E VALLEY DAM

**RESERVOIR:**

----- QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM SWNWSW 25 30N 35E VALLEY

**PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:**

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLS\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

001 SWNWSW 25 30N 35E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4003-W-170967-00

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OWNERS: SOUTHERN HILLS  
PO BOX 445  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 15, 1947  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 5.00 GPM

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 NWSESE 25 30N 35E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 NWSESE 25 30N 35E VALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/13/94.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-0-170968-00

\*\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*\*

OWNER: SOUTHERN HILLS  
PO BOX 445  
HINSDALE

MT 59241

PURPOSE (USED): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 NWSESE 25 30N 35E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS  
AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 11/02/89.

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: THE ONIC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM MAY NOT HAVE BEEN COMPLETED :  
: AS THE CLAIMANT WITHDREW THE CLAIM. :  
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OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT  
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IF YOU HAVE ANY OBJECTIONS TO OR WISH TO BE HEARD BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT IN THIS  
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OWNER: SOUTHERN HILLS  
PO BOX 445  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 01, 1961  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 SESENE 25 30N 35E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 SESENE 25 30N 35E VALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/13/94.

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<b>OWNERS:</b>	MEIER	GLEN	A
	PO BOX 492		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230
	MEIER	STEPHANIE J	
	PO BOX 492		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230

**PURPOSE (USE):** STOCK

\* **SOURCE:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DOGIE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* **PRIORITY DATE:** JUNE 04, 1947  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

**FLOW RATE:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

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----- LOI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 N40WSW 11 27N 40E VALLEY DAM

**RESERVOIR:**

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 DNSTREAM N40WSW 11 27N 40E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 17.6 AC FEI DAM HEIGHT: 13 FEI SURFACE AREA: 4.90 ACRES

THE MAXIMUM STORAGE CAPACITY HAS BEEN ESTIMATED THE  
DNRC.

\* **PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:**

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001				W2	W25	11	27N	40E	VALLEY

REMARKS:

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OWNERS: JAKMOSKI JOHN  
PO BOX 984  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 30, 1945  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 5.00 GPM

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POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOI\_BLK QIB\_SEC\_SEC TWP\_RGE COUNTY

01 SWSWE 10 27N 40E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE EDR STOCK:

ACRES LOI\_BLK QIB\_SEC\_SEC TWP\_RGE COUNTY

001 SWSWE 10 27N 40E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-170972-00

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OWNERS:	DORR	LEE	R
	5 MC BOX 289		
	NASHUA	MT	59248
	DORR	KRY	E
	5 MC BOX 289		
	NASHUA	MT	59248

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- SOURCE: DOGIE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- PRIORITY DATE: OCTOBER 31, 1902  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS DOWNSTREAM RESERVOIR.
- 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION FROM MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY ----- BEAMS -----

01 NW1/4NW 11 27N 40E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----

01 DOWNSTREAM NW1/4NW 11 27N 40E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: [ 216,000 ] DAM HEIGHT: [ 30 ] SURFACE AREA: [ 20,00 ] ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

PLACE OF USE (DOB, SIDCK):

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001						11	27N	40E VALLEY

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x THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS x  
x EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN x  
x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
x x x x  
x RESERVOIR APPEARS WASHED OUT ON USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH x  
x NOS. 179-222, DATED 08-17-79 AND MC-2V-122, DATED x  
x 06/12/59. x  
x x x x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4001-V-170973-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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	5 HC BOX 289		
	NASHUA	MT	59248
	DDRR	KAY	E
	5 HC BOX 289		
	NASHUA	MT	59248

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF DOGIE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 15, 1969  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

- \* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SWNW 11 27N 40E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----  
001 SWNW 11 27N 40E VALLEY

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-170974-00

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<b>OWNERS:</b>	DDRR	LEE	R
	S HC BOX 289		
	MASHUA	MT	59248
	DDRR	KRY	E
	S HC BOX 289		
	MASHUA	MT	59248

**PURPOSE (USE):** STOCK

**SOURCE:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DOGIE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

**PRIORITY DATE:** JUNE 30, 1935  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

**FLOW RATE:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

**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.

**PERIOD OF USE:** MAY 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

**POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:**

----- LOT\_BLK AIR\_SEC\_SEC\_IVP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SENWNE 10 27N 40E VALLEY DAM

**RESERVOIR:**

----- AIR\_SEC\_SEC\_IVP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM SENWNE 10 27N 40E VALLEY

**PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:**

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK AIR\_SEC\_SEC\_IVP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
001 SENWNE 10 27N 40E VALLEY

\* M 20

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-170975-00

## IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: DORR LEE R  
5 HC BOX 289  
NASHUA MT 59248  
DORR KAY E  
5 HC BOX 289  
NASHUA MT 59248

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DOBIE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

RIGHT DATE: JUNE 15, 1970  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

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 SERVED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK Q18 SEC SEC 12W RGE COUNTY DEANS

01 NENWNE 10 27N 40E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

Q18 SEC SEC 12W RGE COUNTY

01 ONSTREAM NENWNE 10 27N 40E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 68.0 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 20 FT SURFACE AREA: 10.00 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

\* 0 20

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				SESWSE	03	27N	40E	VALLEY
002				NEWNNE	10	27N	40E	VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-170976-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: JENSEN FRANK  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1933  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 5.00 GPM

VOLUME: 1.75 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: .25

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 SWSWSW 33 31N 36E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 .25 SWSWSW 33 31N 36E VALLEY  
TOTAL .25

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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1 THE DWRG EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, 1  
2 DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. 2  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-W-170977-00

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OWNERS: JENSEN FRANK  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1933  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 5.00 GPM

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 SWSW 33 31N 36E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

--- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 SWSW 33 31N 36E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4003-V-171018-00

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OWNERS: GARDNER MARVIN L  
PO BOX 101  
RICHLAND MT 59260

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOG COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1964  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSREAM RESERVOIR.
- \* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SWSESW 25 35N 41E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSREAM SWSESW 25 35N 41E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 49.8 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 16 FT SURFACE AREA: 7.00 ACRES

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SWSESW 25 25N 41E VALLEY  
002 SESUSW 25 35N 41E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-G-171019-00

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OWNERS: GARDNER MARVIN L  
PO BOX 101  
RICHLAND MT 59260

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOG COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1964  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
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PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SESESE 23 35N 41E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 DNSTREAM SESESE 23 35N 41E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SESESE 23 35N 41E VALLEY

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OWNERS: PARKE GEORGE F  
707 K ST WA 98531  
CENTRALIA

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF CHERRY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS BURKE SPRING

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1930  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC 1/4 RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SWSESE 23 29N 39E VALLEY UNDEVELOPED SPRING

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC 1/4 RGE COUNTY  
001 SWSESE 23 29N 39E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE ASSOCIATED. THEY SHARE THE SAME SPRING. W166255-00, W171020-00, W171021-00.

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-171020-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-171021-00

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OWNERS: PARKE GEORGE F  
707 K ST  
CENTRALIA WA 98531

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF CHERRY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS BURKE SPRING

\* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1930  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

VOLUME: 1.50 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 1.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

MEANS

01

SWSSE 23 29N 39E VALLEY

UNDEVELOPED SPRING

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 -----1.00  
TOTAL -----1.00

SWSSE 23 29N 39E VALLEY

BEBABBS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 1400-V-171022-00

## IMPORTANT NOTICE

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\* OWNERS: HOLTAN HAROLD L  
PO BOX 24  
ST MARIE MT 59231

PURPOSE (USE): COMMERCIAL

APARTMENT COMPLEX

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 05, 1960  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM ( .03 CFS)

VOLUME: 5.50 AF

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LQT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 1 SWSESE 02 28N 39E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR COMMERCIAL:

----- ACRES ----- LQT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 1 SWSESE 02 28N 39E VALLEY  
002 2 SWSESE 02 28N 39E VALLEY

REMARKS:

SUBD: STAHL SUNNYSIDE SUBDIVISION

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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OWNERS: STOLEN KENNETH I  
PO BOX 201  
MINDSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1908  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: 1,700.00 GPM

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.

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 100.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

EQUIPMENT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SESENW 19 30N 38E VALLEY PUMP

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 50.00 W2NE 19 30N 38E VALLEY  
002 50.00 E2NW 19 30N 38E VALLEY  
TOTAL 100.00

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
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\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 279-180, DATED 05/07/80, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
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\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. NC-6W-125, DATED 07/12/59, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
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OWNERS: NORTHERN LITES RANCH INC  
PO BOX 34  
OPHEIM MT 59250

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF BOG COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER  
PRIORITY DATE: MARCH 31, 1958  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 20.00 GPM ( .04 CFS)

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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 NENWNE 24 35N 41E VALLEY PIT

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 NENWNE 24 35N 41E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400 W-171025-00

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OWNERS: NORTHERN LITES RANCH INC  
PO BOX 34  
OPHEIM MT 59250

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF BOG COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1961  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED
- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.
- \* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SWSEW 13 35N 41E VALLEY PIT

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM SWSEW 13 35N 41E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
001 SWSEW 13 35N 41E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY CLAIMANT ON 09/27/89.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4001-V-171026-00

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OWNERS: NORTHERN LITES RANCH INC  
PO BOX 34  
OPHEIM MT 59250

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF BOG COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: MARCH 31, 1958  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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 CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SWNWNE 24 35N 41E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SWNWNE 24 35N 41E VALLEY

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OWNERS: NORTHERN LITES RANCH INC  
PO BOX 34  
OPHEIM MT 59250

\* PURPOSE (USE): MULTIPLE DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1920  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

VOLUME: 1.50 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 2 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: .50

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 NWNE 31 35N 41E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR MULTIPLE DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

001 ----- .50 NWNE 31 35N 41E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- .50

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OWNERS: NORTHERN LITES RANCH INC  
PO BOX 34  
OPHEIM MT 59250

\* PURPOSE (USE): MULTIPLE DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1915  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM  
VOLUME: 3.00 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 2 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 1.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 NWNENE 31 35N 41E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR MULTIPLE DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 ----- 1.00 NWNENE 31 35N 41E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- 1.00

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-171029-00

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OWNERS: WESEN JOHN A  
PO BOX 133  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ANTELOPE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1953  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----

01 SNNWE 31 29N 38E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM SNNWE 31 29N 38E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 2.3 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 10 FT SURFACE AREA: .39 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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OWNERS: WESEN JOHN A  
PO BOX 139  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MILLER COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1904  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

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----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SESENE 15 28N 30E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM SESENE 15 28N 30E VALLEY

RESERVOIR/LAKE NAME: WESEN RESERVOIR  
CAPACITY: 150.0 AC-EI DAM HEIGHT: 18.0 EI SURFACE AREA: 22.97 ACBES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLS\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

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\* 15 0 28N 30E VALLEY

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x THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS x  
x EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN x  
x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
x x  
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x x

THE PRIORITY DATE IS QUESTIONABLE. THE VALLEY COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1968) IDENTIFIES THE PRIORITY DATE AS 1938.

ACCORDING TO INFORMATION IN THE CLAIM FILE, THE RESERVOIR WAS CONSTRUCTED IN 1952 WHICH DOES NOT CORRESPOND TO THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE. THIS MAY INDICATE AN EXPANSION OF THE WATER RIGHT.

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MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-171031-00

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OWNERS: VESEN JOHN A  
PO BOX 133  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BRAZIL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 02, 1905  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

- \* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01			N2	23	28M	38E	VALLEY		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02			N2	24	28M	38E	VALLEY		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
03			SE	13	28M	38E	VALLEY		DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				N2	23	28M	38E	VALLEY	
002				N2	24	28M	38E	VALLEY	
003				SE	13	28M	38E	VALLEY	

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4002-W-171032-00

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OWNERS: WESEM JOHN A  
PO BOX 333  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ANTELOPE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: NOVEMBER 30, 1902  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: 4.64 CFS

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.

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 122.50

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC 1/4 RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 S2SE 29 29N 38E VALLEY PUMP  
02 NE 32 29N 38E VALLEY PUMP

PUMP IS MOVEABLE ALL ALONG SOURCE WITHIN LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC 1/4 RGE COUNTY -----  
001 22.50 SESE 29 29N 38E VALLEY  
002 12.00 SWSE 29 29N 38E VALLEY  
003 19.00 NENE 32 29N 38E VALLEY  
004 27.50 NW\* 32 29N 38E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4001-W-71033-00

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OWNERS: WESLEM JOHN A  
PO BOX 133  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ANTELOPE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 21, 1913  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

VOLUME: 200.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 100.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SWNE 32 29N 38E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 DNSTREAM SWNE 32 29N 38E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: -----12.0 AC----- DAM HEIGHT: -----EI SURFACE AREA: -----3.00 ACES

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

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	10.00					SESE	29	29N	38E VALLEY
002	1.50					SESWSE	29	29N	38E VALLEY
003	20.50					NENE	32	29N	38E VALLEY
004	25.00					NWNE	32	29N	38E VALLEY
005	25.00					SENE	32	29N	38E VALLEY
006	18.00					SWNE	32	29N	38E VALLEY
TOTAL	100.00								

REMARKS:

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W171032-00, W171033-00.

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OWNERS: WESEN JOHN A  
PO BOX 133 MT 59230  
GLASGOW

PURPOSE(USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BRAZIL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1950  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW DATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

VOLUME: 20.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM LACRES: 10.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 E2NESW 07 28N 39E VALLEY DIKE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 10.00 ----- MESW 07 28N 39E VALLEY  
TOTAL :0.00

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-171034-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

OVERLAPPING PARCELS OF THE CLAIMANT'S TOTAL 63.29  
ACRES. 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.  
W168573-00, W171034-00.

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OWNERS: WESEN JDHM A  
PO BOX 133  
GLASSBORO MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

SOURCE: BRAZIL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: FEBRUARY 03, 1904  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

VOLUME: 627.50 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 313.75

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				SENE	22	28N	38E	VALLEY	DIKE
02				N2	23	28N	38E	VALLEY	DIKE
03				N2	24	28N	38E	VALLEY	DIKE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	8.00				S2	NENE	22	28N	38E VALLEY
002	24.50				SENE	22	28N	38E VALLEY	
003	2.00				SENE	23	28N	38E VALLEY	
004	12.00				S2	NENE	23	28N 38E VALLEY	
005	68.00				S2	NENE	23	28N 38E VALLEY	
006	7.50				SE	NENE	23	28N 38E VALLEY	
007	1.25				S	W	NENE	23 28N 38E VALLEY	
008	47.50				S2	NW	23	28N 38E VALLEY	
009	9.00				N2	N2	SE	23 28N 38E VALLEY	
010	24.00				N	W	24	28N 38E VALLEY	

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

011	19.00	N2SWNE	24	28N	38E	VALLEY
012	91.00	NW	24	28N	38E	VALLEY
TOTAL	313.75					

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-171036-00

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OWNERS: WESEN JOHN A  
PO BOX 133  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MILLER COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1904  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

VOLUME: 150.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 38.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 SESENE 15 28N 38E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM SESENE 15 28N 38E VALLEY

RESERVOIR/LAKE NAME: WESEN RESERVOIR

CAPACITY: 150.0 AC-EI DAM HEIGHT: 18 FT SURFACE AREA: 22.47 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-171036-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

001	20.00	NWNE	23	28N	38E	VALLEY
002	1.25	NWSENE	23	28N	38E	VALLEY
003	6.00	N2SWNE	23	28N	38E	VALLEY
004	7.00	SENEW	23	28N	38E	VALLEY
005	3.75	NESEW	23	28N	38E	VALLEY
TOTAL	38.00					

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: THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS      :
: EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN  :
: UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED.                          :
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: THE CLAIMED PERIOD OF USE EXCEEDS THE USUAL GROWING              :
: SEASON FOR THIS CLIMATIC AREA WHICH IS APRIL 1 TO                :
: OCTOBER 31.                                                       :
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MLK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-Y-171037-00

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OWNERS:	SHIPP	BETSY	E
	N MC		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230
	SHIPP	LLOYD	A
	402 9TH ST S		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230

PURPOSE(USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF FOSS COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS KING SPRING

PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 17, 1932  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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 CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 SESWNE 30 30N 40E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 SESWNE 30 30N 40E VALLEY

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: DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. :  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-17103B-00

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OWNERS:	SHIPP N MC GLASGOW	BETSY	E	
		MT	59230	
	SHIPP 402 9TH ST S GLASGOW	LLOYD	A	
		MT	59230	

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 10, 1957  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 2.67 GPM

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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK Q18 SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 SESWNE 30 30N 40E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK Q18 SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SESWNE 30 30N 40E VALLEY

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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171038-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO  
ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER  
IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.  
W171038-00, W171039-00.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-171039-00

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OWNERS: SHIPP                    BETSY                    E  
         M HC  
         GLASGOW                    MT                    59230  
  
         SHIPP                    LLOYD                    R  
         402 9TH ST S                    MT                    59230  
         GLASGOW

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 10, 1957  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 30.00 GPM ( .07 CFS)

VOLUME: 1.50 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: .25

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01                    SESWNE 30 30N 40E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE EOB DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001                    .25                    SESWNE 30 30N 40E VALLEY  
TOTAL                    .25

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OWNERS:	FRERCK	LOIS	E
	200 2ND AVE N		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230
	FRERCK	COLLIN	N
	200 2ND AVE N		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF LINDEKE COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1955  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* ELDW DATE: 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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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

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----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NWSEW 17 28N 41E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NWSEW 17 28N 41E VALLEY

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OWNERS: JAMES VIOLA U  
112 LOMOND  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ALKALI CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 15, 1964  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DOWNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED  
FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY  
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CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY  
THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LDI\_BLK\_QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_IWP\_BGE\_COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SESESE 14 31N 37E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_IWP\_BGE\_COUNTY -----  
01 DOWNSTREAM SESESE 14 31N 37E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE EDB STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LDI\_BLK\_QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_IWP\_BGE\_COUNTY -----  
001 SESESE 14 31N 37E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4003-W-171042-C1

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OWNERS: ZEIGER RITA  
PO BOX 12  
HINSDALE MT 59241  
ZEIGER, JR GEORGE H  
PO BOX 12  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BEAR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MARCH 01, 1950  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

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FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY  
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CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY  
THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LDI, BLK, QTB, SEC. SEC. IWP, BGE, COUNTY ----- DEANS -----

01 NWNWSE 18 31N 38E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTB, SEC. SEC. IWP, BGE, COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM NWNWSE 18 31N 38E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: ----- 7.2 AC FEI DAM HEIGHT: ----- FEI SURFACE AREA: ----- 1.80 ACRES

THE MAXIMUM STORAGE CAPACITY HAS BEEN ESTIMATED THE  
DNRC.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				N44W5E	18	31N	38E VALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/11/92.

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X THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, X  
X DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. X  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-V-171045-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS:	BRITSC	JULIA	J	
	PO BOX 146			
	HINSDALE		MT	59241
	BRITSC	ROGER	C	
	RR			
	GLASGOW		MT	59230
	BRITSC	DAN	E	
	PO BOX 146			
	HINSDALE		MT	59241-0146

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

SOURCE: LINE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 31, 1960  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

VOLUME: 288.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 144.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01		NEMNW	28	32N	37E	VALLEY	DIVERSION DAM
02		NEMNE	29	32N	37E	VALLEY	DIVERSION DAM

PLACE DE USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LDI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001	----- 144.00 -----	E2	29	32N	37E	VALLEY
TOTAL	144.00					

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 12/31/92.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-171046-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNER: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: NOVEMBER 05, 1949  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 4.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVISION:

----- LOT BLK QTB SEC SEC IWP BGE COUNTY -----

01 NWSNW 21 27N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTB SEC SEC IWP BGE COUNTY -----

001 NWSNW 21 27N 39E VALLEY

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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  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171047-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1920  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: OCTOBER 28 TO NOVEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS

01 SWNW 21 27N 39E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM SWNW 21 27N 39E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 2.9 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 12 FT SURFACE AREA: .81 ACRES

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 SWNW 21 27N 39E VALLEY

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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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 BASINS OR SUBBASINS 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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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-171048-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: WITTHAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1970  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: OCTOBER 28 TO NOVEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SESENW 17 27N 39E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 DNSTREAM SESENW 17 27N 39E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 1.0 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 15 FT SURFACE AREA: 21 ACRES

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 SESENW 17 27N 39E VALLEY

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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BASIN 400  
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OWNER: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 116B  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1920  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

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PERIOD OF USE: OCTOBER 28 TO NOVEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SWENE 20 27N 39E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 DNSTREAM SWENE 20 27N 39E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 14.5 AC-EI DAM HEIGHT: 10-EI SURFACE AREA: 3.63 ACBES

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACBES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NE 20 27N 39E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-U-171050-00

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OWNER: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1970  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: OCTOBER 28 TO NOVEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
C1 SWSEW 08 27N 39E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
O1 DNSTREAM SWSEW 08 27N 39E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 6 AC-FI DAM HEIGHT: 11.5I SURFACE AREA: 40 ACRES

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
OO1 SWSEW 08 27N 39E VALLEY

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400; W-171051-00

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OWNERS: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ARRAMBIDE COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1954  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND BEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY BEANS -----

01 NENENW 31 27N 37E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM NENENW 31 27N 37E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE E.O.B. STOCKS:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 NENENW 31 27N 37E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-W-171052-00

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OWNERS: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF LITTLE BEAVER CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1956  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 NWNWNE 11 26N 38E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM NWNWNE 11 26N 38E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NWNWNE 11 26N 38E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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: THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS :  
: EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN :  
: UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. :  
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: RESERVOIR APPEARS WASHED OUT ON USDA AERIAL :  
: PHOTOGRAPH NO. 179-180, DATED 08/17/79. :  
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**OWNERS:** WITTHAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

**PURPOSE (USE):** STOCK

**SOURCE:** WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* **PRIORITY DATE:** DECEMBER 31, 1966  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

**FLOW RATE:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* **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.

**PERIOD OF USE:** APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

**POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:**

LOT	BLK	DIR.	SEC.	SEC.	TWP.	RGE.	COUNTY	MEANS
01		NE	SE	NW	32	25N	37E VALLEY	DAM

**RESERVOIR:**

LOT	DIR.	SEC.	SEC.	TWP.	RGE.	COUNTY
01	ONSTREAM	NE	SE	NW	32	25N 37E VALLEY

**PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:**

ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR.	SEC.	SEC.	TWP.	RGE.	COUNTY
001			NE	SE	NW	32	25N 37E VALLEY	

\* L 25

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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x THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS x  
x EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN x  
x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
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EXISTENCE OF THE CLAIMED RESERVOIR CANNOT BE  
CONFIRMED WITH AVAILABLE DATA.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400, V-171054-00

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OWNER: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1954  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
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THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: SEPTEMBER 28 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY DEANS -----

01 NESESE 27 25N 37E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM NESESE 27 25N 37E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: ----- 27.5 AC EI DAM HEIGHT: 14 EI SURFACE AREA: ----- 8.50 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

PLACE OF USE EDB STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 NESESE 27 25N 37E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-171058-00

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OWNER: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DOWSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY USED  
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PERIOD OF USE: SEPTEMBER 28 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		NESWSE	26	25N	37E	VALLEY	DAM	

RESERVOIR:

	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
01	DNSTREAM	NESWSE	26	25N	37E	VALLEY	
CAPACITY:	11.9	60	EI	DAM	HEIGHT:	15	EI
					SURFACE AREA:	3.61	ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				SENEE	26	25N	37E	VALLEY	

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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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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PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1969  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED  
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PERIOD OF USE: SEPTEMBER 28 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----

01 SWNWSE 26 25N 37E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 DNSTREAM SWNWSE 26 25N 37E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 40.8 AC-EI DAM HEIGHT: 11 FT SURFACE AREA: 11.73 ACRES

THE DAM EXTENDS INTO THE W2SWSE, SESESW SEC 26 TWP 25N  
RGE 37E VALLEY COUNTY.

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

\* C 26

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

001	SWNSE	26	25N	37E	VALLEY
002	W25WSE	26	25N	37E	VALLEY
003	SESESW	26	25N	37E	VALLEY

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-1-V-171060-00

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. \* UNLESS OBJECTED TO OR CALLED IN ON MOTION OF THE MONTANA WATER COURT IN THIS DECREE, THE ELEMENTS OF THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT WILL APPEAR IN THE FINAL DECREE AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT. (SEE SECTION 85-2-233, MONTANA CODE ANNOTATED.)

OWNER: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DESERT COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1966  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- ELOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.
- \* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC IWP BGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NWNE 18 24N 37E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC IWP BGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM NWNE 18 24N 37E VALLEY

RESERVOIR/LAKE NAME: VALLEY RESERVOIR  
CAPACITY: 149.7 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 32 FT SURFACE AREA: 15.00 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

PLACE OF USE EDB STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC IWP BGE COUNTY -----  
001 NWNE 18 24N 37E VALLEY

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

002	SWENE	18	24N	37E	VALLEY
003	NWENE	18	24N	37E	VALLEY
004	SEENE	18	24N	37E	VALLEY

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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 400-W-171061-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1966  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC 1/4 RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 NW/4 07 24N 37E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC 1/4 RGE COUNTY  
01 DNSTREAM NW/4 07 24N 37E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 27.6 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 15 FT SURFACE AREA: 6.30 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC 1/4 RGE COUNTY  
001 SEMENE 07 24N 37E VALLEY  
002 SEMANU 08 24N 37E VALLEY  
003 WISE 08 24N 37E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4003-W-171061-001 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-171062-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNER: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1938  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSCREEN RESERVOIR.

\* 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 SERVED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 NW1/4SW 04 24N 37E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 ONSCREEN NW1/4SW 04 24N 37E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 13.8 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 15.5' SURFACE AREA: 4.06 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 NW1/4SW 04 24N 37E VALLEY  
002 NW1/4SW 04 24N 37E VALLEY  
003 SE1/4SW 04 24N 37E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-W-171063-00

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OWNERS: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1954  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS

01 NWNWSE 04 24N 37E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 ONSTREAM NWNWSE 04 24N 37E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 50.7 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 18 FT SURFACE AREA: 10.99 ACRES

THE DAM EXTENDS INTO THE S2NE SEC 04 TWP 24N RGE 37E VALLEY COUNTY.

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE EOB SIDCK:

ACRES LOI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

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MNWSE 04 24N 37E VALLEY

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x THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS x  
x EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN x  
x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
x x x  
x x x  
x THE OWNERSHIP OF THIS RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. THE x  
x PLACE OF USE APPEARS TO BE ON FEDERAL LAND. x  
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WATER\*RIGHT\*NUMBER\*400\*-W-171064-00

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OWNER: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DESERT COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 NWNE 22 24N 36E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR, SEC, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM NWNE 22 24N 36E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: ----- BC-EI DAM HEIGHT: 13.51 SURFACE AREA: ----- ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----

001 S2NWNE 22 24N 36E VALLEY

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OWNERS: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DESERT COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1947  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY USED  
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THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SESENE 14 24N 36E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM SESENE 14 24N 36E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 55.7 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 15 FT SURFACE AREA: 11.14 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

THE DAM EXTENDS INTO THE NENESE SEC 14 TWP 24N RGE 36E  
VALLEY COUNTY.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

001	S2SENE	14	24N	36E	VALLEY
002	W2NESE	14	24N	36E	VALLEY
003	NENESE	14	24N	36E	VALLEY

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OWNER: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 116B  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE: STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DESERT COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1947  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

ELOW BASE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 S25W5E 23 24N 36E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 ONSTREAM S25W5E 23 24N 36E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 124,000 CU YD DAM HEIGHT: 19.5' SURFACE AREA: 17.22 ACRES

THE DAM EXTENDS INTO THE N2NE SEC 26 TWP 24N RGE 36E  
VALLEY COUNTY.

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

001	S2SWSE	23	24N	36E	VALLEY
002	MWNE	26	24N	36E	VALLEY
003	N2WNE	26	24N	36E	VALLEY
004	SEWNE	26	24N	36E	VALLEY

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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 400-W-171067-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: WITTHAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASSBORO MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1958  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DOWSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: OCTOBER 28 TO NOVEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SESESW 17 27N 39E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 DOWSTREAM SESESW 17 27N 39E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SESESW 17 27N 39E VALLEY

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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 BASINS OR SUBBASINS 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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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4002-V-171068-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1960  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: OCTOBER 28 TO NOVEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 NESENW 28 27N 39E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM NESENW 28 27N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NESENW 28 27N 39E VALLEY

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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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 BASINS OR SUBBASINS 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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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4001-W-171069-00

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OWNERS: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DESERT COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1947  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----

01 525WNE 23 24N 36E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM 525WNE 23 24N 36E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 18.8 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 15.51 SURFACE AREA: 6.28 ACRES

THE DAM EXTENDS INTO THE N2W/4, S2W/4 SEC 23 TWP 24N  
RGE 36E VALLEY COUNTY.

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE EDB STOCK:

----- ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

001	SEWSNE	23	24N	36E	VALLEY
002	NWNSSE	23	24N	36E	VALLEY
003	SEWSNE	23	24N	36E	VALLEY

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OWNERS: WITTRAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DESERT COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1954  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DOWNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND BEGINS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 SWNESW 12 24N 36E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM SWNESW 12 24N 36E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 29,000-GAL DAM HEIGHT: 13-FT SURFACE AREA: 5,67 ACRES

THE DAM EXTENDS INTO THE NWSEW, NESWSW SEC 12 TWP 24N  
RGE 36E VALLEY COUNTY.

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

PLACE OF USE EDB STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

\* J 27

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171070-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

001	SWNESW	12	24N	36E	VALLEY
002	NWSESW	12	24N	36E	VALLEY
003	NESWSW	12	24N	36E	VALLEY

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 x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-V-171071-00

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OWNER: WITTHAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DESERT COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1962  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- ELDW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.
- \* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED  
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THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SESWSW 12 24N 36E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
01 DNSTREAM SESWSW 12 24N 36E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 1.5 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 16 FT SURFACE AREA: 73 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
001 SESWSW 12 24N 36E VALLEY

\* L 27

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BASIN 400  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171072-00

## IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1930  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW BASIS: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DOWNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: OCTOBER 28 TO NOVEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS

01 SESENE 20 27N 39E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 DOWNSTREAM SESENE 20 27N 39E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 1.7 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 26 FT SURFACE AREA: 22 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 SESENE 20 27N 39E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4001-V-171073-00

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OWNERS: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1959  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: OCTOBER 28 TO NOVEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

01 LDI BLK Q1B SEC 21 TWP 39E COUNTY DAM

RESERVOIR:

01 DNSTREAM NWSWSW 21 27N 39E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

001 ACRES LDI BLK Q1B SEC 21 TWP 39E COUNTY NWSWSW 21 27N 39E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171073-00 (CONTINUED)

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171074-00

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OWNERS: WITTHAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1160  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1959  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: OCTOBER 20 TO NOVEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NESESW 17 27N 39E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM NESESW 17 27N 39E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NESESW 17 27N 39E VALLEY

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171075-00

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OWNERS: COTTON ROBERT H  
PO BOX 1004 MT 59230  
GLASGOW

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF HAY COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1942  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

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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 PAREA SERVICED BY  
THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 NESW 27 30N 37E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 ONSTREAM NESW 27 30N 37E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 35.0 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 10 FT SURFACE AREA: 9.00 ACRES

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

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 W2W 27 30N 37E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 14001-W-171075-001 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-171076-00

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OWNERS: COTTON ROBERT H  
PO BOX 1004  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF HAY COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

SOURCE IS COMPOSED OF SEVERAL UNNAMED TRIBUTARIES  
WITHIN THE POINT OF DIVERSION LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION.

- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1942  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.
- \* VOLUME: 320.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

THE VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN REDUCED TO THE  
2.0 ACRE-FEET PER ACRE GUIDELINE FOR WATER SPREADING.  
THE VOLUME MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

MAXIMUM ACRES: 160.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

- \* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	S	W	30N	37E	VALLEY			DITCH
02	S	W	30N	37E	VALLEY			DITCH
03	S	W	30N	37E	VALLEY			DITCH
04	S	W	30N	37E	VALLEY			DITCH
05	N	W	30N	37E	VALLEY			DITCH
06	S	E	30N	37E	VALLEY			DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

001	40.00	SEW	27	30N	37E	VALLEY
002	80.00	E2SW	27	30N	37E	VALLEY
003	10.00	NEW	27	30N	37E	VALLEY
004	30.00	NEW	24	30N	37E	VALLEY
TOTAL	160.00					

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 09/09/91: TYPE OF IRRIGATION, POINT OF DIVERSION,  
MEANS OF DIVERSION.

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

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x IT APPEARS THIS WATER RIGHT MAY NOT HAVE BEEN x  
x PERFECTED. THERE APPEARS TO BE NO APPROPRIATION OF x  
x WATER. ALL ELEMENTS OF THIS CLAIM ARE QUESTIONABLE. x  
x x  
x x

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-171078-00

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OWNERS: COTTON ROBERT H  
PO BOX 1004  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 01, 1940  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

VOLUME: 319.54 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 159.77

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SE 31 30N 38E VALLEY DIKE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 40.00 SWSE 31 30N 38E VALLEY  
002 80.00 E2SW 31 30N 38E VALLEY  
003 39.77 SWSW 31 30N 38E VALLEY  
TOTAL 159.77

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170819	D 01	170849	M 04	170879	G 08
170819	E 01	170849	N 04	170880	H 08
170820	F 01	170850	O 04	170880	I 08
170820	G 01	170850	A 05	170881	J 08
170821	H 01	170851	B 05	170881	K 08
170821	I 01	170851	C 05	170882	L 08
170822	J 01	170852	D 05	170882	M 08
170822	K 01	170852	E 05	170883	N 08
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OWNERS: COTTON ROBERT H  
PO BOX 1004  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BUFFALO COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 01, 1940  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

\* VOLUME: 90.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

THE VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN REDUCED TO THE  
2.0 ACRE-FEET PER ACRE GUIDELINE FOR WATER SPREADING.  
THE VOLUME MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

MAXIMUM ACRES: 45.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SWSW 22 30N 37E VALLEY DIKE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001	35.00	SWSW	22	30N	37E	VALLEY
002	10.00	NENWN	27	30N	37E	VALLEY
TOTAL	45.00					

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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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OWNERS: WALSTAD FARMS INC  
PO BOX 48  
OPHEIM MT 59250

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: OCTOBER 15, 1947  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 25.00 GPM ( .06 CFS)

VOLUME: 2.00 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: .50

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 NENENW 29 36N 41E VALLEY

THIS WATER RIGHT USED IN A MANIFOLD GROUNDWATER SYSTEM  
IN CONJUNCTION WITH WATER RIGHT NO. W171081-00.

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 -----.50 NENENW 29 36N 41E VALLEY  
TOTAL .50

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
11/15/89: PRIORITY DATE, VOLUME, MAXIMUM ACRES, PLACE  
OF USE.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/09/92.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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OWNERS: WALSTAD FARMS INC  
PO BOX 48  
OPHEIM MT 59250

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JULY 15, 1959  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM (.03 CFS)

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 NENENW 29 36N 41E VALLEY

THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED IN A MANIFOLD GROUNDWATER SYSTEM IN CONJUNCTION WITH WATER RIGHT W171080-00.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 NENENW 29 36N 41E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
11/15/89.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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OWNERS: ERICKSON AMOS P  
LARSLAN MT 59244

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1943  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 8.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 SESESW 06 32N 43E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 SESESW 06 32N 43E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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.  
W171083-00, W171085-00.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED \*  
\* WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS \*  
\* DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-171084-00

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OWNERS: ERICKSON AMOS P  
LARSLAN MT 59244

PURPOSE [USE]: STOCK

- \* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF PORCUPINE CREEK, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1954  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC 1WP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SESWNE 14 32N 42E UALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC 1WP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SESWNE 14 32N 42E UALLEY

REMARKS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-W-171084-00g (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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x THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS x  
x EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN x  
x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
x x x  
x x x  
x IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED x  
x WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS x  
x DEFINED IN THE 1905 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. x  
x x x  
x THIS CLAIM MAY BE PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT x  
x ACCORDING TO ARTICLE III.8.3. OF THE FORT x  
x PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE MAY BE x  
x REQUIRED BEFORE THIS CLAIM CAN BE DECREED. x  
x x x  
x \*\*\*\*\*

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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-W-171085-00

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OWNERS: ERICKSON AMS P  
LARSLAN MT 59244

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1943  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 6.00 GPM

VOLUME: 1.50 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: .25

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 SESESW 06 32N 43E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE EDR DOMESTIC:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 .25 SESESW 06 32N 43E VALLEY  
TOTAL .25

REMARKS:

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WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PLECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171085-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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.  
W171083-00, W171085-00.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED \*  
\* WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS \*  
\* DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. \*  
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MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER\_RIGHT\_NUMBER\_400-W-171086-00

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OWNERS:	SOMSTENG NORTH GLASGOW PO BOX 748 GLASGOW	CAROLE C		
		MT	59230	
	SOMSTENG NORTH GLASGOW PO BOX 748 GLASGOW	KENNETH D		
		MT	59230	

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 09, 1962  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM ( .03 CFS)

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 (GOUT) 1 NW 18 29N 40E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 (GOUT) 1 NW 18 29N 40E VALLEY

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MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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x EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN x  
x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
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x x x  
x THE PRIORITY DATE IS IN QUESTION. THE DATE OF FILING x  
x THE FDM GW2, NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER x  
x APPROPRIATION, IS DECEMBER 31, 1963. x  
x x x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171087-00

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DWELERS:	SONSTENG	CAROLE	C
	NORTH GLASGOW		
	PO BOX 748		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230
	SONSTENG	KENNETH	O
	NORTH GLASGOW		
	PO BOX 748		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 09, 1962  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM (.03 CFS)

VOLUME: 2.00 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 2.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

-----LOT\_BLK\_QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY-----

01 (GOUT) 1 NW 18 29N 40E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE (DOMESTIC):

-----ACRES-----LOT\_BLK\_QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY-----

001 2.00 (GOUT) 1 NW 18 29N 40E VALLEY  
TOTAL 2.00

REMARKS:

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BASIN 400  
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WATER\_RIGHT\_NUMBER: 400z-U-171088-00

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	15218 20TH ST			
	PHOENIX	AZ	85022	
	JOHNSON	IMOGENE	M	
	2312 3RD AVE S			
	GREAT FALLS	MT	59405	
	LOSER	GARY	L	
	RT 1			
	FORT SHAW	MT	55443	
	LOSER	JERRY	J	
	RT 1			
	FORT SHAW	MT	59443	
	LOSER	ROBERT	J	
	RT 1			
	FORT SHAW	MT	59443	
	GISSON	MARTHA	L	
	1100 4TH AVE S #309			
	GLASGOW	MT	59230	
	WALBERG LOSER	LOLA		
	RT 1			
	FORT SHAW	MT	59443	

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1915  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

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BASIN 400  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171088-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 SWSWNE 06 28N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 SWSWNE 06 28N 39E VALLEY

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BASIN 400  
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WATER\_RIGHT\_NUMBER: 400-W-171089-00

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PURPOSE\_USE: STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1913  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW\_RATE: 10.00 GPM

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PERIOD\_OF\_USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-1710B9-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 (GOVT) 2 NE 06 28N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
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W1710B9-00, W171091-00.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171090-00

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	PHOENIX	AZ	85022
	JOHNSON	IMOGENE	M
	2312 3RD AVE S		
	GREAT FALLS	MT	59405
	LOSER	ROBERT	J
	RT 1		
	FORT SHAW	MT	59443
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	FORT SHAW	MT	59443
	SISSON	MARTHA	L
	1100 4TH AVE S #309		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230
	WALBERG LOSER	LOLA	
	RT 1		
	FORT SHAW	MT	59443

PURPOSE\_USE: DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1975  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

VOLUME: 1.50 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

PERIOD\_OF\_USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT\_OF\_DIVERSION:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171090-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 SWSWNE 06 28N 39E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-W-171091-00

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PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1913  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

VOLUME: 1.50 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4001-W-171091-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 (GOUT) 2 NE 06 28N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 (GOUT) 2 NE 06 28N 39E VALLEY

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W171089-00, W171091-00.

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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4008-W-171092-00

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OWNERS: FLYNN ANN C  
1992 MONTCLAIR CIRCLE CA 94596  
WALNUT CREEK

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1930  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 7.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 NENESE 06 28N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 NW/4SW 05 28N 39E VALLEY  
002 NENESE 06 28N 39E VALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/11/94.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-V-171092-002 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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	MC 72 BOX 481			
	OPHEIM	MT	59250	

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 31, 1951  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 20.00 GPM ( .04 CFS)

VOLUME: 2.00 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 1.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 (GOVT) 1 SEMENE 01 35N 40E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

001 ----- 1.00 (GOVT) 1 SEMENE 01 35N 40E VALLEY  
TOTAL 1.00

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W171093-00, W171094-00.

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			MT	59250
	HALLOCK HC 72 BOX 481 OPHEIM	EUGENE R		
			MT	59250

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 31, 1951  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

ELDW BASE: 20.00 GPM ( .04 CFS)

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01 (GOVT) 1 SENENE 01 35N 40E VALLEY

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	HALLOCK	SHARI	L	
	HC 72 BOX 481			
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PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 8.00 GPM

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01 (G00T) 1 SENENE 01 35N 40E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171096-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: A TOR CHRIS  
RR BOX 1136  
PLENTYWOOD MT 59254

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: OCTOBER 10, 1949  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 NESWSW 03 34N 42E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 NESWSW 03 34N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
11/09/89.

REPLACEMENT WELL - FILE REFLECTS AUTHORIZATION TO  
CHANGE COMPLETED 03-08-86. SEE 400-6066198-00.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/18/94.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-V-171097-00

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OWNERS: ATOB CHRIS  
RR BOX 1136  
PLENTYWOOD MT 59254

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 23, 1963  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 NESWSW 03 34N 42E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 NESWSW 03 34N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/18/94.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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*	A DECLARATION OF VESTED GROUNDWATER RIGHTS (FORM GW4)	*
*	WAS FILED AND SUBMITTED WITH CLAIM AS A NOTICE OF	*
*	COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER (FORM GW2).	*
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OWNERS: ATOB CHRIS  
RR BOX 1136  
PLENTYWOOD MT 59254

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: NOVEMBER 13, 1964  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 11.00 GPM (.02 CFS)

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO JUNE 30

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 SESWNW 04 34N 42E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 SESWNW 04 34N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
11/09/89.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/18/94.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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OWNER: ATOP CHAS  
RR BOX 1136  
PLENTYWOOD MT 59254

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF BOG COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS ANDERSON SPRING

\* PRIORITY DATE: JULY 01, 1932  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DOWNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCL. A AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED  
FOR STOCK WATERING PUR 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JUNE 01 TO SEPTEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, SEC. TWP, RGE, COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 (GOVT) 3 N44W5W 07 34N 42E VALLEY PIT

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR, SEC, SEC. TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----

01 DOWNSTREAM N44W5W 07 34N 42E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCKS:

----- ACRES ----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, SEC. TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----

00) (GOVT) 3 N44W5W 07 34N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK (INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
11/09/89.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/16/94.

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X THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, X  
X DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. X  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-171100-00

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OWNERS: ATOA CHRIS  
RR BOX 1136  
PLENTYWOOD MT 59254

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: NOVEMBER 13, 1964  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

ELDW RATE: 18.00 GPM (.04 CFS)

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PERIOD OF USE: AUGUST 15 TO DECEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 SWSENE 08 34N 42E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE EDB SIDCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 SWSENE 08 34N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
11/09/89.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/18/94.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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WATER\_RIGHT\_NUMBER-400-U-171101-00

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OWNERS: ATOZ CHRIS  
RR BOX 1136  
PLENTYWOOD MT 59254

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 18, 1957  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

VOLUME: 2.00 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACREES: .50

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 NESWSW 03 34N 42E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACREES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

001 ----- .50 NESWSW 03 34N 42E VALLEY  
TOTAL .50

REMARKS:

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11/09/89.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/18/94.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171102-00

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OWNERS: ATOE CHRIS  
RR BOX 1136  
PLENTYWOOD MT 59254

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SNOW COULEE, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 14, 1961  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

VOLUME: 400.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 250.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO AUGUST 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 (GOVT) 3 S2NEMW 03 34N 42E VALLEY DIVERSION DAM

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 15.00 SWNE 03 34N 42E VALLEY  
002 25.00 SENW 03 34N 42E VALLEY  
003 140.00 SE 03 34N 42E VALLEY  
004 70.00 E2SW 03 34N 42E VALLEY  
TOTAL 250.00

REMARKS:

\* 0 03

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
11/09/89: POINT OF DIVERSION, MAXIMUM ACRES, PLACE  
OF USE.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/18/94.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING BASINS OR SUBBASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO  
OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT  
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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-171105-00

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<b>OWNERS:</b>	MDEN	MARY	A
	732 4TH AVE N		
	GLASSGOW	MT	59230
	MDEN	OLIVER	L
	732 4TH AVE N		
	GLASSGOW	MT	59230

**PURPOSE (USE):** STOCK

**SOURCE:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CHERRY CREEK, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

**PRIORITY DATE:** JULY 15, 1968  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

**FLOW RATE:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* **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.

**PERIOD OF USE:** APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

**POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:**

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SESE 19 29N 40E VALLEY DAM

**RESERVOIR:**

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM SESE 19 29N 40E VALLEY

**PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:**

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SESE 19 29N 40E VALLEY

\* B 04

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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WATER:RIGHT:NUMBER:400z-W-171106-00

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OWNERS: DALEY EARL  
76 BONNIE HT 59290  
GLASGOW

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF PORCUPINE CREEK, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1937  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 NESESW 27 32N 42E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM NESESW 27 32N 42E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 NWSWE 27 32N 42E VALLEY  
002 NESESW 27 32N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

\* D 04

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED \*  
\* WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS \*  
\* DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THIS CLAIM MAY BE PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT \*  
\* ACCORDING TO ARTICLE III.B.3. OF THE FORT \*  
\* PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE MAY BE \*  
\* REQUIRED BEFORE THIS CLAIM CAN BE DECREED. \*  
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OWNERS: DALEY EARL  
76 BONNIE  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF PORCUPINE CREEK, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1960  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED  
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THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUAR TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NESESE 15 31N 42E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
01 DNSTREAM NESESE 15 31N 42E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: ----- 15.0 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 12 FT SURFACE AREA: ----- 3.75 ACRES

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

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
001 NESESE 15 31N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

\* F 04

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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RESERVATION.

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\* IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED \*  
\* WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS \*  
\* DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-V-171108-00

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OWNERS: DALEY EARL  
76 BONNIE  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF PORCUPINE CREEK, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1964  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

ELOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED  
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THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND BEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- BEANS

01 SENWE 10 31N 42E VALLEY DAN

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 DNSTREAM SENWE 10 31N 42E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE EOB STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 SENWE 10 31N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

\* H 04



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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4002-W-171109-00

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OWNERS:	COLLINS	JANE	MT	R	59248
	NASHUA				
	COLLINS	WAYNE	MT	E	59248
	N MC BOX 230				
	NASHUA				

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1916  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 6.00 GPM

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 SWSNW 15 29N 42E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 SWSNW 15 29N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/09/84.

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x THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS x  
x EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN x  
x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
x x x  
x x x  
x x x  
x IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED x  
x WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS x  
x DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. x  
x x x  
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OWNER: COTTON ROBERT S  
PO BOX 27  
GLASSBORO MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 12, 1906  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: 6.06 CFS

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.

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 160.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 (GOUT) ? NESEMW 25 29N 38E ULLLEY PUMP

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001	80.00			EPSE	25	29N	38E	ULLLEY
002	40.00 (GOUT)	10		NMSW	30	29N	39E	ULLLEY
003	40.00 (GOUT)	11		SWSW	30	29N	39E	ULLLEY
TOTAL	160.00							

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE CLAIMED PERIOD OF USE EXCEEDS THE USUAL GROWING \*  
\* SEASON FOR THIS CLIMATIC AREA WHICH IS APRIL 1 TO \*  
\* OCTOBER 31. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400 W-171112-00

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\* OWNERS: SEE TED  
PO BOX 205  
OPHEM MT 59250

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SNOW COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

THIS WATER RIGHT ALSO INCLUDES GROUNDWATER FROM A DEVELOPED SPRING IN THE NESESW SEC 06 TWP 35N RGE 41E VALLEY COUNTY.

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS DOWNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 NWSWSE 06 35N 41E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----

01 DNSTREAM NWSWSE 06 35N 41E VALLEY

THE DAM EXTENDS INTO THE NESESW SEC 06 TWP 35N RGE 41E VALLEY COUNTY.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----

\* N 04

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

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NESESW O6 35N 41E URLEY

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OWNERS: SEE TED  
PD BOX 285  
OPHEIM MT 59250  
SEE KAREN  
PD BOX 285  
OPHEIM MT 59250

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SNOW COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1945  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK AIR SEC SEC IWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 W2NWSE 31 36N 41E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- AIR SEC SEC IWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM W2NWSE 31 36N 41E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 15.0 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 13 FT SURFACE AREA: 3.75 ACRES

THE MAXIMUM STORAGE CAPACITY HAS BEEN ESTIMATED THE  
DNRC.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

\* A 05

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGF	COUNTY
001			WNWSE	31	36N	41E	VALLEY	
002			NENESW	31	36N	41E	VALLEY	

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/09/90.

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OWNERS: SEE TED  
PO BOX 285 MT 59250  
OPHEIM  
SEE KAREN  
PO BOX 285 MT 59250  
OPHEIM

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1946  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT\_BLK\_OIR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY  
01 SENWSE 32 36N 41E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT\_BLK\_OIR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY  
001 SENWSE 32 36N 41E VALLEY

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OWNER: SEE TED  
PO BOX 285 MT 59250  
DPHEIM  
SEE KAREN  
PO BOX 285 MT 59250  
DPHEIM

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SNOW COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

THIS WATER RIGHT ALSO INCLUDES GROUNDWATER FROM A DEVELOPED SPRING IN THE SWNW SEC 36 TWP 36N RGE 40E VALLEY COUNTY.

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1939  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS DOWNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 E25NW 36 36N 40E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 DOWNSTREAM E25NW 36 36N 40E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 12.5 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 13 FT SURFACE AREA: 3.13 ACRES

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RESERVOIR CONTINUED:

THE MAXIMUM STORAGE CAPACITY HAS BEEN ESTIMATED THE  
DNRC.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				S	36	36N	40E	VALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/09/90.

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PO BOX 285 MT 59250  
DPHEIM  
SEE KAREN  
PO BOX 285 MT 59250  
DPHEIM

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1946  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

VOLUME: 1.50 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: .50

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_\_QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_IWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 NNNNNW 32 36N 41E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_\_QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_IWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

001 ----- .50 NNNNNW 32 36N 41E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- .50

REMARKS:

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OWNERS: BILLINGSLEY GALE  
PO BOX 746  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1926  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 8.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO NOVEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----

01 (GOVT) 6 NW 03 28N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE, EDB, SIDES:

----- ACRES ----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----

001 (GOVT) 6 NW 03 28N 39E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-17118-00

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OWNERS: BILLINGSLEY GALE  
PO BOX 746  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 8.00 GPM

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

0: NESWSW 27 29N 38E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

00: NESWSW 27 29N 38E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-171118-002 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

W171118-00, W171122-00.

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X THE DMRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, X  
X DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. X  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4002-W-171119-00

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OWNERS: BILLINGSLEY GALE  
PO BOX 746  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1946  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 8.00 GPM

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 NWSWSW 27 29N 38E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NWSWSW 27 29N 38E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE PERIOD OF USE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 09/29/88.

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\* THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171120-00

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OWNERS: BILLINGSLEY GALE  
PO BOX 746  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1950  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 8.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: OCTOBER 01 TO APRIL 30

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 NWSESE 28 29N 38E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 NWSESE 28 29N 38E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE PERIOD OF USE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 09/29/88.

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WATERRIGHTNUMBER:400Z-W-171121-00

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OWNERS: JONES LANA  
PO BOX 1069  
GLASGOW MT 59230  
JONES DONALD R  
PO BOX 1069  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1955  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 8.00 GPM

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

\* PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 SWNNW 33 29N 38E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 SWNNW 33 29N 38E VALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 06/08/84.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400x-W-171122-00

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OWNERS: BILLINGSLEY GALE  
PO BOX 746  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 8.00 GPM

VOLUME: 1.50 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO FEBRUARY 29

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 NESWSW 27 29N 38E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 NESWSW 27 29N 38E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE PERIOD OF USE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 09/29/88.

REPLACEMENT WELL - AUTHORIZATION TO CHANGE ISSUED  
07/12/89. FILE REFLECTS RIGHT AS IT EXISTED PRIOR TO  
JULY 1973. APPROVED CHANGES WILL BE RECORDED AFTER  
FINAL DECREE.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400X-W-171122-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400X-W-171123-00

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OWNER: WAGNER JULIUS F  
PO BOX 31597  
BILLINGS MT 59107-1597

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: MILK RIVER COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1946  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLS\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 N2NWW 36 29N 42E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM N2NWW 36 29N 42E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: ----- 33.6 AC - EI DAM HEIGHT: 15 - EI SURFACE AREA: ----- 7.00 ACBES

THE CAPACITY AND SURFACE AREA HAVE BEEN ESTIMATED BY  
DNRC.

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLS\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171123-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

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N2N2W 36 29N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/14/91.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/13/92.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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\* IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED \*  
\* WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS \*  
\* DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. \*  
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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT. 59771-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-171124-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS:	WAGENHALS	DANA		
	PO BOX 294			
	GLASGOW	MT	59230	
	WAGENHALS	CATHY		
	PO BOX 294			
	GLASGOW	MT	59230	

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JULY 30, 1959  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 6.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOI\_BLK\_\_DIR\_SEC\_\_SEC\_\_TWP\_RGE\_\_COUNTY -----

01 NESESE 19 29N 40E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- BCRES ----- LOI\_\_BLK\_\_DIR\_SEC\_\_SEC\_\_TWP\_RGE\_\_COUNTY -----

001 SESE 19 29N 40E VALLEY

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE WATER RIGHT, RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO  
ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER  
IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.  
W171124-00, W171126-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/18/92.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 002-V-171125-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: WAGENHALLS                      DANA  
          PO BOX 294  
          GLASGOW                      MT      59230  
  
          WAGENHALLS                      CATHY  
          PO BOX 294  
          GLASGOW                      MT      59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 25, 1959  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 20.00 GPM ( 04 CFS)

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT 1 BLK 5 SEC 19 T29N R40E VALLEY -----  
01                      5                      SESESE 19 29N 40E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- GCBS ----- LOT 1 BLK 5 SEC 19 T29N R40E VALLEY -----  
001                      5                      SESESE 19 29N 40E VALLEY

REMARKS:

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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-W-171125-00g (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THE RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREASES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.  
W171125-00, W171127-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/12/92.

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\* THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-171126-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS:	WAGENHALLS PO BOX 294 GLASGOW	DANA		
		CATHY	MT	59230
	WAGENHALLS PO BOX 294 GLASGOW		MT	59230

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JULY 30, 1959  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 6.00 GPM

VOLUME: 1.50 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 1.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

-----LOT\_BLK\_\_QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY-----

01 NESESE 19 29N 40E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

\_\_\_ACRES-----LOT\_BLK\_\_QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY-----

001 -----1.00 SESE 19 29N 40E VALLEY  
TOTAL 1.00

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BASIN #00  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171126-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO  
ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER  
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W171124-00, W171126-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/18/92.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-W-171127-00

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OWNERS:	WAGENHALS	DANA		
	PO BOX 294		MT	59230
	GLASGOW			
	WAGENHALS	CATHY		
	PO BOX 294		MT	59230
	GLASGOW			

PURPOSE (USE): LAWN & GARDEN

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 25, 1959  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

ELDW RATE: 20.00 GPM ( .04 CFS)

VOLUME: 1.50 AF

MAXIMUM ACRES: 1.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT\_BLK QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY

01            5            SESESE 19 29N 40E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE EDR LAWN & GARDEN:

ACRES            LOT\_BLK    QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY

001	----- 1.00	5	SESESE 19 29N 40E VALLEY
TOTAL	----- 1.00		

REMARKS:

SUBD: MDEN TRACT

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-171127-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO  
ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER  
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W171125-00, W171127-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/18/92.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171128-00

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OWNERS: DEWIT WAYNE J  
MC 272 3130 MT 5F  
GLASGOW

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

FLOWING ARTESIAN WELL

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1953  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 12.00 GPM ( .03 CFS)

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO NOVEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 SWSESE 26 34N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 SWSESE 26 34N 39E VALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/21/86.

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\* THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-171129-00

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OWNERS: DEWITT WAYNE J  
HC 272 3130 MT 59230  
GLASGOW

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1925  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 12.00 GPM (.03 CFS)

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PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO NOVEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 NWNE 35 34N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 NWNE 35 34N 39E VALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/21/86.

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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 400-W-171130-00

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OWNERS:	HOLTER PO BOX 885 GLASGOW	CASPER	0
		MT	59230
	HOLTER PO BOX 885 GLASGOW	IDELL	W
		MT	59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: CHERRY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

THIS WATER RIGHT ALSO INCLUDES GROUNDWATER FROM DEVELOPED SPRINGS IN THE NWSE AND E2SEW SEC 11 TWP 29N RGE 39E VALLEY COUNTY.

\* PRIORITY DATE: MAY 31, 1906  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01					29N	39E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02					29N	39E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001						29N	39E	VALLEY
002						29N	39E	VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
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WATER\_RIGHT\_NUMBER\_400g-W-17:131-00

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OWNERS: HOLTZ CASPER D  
PO BOX 885  
GLASGOW MT 59230  
HOLTZ IDELL W  
PO BOX 885  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 20, 1950  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

VOLUME: 2.00 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 1.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_\_QIR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 SESWSW 11 29N 39E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_\_QIR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

001 -----1.00 SESWSW 11 29N 39E VALLEY  
TOTAL 1.00

BEMAPKS:

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

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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: 400g-W-171132-00

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OWNERS:	MOLTER	CASPER	0
	PO BOX 885		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230
	MOLTER	IDELL	W
	PO BOX 885		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 20, 1950  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOI\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 SWSEW 11 29N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE EDB SIDCK:

----- ACRES LOI\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

001 SWSEW 11 29N 39E VALLEY  
002 SE3WSW 11 29N 39E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE WATER RIGHT, RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO  
ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER  
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W171131-00, W171132-00.

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WATER\_RIGHT\_NUMBER:400;W-171133-00

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OWNERS: FAY MICHAEL J  
514 WHATLEY RD MT 59248  
NASHUA  
FAY SAMAR  
514 WHATLEY RD MT 59248  
NASHUA

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1940  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM ( .03 CFS)

\* 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 SURROUNDING THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 (GOVT) 3 SWNWNE 32 28N 41E ULLLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 (GOVT) 3 SWNWNE 32 28N 41E ULLLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 06/24/92.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-171134-00

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OWNERS:	MARTIN TAMPCO RT GLASGOW	DOROTHY K MT	59230
	MARTIN TAMPCO RT GLASGOW	IVER W MT	59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ANTELOPE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1963  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.
- \* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- L01 BLK Q18 SEC SEC IWP BGE COUNTY ----- MEANS  
01 NESENE 30 29N 38E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- Q18 SEC SEC IWP BGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM NESENE 30 29N 38E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 56.2 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 30 FT SURFACE AREA: 5.63 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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BASIN 400  
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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001						NENE	30	29N	38E	VALLEY
002						NESENE	30	29N	38E	VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400x-W-171135-00

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OWNERS:	COPEHHAVER	BEVERLY	A
	PO BOX 175		
	HINSDALE	MT	59241
	COPEHHAVER	VERNON	E
	PO BOX 175		
	HINSDALE	MT	59241

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1952  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

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RESIDU. DE. USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 SWESE 34 31N 37E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

001 SWESE 34 31N 37E VALLEY

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171135-00 (CONTINUED)

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-171136-00

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OWNERS:	JONES	EVELYN	E
	PO BOX 104		
	HINSDALE	MT	59241
	JONES	HARVEY LLOYD	
	PO BOX 104		
	HINSDALE	MT	59241

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1914  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 8.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 NENNW 28 31N 37E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

001 NENNW 28 31N 37E VALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 06/30/87.

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OWNERS: COPEHHAVER                   VERNON                   E  
          PO BOX 175  
          HINSDALE                   MT                   59241

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
          SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 03, 1959  
                  TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 8.00 GPM

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01                                   SWSW 33 31N 37E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES                   LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001                                   SWSW 33 31N 37E VALLEY

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HINSDALE MT 59241  
JONES HARVEY LLOYD  
PO BOX 104  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1956  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK Q18 SEC SEC IWP BGE COUNTY -----

01 SWNEW 33 31N 37E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK Q18 SEC SEC IWP BGE COUNTY -----

001 SWNEW 33 31N 37E VALLEY

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-W-171139-00

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OWNERS:	COPEHHAUER	VERNON	E
	PO BOX 175		
	HINSDALE	MT	59241
	COPEHHAUER	BEVERLY	A
	PO BOX 175		
	HINSDALE	MT	59241

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1912  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 5.00 GPM

VOLUME: 1.50 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 25

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK Q18 SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 SESESE 34 31N 37E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK Q18 SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 ----- 25 SESESE 34 31N 37E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- .25

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-W-171140-00

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\* OWNERS: REDFIELD, JR FRANK L  
PO BOX 346  
OPNEIN MT 59250

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SNOW COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: OCTOBER 31, 1969  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED  
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CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY  
THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 31

POINTS OF DIVERISION AND MEANS OF DIVERISION:

----- LDI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- BEAMS  
01 SENWSE 21 35N 41E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 DNSTREAM SENWSE 21 35N 41E VALLEY

THE DAM EXTENDS INTO THE NESWSE SEC 21 TWP 35N RGE 41E  
VALLEY COUNTY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LDI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SENWSE 21 35N 41E VALLEY  
002 NESWSE 21 35N 41E VALLEY

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\* OWNERS: BETZ RANCH INC  
% DARYL J BETZ  
120 HORSESHOE DR  
PLENTYWOOD MT 59254-1714

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

SOURCE: LIME CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 26, 1899  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

VOLUME: 100.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 94.00  
PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SWNWSE 28 31N 37E VALLEY DIVERSION DAM

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 4.00 SWSESE 28 31N 37E VALLEY  
002 12.00 WSWSE 28 31N 37E VALLEY  
003 33.00 NESE 33 31N 37E VALLEY  
004 45.00 W2NE 33 31N 37E VALLEY  
TOTAL 94.00

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
03/01/90: VOLUME, MAXIMUM ACRES, PLACE OF USE.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-171142-00

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\* OWNERS: BETZ RANCH INC  
% DARYL J JETT  
120 HORSESHOE DR  
PLENTYWOOD MT 59254-1714

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 20, 1901  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

ELOW\_BBIE: 3,800.00 GPM

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 370.00

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOI\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY MEANS  
01 (GOUT) 1 NENWNE 12 30N 36E VALLEY PUMP

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOI	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
001	35.00						SWNE	06	30N	37E VALLEY
002	35.00						SENW	06	30N	37E VALLEY
003	30.00 (GOUT)	5					SWNW	06	30N	37E VALLEY
004	30.00						NWSE	06	30N	37E VALLEY
005	40.00 (GOUT)	9					NESE	06	30N	37E VALLEY
006	40.00 (GOUT)	6					NWSE	06	30N	37E VALLEY
007	160.00						SE	31	31N	37E VALLEY
TOTAL	370.00									

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
03/01/90: PRIORITY DATE, PERIOD OF USE, MAXIMUM ACRES,  
PLACE OF USE.

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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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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 BASINS OR SUBBASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO  
OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT  
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PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING  
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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER V-171143-00

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\* OWNERS: BETZ RANCH INC  
% DARYL J BETZ  
120 HORSESHOE DR  
PLENTYWOOD MT 59254-1714

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WHITEBREAD SPRING  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 10, 1917  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SESESE 22 31N 37E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SESESE 22 31N 37E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
03/01/90.

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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: 400-W-171146-00

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OWNERS: ENKERUD ESTHER E  
TAMPCICO RT  
GLASGOW MT 59230  
ENKERUD OTTO S  
MC 271-2153  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1967  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 30.00 GPM ( .07 CFS)

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO FEBRUARY 29

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 NWSNW 05 29N 38E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NWSNW 05 29N 38E VALLEY

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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WATERRIGHT#NUMBER#400#W-171147-00

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OWNERS: WAGNER JULIUS F  
PO BOX 31597  
BILLINGS MT 59107-1597

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF MILK RIVER COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1920  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* 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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PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 NESWNW 36 29N 42E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- PCRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 NESWNW 36 29N 42E VALLEY

BEARERS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/14/91.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/13/92.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED \*  
\* WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS \*  
\* DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-0-171149-00

\*\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*\*

OWNER: WAGNER JULIUS F  
PO BOX 31597  
BILLINGS MT 59107-1597

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF IVY COULEE

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 N2NW1/4 36 29N 42E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION  
PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 06/01/92.

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\* THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM MAY NOT HAVE BEEN COMPLETED \*  
\* AS THE CLAIMANT WITHDREW THE CLAIM. \*  
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WATERRIGHT#NUMBER#400#-W-171150-00

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OWNERS: WAHLBERG MARY LOU  
171 EIGHT MILE LN MT 59860  
POLSON

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF SARGENT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1920  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* 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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PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NNNNNW 24 29N 42E URLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NNNNNW 24 29N 42E URLEY

REMARKS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/14/91.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
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\* WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400g-W-171151-00

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OWNERS: WAHLBERG MARY LOU  
171 EIGHT MILE LN  
POLSON MT 59860

PURPOSE (USE): AGRICULTURAL SPRAYING

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1952  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 8.00 GPM

VOLUME: .30 AF

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 MENEMO 08 30N 42E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR AGRICULTURAL SPRAYING

----- ACPTS ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 MENEMO 08 30N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/14/91.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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BASIN 400  
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WATERRIGHTNUMBER:400-W-171151-00(CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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x	IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED	x
x	WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS	x
x	DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT.	x
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OWNERS: LAUMEYER FRANCIS G  
N MC BOX 216  
NASHUA NT 59248

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1938  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 2,000.00 GPM

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 83.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO NOVEMBER 14

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01	(GOUT)	3	SES	NW	15	27N	42E	VALLEY	PUMP

\* PLACE OF USE EDR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001	4.00	(GOUT)	3	S25	NW	15	27N	42E	VALLEY
002	3.00	(GOUT)	5	W25	ES	15	27N	42E	VALLEY
003	38.00	(GOUT)	4	N45	W	15	27N	42E	VALLEY
004	2.00			W25	ES	15	27N	42E	VALLEY
005	36.00			S45	W	15	27N	42E	VALLEY
TOTAL	83.00								

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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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OWNERS: FRIEDL LUCILLE K  
505 2ND AVE N  
GLASGOW MT 59230  
FRIEDL HERBERT J  
PO BOX 271  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1896  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

VOLUME: 2.60 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 2 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: .25

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LDT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 2 66 NWNE SW 12 28N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LDT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 ----- .25 2 66 NWNE SW 12 28N 39E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- .25

REMARKS:

SUBD: GLASGOW ORIGINAL TOWNSITE

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WATER<sub>2</sub>RIGHT<sub>2</sub>NUMBER<sub>2</sub>400<sub>2</sub>-W-171159-00<sub>2</sub>(CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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OWNERS: BILLINGSLEY GALE  
PO BOX 746  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE USE: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: NATURAL OVERFLOW

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1940  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS NATURAL  
OVERFLOW METHOD OF IRRIGATION.

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

\* MAXIMUM ACRES: 123.90

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	(GOVT)	4		NW	03	28N	39E	VALLEY	NATURAL OVERFLOW
02	(GOVT)	6		NW	03	28N	39E	VALLEY	NATURAL OVERFLOW
03	(GOVT)	2		NE	04	29N	39E	VALLEY	NATURAL OVERFLOW
04	(GOVT)	13		SW	32	29N	39E	VALLEY	NATURAL OVERFLOW

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	32.80 (GOVT)	4		NW	03	28N	39E	VALLEY	
002	44.00 (GOVT)	6		NW	03	28N	39E	VALLEY	
003	41.00 (GOVT)	2		NE	04	28N	39E	VALLEY	
004	6.10 (GOVT)	13		SW	32	29N	39E	VALLEY	
TOTAL	123.90								

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 05/01/89: POINT OF DIVERSION, MEANS OF DIVERSION,  
PLACE OF USE, PERIOD OF USE.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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\* \* \* \* \*  
\* IT APPEARS THIS WATER RIGHT MAY NOT HAVE BEEN \*  
\* PERFECTED. THERE APPEARS TO BE NO APPROPRIATION OF \*  
\* WATER. ALL ELEMENTS OF THIS CLAIM ARE QUESTIONABLE. \*  
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OWNERS: BILLINGSLEY GALE  
PO BOX 746  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1940  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 1,500.00 GPM

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 59.00

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	(GOUT)	6				NENE	03	28N 39E	VALLEY PUMP

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	17.50 (GOUT)	6				NENE	02	28N 39E	VALLEY
002	18.75 (GOUT)	2				NW	03	28N 39E	VALLEY
003	22.75 (GOUT)	4				NW	03	28N 39E	VALLEY
TOTAL	59.00								

REDBBS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
05/01/89: PLACE OF USE, FLOW RATE.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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: THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS :  
: EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN :  
: UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. :  
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: THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE IS 25.42 GPM PER ACRE. THE :  
: CLAIMED FLOW RATE CANNOT BE SUBSTANTIATED. :  
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OWNERS: BILLINGSLEY GALE  
PO BOX 746  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

THIS WATER RIGHT ALSO INCLUDES NATURAL OVERFLOW  
AS AN INCIDENTAL TYPE OF IRRIGATION.

SOURCE: ANTELOPE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 26, 1906  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

VOLUME: 504.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 348.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LDI	BLK	QIB	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		SWSW	27	29N	38E	VALLEY			NATURAL OVERFLOW
02		NESWSW	27	29N	38E	VALLEY			DIVERSION DAM
03		NWSESE	28	29N	38E	VALLEY			DIVERSION DAM
04		S2S2	28	29N	38E	VALLEY			NATURAL OVERFLOW

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LDI	BLK	QIB	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	30.00		S2SW	27	29N	38E	VALLEY		
002	120.00		S2S2	28	29N	38E	VALLEY		
003	40.00		SENE	33	29N	38E	VALLEY		
004	118.00		N2M2	33	29N	38E	VALLEY		
005	40.00		W2NW	34	29N	38E	VALLEY		
TOTAL	348.00								

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

**REMARKS:**

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
09/29/88: POINT OF DIVERSION, MEANS OF DIVERSION, TYPE  
OF IRRIGATION, PLACE OF USE, VOLUME, PERIOD OF USE.

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X EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN X  
X UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. X  
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X IT APPEARS THE NATURAL OVERFLOW PORTION OF THIS WATER X  
X RIGHT MAY NOT HAVE BEEN PERFECTED. THERE APPEARS TO X  
X BE NO APPROPRIATION OF WATER. X  
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OWNERS: SHIPP PAMELA L  
MC 81 BOX 268  
WASHUA MT 59248

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1964  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 SENWSW 10 27N 41E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 UNSTREAM SENWSW 10 27N 41E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 SENWSW 10 27N 41E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/19/92.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/01/92.

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WATERRIGHTNUMBER:4002-W-171697-00

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OWNERS: SHIPP PAMELA L  
MC 81 BOX 268  
HASKUA MT 59248

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1972  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED  
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PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE  
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PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC 1/4 PGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 SWSSEW 10 27N 41E URLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC 1/4 PGE COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM SWSSEW 10 27N 41E URLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC 1/4 PGE COUNTY -----

001 SWSSEW 10 27N 41E URLEY

BEDDERS:

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BASIN 400  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/01/92.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-171717-00

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OWNERS: WAGNER JULIUS F  
PO BOX 31597 MT 59107-1597  
BILLINGS

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1936  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- BEINGS

01 SWNWSW 16 28N 43E VALLEY DAN

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM SWNWSW 16 28N 43E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 W2NWSW 16 28N 43E VALLEY

REMARKS:

\* M 10

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BASIN 400  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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x THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS x  
x EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES REMAIN x  
x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
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x x x x x  
x IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED x  
x WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS x  
x DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. x  
x x x x  
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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171719-00

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OWNERS: WAGNER JULIUS F  
PO BOX 31597  
BILLINGS MT 59107-1597

PURPOSE USE: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF KINTYRE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

VOLUME: 18.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 12.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 ----- E2NWSE 17 28N 43E VALLEY DIKE -----

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 ----- 12.00 ----- NWSE 17 28N 43E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- 12.00 -----

REMARKS:

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WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-171719-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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X THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS X  
X EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN X  
X UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. X  
X X  
X X  
X X  
X IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED X  
X WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS X  
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X \*\*\*\*\*

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 40S-W-171767-00

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

THE POINT OF DIVERSION FOR THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED IN ANOTHER BASIN. THE ABBREVIATED INFORMATION PROVIDED HERE IS TO DESCRIBE THE PLACE OF USE IN THIS BASIN. COMPLETE INFORMATION DESCRIBING THE ENTIRE RIGHT CAN BE FOUND IN THE POINT OF DIVERSION BASIN DECREE.

FOR THE CURRENT STATUS OF THE POINT OF DIVERSION BASIN, CONTACT THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR THE DNRC AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE MISSOURI RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 40S) AND USES IT IN THE MILK RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 400). ANY OBJECTION TO THIS RIGHT MAY BE FILED DURING THE OBJECTION PERIODS FOR EITHER THE POINT OF DIVERSION OR PLACE OF USE BASIN.

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OWNERS: MONTANA AVIATION RESEARCH CO  
PO BOX 831  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): MUNICIPAL

SOURCE: MISSOURI RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 26, 1956

FLOW DATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

PLACE OF USE FOR MUNICIPAL:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				34	31N	40E	VALLEY
002			W2	35	31N	40E	VALLEY
003			NE	35	30N	40E	VALLEY
004			N2SE	35	31N	40E	VALLEY
005			SWSE	35	31N	40E	VALLEY
006			E2	33	31N	40E	VALLEY
007			NE	33	31N	40E	VALLEY

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

008	E2SW	33	31N	40E	VALLEY
009	NE	32	31N	40E	VALLEY
010	E2NW	32	31N	40E	VALLEY
011		28	31N	40E	VALLEY
012	NENE	29	31N	40E	VALLEY
013	W2	27	31N	40E	VALLEY
014	SE	27	31N	40E	VALLEY
015	S2NE	27	31N	40E	VALLEY
016	SW	26	31N	40E	VALLEY
017	S2SWSE	26	31N	40E	VALLEY
018	SW	21	31N	40E	VALLEY
019	S2SE	21	31N	40E	VALLEY
020	S4NW	21	31N	40E	VALLEY
021	NW	20	31N	40E	VALLEY
022	SE	20	31N	40E	VALLEY
023	S2NE	20	31N	40E	VALLEY
024	NWNE	20	31N	40E	VALLEY
025	N2SW	20	31N	40E	VALLEY
026	S2SW	20	31N	40E	VALLEY
027	S4SW	17	31N	40E	VALLEY
028	SE	18	31N	40E	VALLEY
029	E2SW	18	31N	40E	VALLEY
030	NW	19	31N	40E	VALLEY
031	NENW	19	31N	40E	VALLEY
032	NE	04	30N	40E	VALLEY
033	E2NW	04	30N	40E	VALLEY
034	N2	03	30N	40E	VALLEY
035	NW	02	30N	40E	VALLEY
036	W2NWNE	02	30N	40E	VALLEY

REMARKS:

PLACE OF USE IS THE FORMER GLASGOW AIR FORCE BASE.

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BASIN 400  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-W-176385-00

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OWNERS: BI-LO-JI FARMS INC  
PO BOX 108  
SACO MT 59261

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: ANTELOPE CREEK, SOUTH FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1959  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- BEAMS  
01 SESENE 24 29N 35E VALLEY DIKE  
02 SESENW 24 29N 35E VALLEY DIKE  
03 MNWESW 24 29N 35E VALLEY DIKE

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM SESENW 24 29N 35E VALLEY  
02 ONSTREAM SESENE 24 29N 35E VALLEY  
03 ONSTREAM MNWESW 24 29N 35E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 525E\* 24 29N 35E VALLEY

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

002	SESEMW	24	29N	35E	VALLEY
003	WAMESW	24	29N	35E	VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE TYPE OF RIGHT WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
07/31/92.

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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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WATERRIGHT;NUMBER;400;W-170306-00

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OWNER: MYQUIST RANCH  
PO BOX 286  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: NATURAL OVERFLOW

- \* SOURCE: CHERRY CREEK, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS NATURAL OVERFLOW METHOD OF IRRIGATION.
- \* VOLUME: THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 35.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

- \* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----		----- MEANS -----	
01	SWNE 02 29N 40E VALLEY	NATURAL OVERFLOW	
02	E2NW 02 29N 40E VALLEY	NATURAL OVERFLOW	

- \* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES -----		----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----	
001	15.00	SWNE	02 29N 40E VALLEY
002	20.00	E2NW	02 29N 40E VALLEY
TOTAL	35.00		

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WATERRIGHTNUMBER:400-W-178387-00

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OWNERS: MYQUIST RANCH  
PO BOX 286  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: NATURAL OVERFLOW

\* SOURCE: CHERRY CREEK, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS NATURAL  
OVERFLOW METHOD OF IRRIGATION.

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 312.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01			SWSW	14	29N	40E	VALLEY		NATURAL OVERFLOW
02			S2	15	29N	40E	VALLEY		NATURAL OVERFLOW
03			SENE	20	29N	40E	VALLEY		NATURAL OVERFLOW
04			N2SE	20	29N	40E	VALLEY		NATURAL OVERFLOW
05			N2	21	29N	40E	VALLEY		NATURAL OVERFLOW

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	55.00				S2	14	29N	40E	VALLEY
002	80.00				S2	15	29N	40E	VALLEY
003	40.00				SENE	20	29N	40E	VALLEY
004	40.00				N2SE	20	29N	40E	VALLEY
005	97.00				N2	21	29N	40E	VALLEY
TOTAL	312.00								

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-1-17837-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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X THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS X  
X EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN X  
X UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. X  
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X THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT WERE X  
X FILED BY DIFFERENT PARTIES WHO CLAIM OVERLAPPING X  
X PLACES OF USE. W179387-00, W179401-00. X  
X X X X  
X USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NOS. 279-134 AND 279-136, DATED X  
X 05-07/80, APPEAR TO INDICATE 251.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. X  
X A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. X  
X X X X  
X THIS CLAIMED PURPOSE IS QUESTIONED AS A BENEFICIAL X  
X USE OF WATER EXISTING PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1973. X  
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P. O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-178388-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: MYQUIST RANCH  
PO BOX 286  
GLASSBORO MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: NATURAL OUERFLOW

- \* SOURCE: MARK COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS NATURAL OUERFLOW METHOD OF IRRIGATION.
- \* VOLUME: THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 27.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	----- LOT BLK AIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----	MEANS
01	NWN 21 29N 40E VALLEY	NATURAL OUEFLOW

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK AIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----	
001	13.00	E2NENE 20 29N 40E VALLEY
002	14.00	NWN 21 29N 40E VALLEY
TOTAL	27.00	

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 \* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS :  
 \* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN :  
 \* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. :  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* IT APPEARS THIS WATER RIGHT MAY NOT HAVE BEEN \*  
\* PERFECTED. THERE APPEARS TO BE NO APPROPRIATION OF \*  
\* WATER. ALL ELEMENTS OF THIS CLAIM ARE QUESTIONABLE. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400 W-178389-00

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OWNERS: NYQUIST RANCH  
PO BOX 206  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: CHERRY CREEK, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER  
\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1935  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO FEBRUARY 29

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 SESESE 34 30N 40E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 DNSTREAM SESESE 34 30N 40E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

001 SESESE 34 30N 40E VALLEY

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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 400-W-178390-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: NYQUIST RANCH  
PO BOX 286  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF HAWK COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1959  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS INSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 W2NWNE 33 30N 40E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 ONSTREAM W2NWNE 33 30N 40E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 40.0 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 13.5 FT SURFACE AREA: 10.00 ACRES

THE MAXIMUM STORAGE CAPACITY HAS BEEN ESTIMATED THE  
DNRC.

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

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N2NE 33 30N 40E VALLEY

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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-M-178391-00

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OWNER: MYQUIST RANCH  
PO BOX 286  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF CHERRY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1930  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO FEBRUARY 29

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SWNWSE 06 31N 40E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SWNWSE 06 31N 40E VALLEY

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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WATER<sub>2</sub>RIGHT<sub>2</sub>NUMBER<sub>2</sub>400<sub>2</sub>-W-178392-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: NYQUIST RANCH  
PO BOX 286  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CHERRY CREEK, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1960  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO FEBRUARY 29

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS

01 NWSWNW 10 29N 40E VALLEY DAN

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 DNSTREAM NWSWNW 10 29N 40E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 NWSWNW 10 29N 40E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-W-178993-00

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OWNERS: MYQUIST RANCH  
PO BOX 286  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF HAWK COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1912  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* ELW 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 CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO FEBRUARY 29

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SENENE 20 29N 40E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
001 SENENE 20 29N 40E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-178393-00 (CONTINUED)

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OWNER: MYQUIST RANCH  
PO BOX 286  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: CHERRY CREEK, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* 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 CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO FEBRUARY 29

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01						5W	14	29N 40E VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02						52	15	29N 40E VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
03						E2	20	29N 40E VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
04						N2	21	29N 40E VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001						5W	14	29N 40E VALLEY	
002						52	15	29N 40E VALLEY	
003						E2	20	29N 40E VALLEY	
004						N2	21	29N 40E VALLEY	

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WATERRIGHTNUMBER:400g-W-178995-00

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OWNERS: SHIPP LYLE G  
MC 271 BOX 1525  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1935  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 20.00 GPM (.04 CFS)

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO FEBRUARY 29

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 (GOUT) 4 SWSWSW 31 28N 40E URALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

001 (GOUT) 4 SWSWSW 31 28N 40E URALLEY

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 06/16/92.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400g-W-178396-00

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PO BOX 286  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CHERRY CREEK, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1960  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DOWNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

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PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO FEBRUARY 29

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LOT BLK QIR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 (GOVT) 1 MEMENE 02 29N 40E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

QIR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 ONSTREAM MEMENE 02 29N 40E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 21.6 AC-EI DAM HEIGHT: EI SURFACE AREA: 4.50 ACRES

THE DAM IS LOCATED IN GOVT LOT 1 SEC 02 AND EXTENDS  
INTO GOVT LOT 4 SW/4 SEC 01 TWP 29N RGE 40E VALLEY  
COUNTY.

THE MAXIMUM STORAGE CAPACITY HAS BEEN ESTIMATED THE  
DNRC.

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RESERVOIR CONTINUED:

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001	(GOVT)	4		W2N	W4E	01	29N	40E	VALLEY
002	(GOVT)	1		E2E	E2E	02	29N	40E	VALLEY

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OWNER: NYQUIST PETE  
PO BOX 286 HT 59230  
GLASGOW

PURPOSE USE: DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1905  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM ( .03 CFS)

VOLUME: 1.00 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO FEBRUARY 29

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 NWNESE 20 29N 40E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NWNESE 20 29N 40E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4002-W-170399-00

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OWNERS: NYQUIST ANNA  
PO BOX 286  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: CHERRY CREEK, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

THIS WATER RIGHT ALSO INCLUDES GROUNDWATER FROM DEVELOPED SPRINGS IN THE SW SEC 15 TWP 29N RGE 40E VALLEY COUNTY.

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

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.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO FEBRUARY 29

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SW 15 29N 40E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SW 15 29N 40E VALLEY

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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  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-178399-00 (CONTINUED)

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 BASINS OR SUBBASINS 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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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-178400-00

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OWNERS: NYQUIST ANNA  
PO BOX 206 HT 59230  
GLASGOW

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF CHERRY CREEK, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO FEBRUARY 29

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01		NW	NE	SE	20	29N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001			NW	NE	SE	20	29N	40E	VALLEY

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-178401-00

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OWNERS: NYQUIST ANNA  
PO BOX 206 MT 59230  
GLASGOW

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: NATURAL OUFLOW

\* SOURCE: CHERRY CREEK, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1899  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS NATURAL  
OUFLOW METHOD OF IRRIGATION.

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 70.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS		
01						SENE	20	29N	40E	VALLEY	NATURAL OUFLOW
02						N2SE	20	29N	40E	VALLEY	NATURAL OUFLOW

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001	30.00					SENE	20	29N	40E	VALLEY
002	40.00					N2SE	20	29N	40E	VALLEY
TOTAL	70.00									

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400z-W-178401-00z (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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: THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS :  
: EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN :  
: UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. :  
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: THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT WERE :  
: FILED BY DIFFERENT PARTIES WHO CLAIM OVERLAPPING :  
: PLACES OF USE. W178387-00, W178401-00. :  
: :  
: IT APPEARS THIS WATER RIGHT MAY NOT HAVE BEEN :  
: PERFECTED. THERE APPEARS TO BE NO APPROPRIATION OF :  
: WATER. ALL ELEMENTS OF THIS CLAIM ARE QUESTIONABLE. :  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-178402-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: NYQUIST ANNA  
PO BOX 206  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: NATURAL OVERFLOW

\* SOURCE: CHERRY CREEK, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS NATURAL  
OVERFLOW METHOD OF IRRIGATION.

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 50.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SW 15 29N 40E VALLEY NATURAL OVERFLOW

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 ----- 50.00 SW 15 29N 40E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- 50.00

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

1 THIS CLAIMED PURPOSE IS QUESTIONED AS A BENEFICIAL 1  
2 USE OF WATER EXISTING PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1973. 2  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-W-178403-00

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OWNERS: WINDERL Gwendolyn L  
MC 271 BOX 2169 MT 59230  
GLASGOW  
WINDERL ROBERT J  
MC 271 BOX 2169 MT 59230  
GLASGOW

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: NATURAL OVERFLOW

- \* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF UNGER COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS NATURAL OVERFLOW METHOD OF IRRIGATION.
- \* VOLUME: THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

DRAINAGE ACRES: 46.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

- \* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LDI\_BLS\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_IWP\_BGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 E2 32 31N 30E VALLEY NATURAL OVERFLOW

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

---ACRES----- LDI\_BLS\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_IWP\_BGE\_COUNTY -----

001 ----- 46.00 E2 32 31N 30E VALLEY  
TOTAL 46.00

REMARKS:

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BASIN #00  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-178404-00

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OWNERS: WINDERL GWENDOLYN L  
HC 271 BOX 2169  
GLASGOW MT 59230  
WINDERL ROBERT J  
HC 271 BOX 2169  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF UNGER COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1950  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- ELOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.
- \* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO FEBRUARY 29

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC IWP. BGE. COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 SWNESE 32 31N 30E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- DIB. SEC. SEC. IWP. BGE. COUNTY -----

01 DNSTREAM SWNESE 32 31N 30E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: ----- 18,0 AC. ----- DAM HEIGHT: 10 FEET SURFACE AREA: 4.50 ACRES

THE CAPACITY, DAM HEIGHT, AND SURFACE AREA HAVE BEEN ESTIATED BY THE DNRC.

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RESERVOIR CONTINUED:

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				W2E5E	32	31N	36E	WALLEY
002				W2W5E	32	31N	36E	WALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/31/83.

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\* THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-178405-00

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OWNERS:	WINDERL MC 271 BOX 2169 GLASGOW	GWENDOLYN L MT	59230
	WINDERL MC 271 BOX 2169 GLASGOW	ROBERT J MT	59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF UNGER COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1950  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

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.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO FEBRUARY 29

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS

01 NENESW 29 31N 38E VALLEY DIVERSION DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 OFFSTREAM SESESW 32 31N 38E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 71.0 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 8.5 FT SURFACE AREA: ACRES

THE DAM EXTENDS INTO THE SWSWE SEC 32 TWP 31N RGE 38E VALLEY COUNTY.

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-178405-002 (CONTINUED)

RESERVOIR CONTINUED:

SEE THE MONTANA RESOURCES BOARD DAM INVENTORY  
WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR  
DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001					S4NWSE	32	31N	38E	VALLEY
002					N2SWSE	32	31N	38E	VALLEY
003					S4EWSW	32	31N	38E	VALLEY
004					E2SESW	32	31N	38E	VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE  
ASSOCIATED. THEY SHARE THE SAME RESERVOIR. W022939-00,  
W178405-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/31/83.

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* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN  *
* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED.                          *
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* NO QUANTIFIED FLOW RATE WAS CLAIMED.                             *
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-178406-00

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OWNERS: WINDLER GWENDOLYN L  
HC 271 BOX 2169  
GLASGOW MT 59230  
WINDLER ROBERT J  
HC 271 BOX 2169  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1950  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO FEBRUARY 29

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

\_\_\_\_\_ LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MEANS \_\_\_\_\_  
01 NWSEW 05 30N 38E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

\_\_\_\_\_ QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_  
01 ONSTREAM NWSEW 05 30N 38E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

\_\_\_\_\_ ACRES \_\_\_\_\_ LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_  
001 NWSEW 05 30N 38E VALLEY

REMARKS:

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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-U-178406-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED C3/31/83.

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BASIN 400  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-178407-00

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OWNERS: ALDEN LENDRE H  
HC 67 BOX 119  
LARSLAN MT 59244

BALES BARBARA F  
PO BOX 19  
LARSLAN MT 59244

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: PORCUPINE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 22, 1916  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

- \* 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 CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	(GOUT)	2		SWSNW	30	33N	41E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02	(GOUT)	4		W2SWW	30	33N	41E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001		(GOUT)	2		SWSNW	30	33N	41E	VALLEY
002		(GOUT)	4		W2SWW	30	33N	41E	VALLEY

REMARKS:

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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4001-W-178407-002 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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X EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN X  
X UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. X  
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X IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED X  
X WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS X  
X DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. X  
X X X  
X THIS CLAIM MAY BE PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT X  
X ACCORDING TO ARTICLE III.B.3. OF THE FORT X  
X PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE MAY BE X  
X REQUIRED BEFORE THIS CLAIM CAN BE DECREED. X  
X X X  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER V-178408-00

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OWNER:	NELSON TAMPICO RT GLASGOW	DONALD MT	B 59230
	NELSON, JR PO BOX 254 GLASGOW	FLOYD MT	C 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF CHAPMAN COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1917  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 30.00 GPM ( .07 CFS)

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 (GDUV) 2 SWW 19 30N 39E VALLEY DEVELOPED SPRING

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 (GDUV) 2 SWW 19 30N 39E VALLEY

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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  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-178408-001 (CONTINUED)

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-178409-00

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OWNER: RICE THOMAS R  
PO BOX 89  
GLASGOW MT 59230  
RICE LUCILE P  
PO BOX 89  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): AGRICULTURAL SPRAYING

THIS WATER RIGHT IS INCIDENTALLY USED FOR FIRE PROTECTION.

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: NOVEMBER 06, 1957  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 30.00 GPM ( .07 CFS)

VOLUME: 2.00 AF

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
01 (GOUT) 6 SWSE 14 29N 38E ULLLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR AGRICULTURAL SPRAYING

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
001 (GOUT) 6 SWSE 14 29N 38E ULLLEY

REMARKS:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THE RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-178409-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO  
ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER  
IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.  
W130778-00, W130779-00, W178409-00.

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: THIS CLAIM SPECIFIES RECREATION AS AN ADDITIONAL USE. :  
: THERE IS A QUESTION AS TO THE VALIDITY OF RECREATION :  
: CLAIMS IN THE MATTER OF DEARBORN DRAINAGE AREA, 294 :  
: MONT. 343 (1988) (THE BEAR LAKE CASE) THE MONTANA :  
: SUPREME COURT STATED: "IT IS CLEAR THEREFORE THAT :  
: UNDER MONTANA LAW BEFORE 1973, NO APPROPRIATION RIGHT :  
: WAS RECOGNIZED FOR RECREATION, FISH AND WILDLIFE, :  
: EXCEPT THROUGH A MURPHY RIGHT STATUTE." :  
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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4002-W-178410-00

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OWNERS: BOUCHER RANCH INC  
PO BOX 232  
MINDS DALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

SOURCE: HARDCRABBLE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 11, 1959  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

VOLUME: 32.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 110.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO JUNE 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT 1 BLK 918 SEC 36 TWP 36E COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 W2SWNE 08 29N 36E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- 918 SEC 36 TWP 36E COUNTY -----

01 DNSTREAM W2SWNE 08 29N 36E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: ----- 52.0 AC-EI DAM HEIGHT: ----- EI SURFACE AREA: ----- ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT 1 BLK 913 SEC 36 TWP 36E COUNTY -----

001 20.00 SENE 08 29N 36E VALLEY  
002 40.00 SW 08 29N 36E VALLEY

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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-178410-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

003	35.00	NESE	08	29N	36E	VALLEY
004	15.00	NEWSE	08	29N	36E	VALLEY
TOTAL	110.00					

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OWNERS: BOUCHER RANCH INC  
PO BOX 232  
MINSOALE MT 59241

\* PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOB COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1962  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

VOLUME: 48.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 32.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 (GOVT) 4 N2NWN 04 29N 36E VALLEY DIVERSION DAM

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
001 20.00 (GOVT) 3 NENW 04 29N 36E VALLEY  
002 12.00 (GOVT) 4 NWNW 04 29N 36E VALLEY  
TOTAL 32.00

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

X		X
X	USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 279-124, DATED 05/07/80,	X
X	APPEARS TO INDICATE 19.40 ACRES IRRIGATED.	X
X	A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE.	X
X		X
X	AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. MC-5W-145, DATED 07/11/59,	X
X	APPEARS TO INDICATE 18.50 ACRES IRRIGATED. A	X
X	DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE.	X
X		X
X	VOLUME MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION	X
X	OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE.	X
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OWNERS: BOUCHER RANCH INC  
PO BOX 232  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

SOURCE: HARDCRABBLE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

POINT OF DIVERSION NO. 2 IS ON UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF  
HARDCRABBLE CREEK.

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1953  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

VOLUME: 307.50 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 205.00

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QIR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY BEANS -----

01	W2SWNE 08 29N 36E VALLEY	DAM
02	N2NWSW 09 29N 36E VALLEY	DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QIR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01	ONSTREAM	W2SWNE 08 29N 36E VALLEY	DAM HEIGHT: 15.51	SURFACE AREA: 8.00 ACRES
02	ONSTREAM	N2NWSW 09 29N 36E VALLEY		



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OWNER: BOUCHER RANCH INC  
PO BOX 232  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MDTT COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1950  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 (CGUT) 2 NE 04 29N 36E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 DNSTREAM NE 04 29N 36E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE EDB STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 (CGUT) 2 NE 04 29N 36E VALLEY

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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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HINSDALE MT 59241

**PURPOSE (USE):** STOCK

\* **SOURCE:** ANTELOPE CREEK, NORTH FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

**PRIORITY DATE:** APRIL 16, 1914  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* **FLOW RATE:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* **VOLUME:** THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

**PERIOD OF USE:** APRIL 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* **POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:**

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 (GOUT) 6 NW 06 29N 36E VALLEY DAM

**RESERVOIR:**

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM NW 06 29N 36E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 102.0 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 20 FT SURFACE AREA: 15.00 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* **PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:**

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 (GOUT) 6 NW 06 29N 36E VALLEY

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PO BOX 232  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MOTT COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 31, 1959  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY USED  
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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 (GOUT) 7 NE 05 29N 36E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM NE 05 29N 36E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 33.6 ACRES DAM HEIGHT: 15 FEET SURFACE AREA: 7.00 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 (GOUT) 7 NE 05 29N 36E VALLEY  
002 (GOUT) 6 NW 05 29N 36E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400 W-178416-00

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PO BOX 232  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF HARDCRABBLE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 20, 1958  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

ELOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

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----- LOT BLK QIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----

01 N2NWSW 09 29N 36E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 DNSTREAM N2NWSW 09 29N 36E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 S2SWNW 09 29N 36E VALLEY  
002 N2NWSW 09 29N 36E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE ASSOCIATED. THEY SHARE THE SAME RESERVOIR LOCATED IN SECTION 9. W178412-00, W178416-00.

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OWNERS: HUGGLI CAROLYN E  
PO BOX 441  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MAY CDALEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 09

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		N2N2NW	13	29N	37E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02		N2NE	14	29N	37E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
03		N2ENW	14	29N	37E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001			N2N2NW	13	29N	37E	VALLEY		
002			N2NE	14	29N	37E	VALLEY		
003			N2ENW	14	29N	37E	VALLEY		

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\* THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS,  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-178418-00

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OWNERS: HANSEN WILLIAM R  
FORT PECK RT  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1939  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

VOLUME: 1.50 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 1.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 9 2 SWNE 13 28N 39E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

ACRES LOT BLK QIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 1.00 9 2 SWNE 13 28N 39E VALLEY  
TOTAL 1.00

REMARKS:

SUBD: EAST GLASGOW ORIGINAL TOWNSITE

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/03/84.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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\* CLAIM FORM SIGNED BY OTHER THAN CLAIMANT. \*  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

SUBD: EAST GLASGOW ORIGINAL TOWNSITE

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
12/14/89: MAXIMUM ACRES, TYPE OF RIGHT.

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OWNERS: CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS  
800 4TH AVE N  
GLASGOW MT 59230

\* PURPOSE (USE): INSTITUTIONAL

CHURCH

THIS WATER RIGHT IS INCIDENTALLY USED FOR FIRE PROTECTION.

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: OCTOBER 01, 1954  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

VOLUME: 3.00 AF

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

LDI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 8 3 NESNW 12 28N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR INSTITUTIONAL:

ACRES LDI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001	6	3	NESNW	12	28N	39E	VALLEY
002	7	3	NESNW	12	28N	39E	VALLEY
003	8	3	NESNW	12	28N	39E	VALLEY
004	9	3	NESNW	12	28N	39E	VALLEY

REMARKS:

SUBD: BELL FIRST ADDITION

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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OWNER: JENSEN FRANK  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 23, 1908  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 5,200.00 GPM

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 61.70

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----

01 SENESW 33 31N 36E VALLEY PUMP

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001	9.25 (GOUT)	3	NW	33	31N	36E	VALLEY
002	16.85 (GOUT)	5	SW	33	31N	36E	VALLEY
003	17.50 (GOUT)	6	SW	33	31N	36E	VALLEY
004	13.10 (GOUT)	11	SW	33	31N	36E	VALLEY
005	5.00		NWSEW	33	31N	36E	VALLEY
TOTAL	61.70						

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE MAXIMUM ACRES WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
11/25/85.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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\* THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE APPEARS TO EXCEED THE PUMP \*  
\* CAPACITY. AVAILABLE DATA SUPPORT A FLOW RATE OF 84.20 \*  
\* GPM. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE IS 84.20 GPM/AC. IT APPEARS A \*  
\* VOLUME QUANTIFICATION MAY BE REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY \*  
\* ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT. \*  
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**OWNERS:** DESERT COULEE RANCH  
PO BOX 488  
GLASGOW MT 59230

**PURPOSE (USE):** STOCK

**SOURCE:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DESERT COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

**PRIORITY DATE:** DECEMBER 31, 1920  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

**FLOW RATE:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS DOWSTREAM RESERVOIR.

**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.

**PERIOD OF USE:** JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

**POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:**

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 NENEVE 21 24N 36E VALLEY DAM

**RESERVOIR:**

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 DOWSTREAM NENEVE 21 24N 36E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 11.6 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 10 FT SURFACE AREA: 2.90 ACRES

THE MAXIMUM STORAGE CAPACITY HAS BEEN ESTIMATED THE DNRC.

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

**PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:**

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

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NENE 21 24N 36E VALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/29/93.

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OWNERS: DESERT COULEE RANCH  
PO BOX 488  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: DESERT COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1954  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

VOLUME: 120.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 80.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 W2SESW 10 24N 36E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 ONSTREAM W2SESW 10 24N 36E VALLEY

RESERVOIR/LAKE NAME: DESERT RESERVOIR  
CAPACITY: 369.8 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 27 FT SURFACE AREA: 38.00 ACRES

THE DAM EXTENDS INTO THE N2SWSW SEC 10 TWP 24N RGE 36E  
VALLEY COUNTY.



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**OWNERS:** DESERT COULEE RANCH  
PO BOX 488  
GLASGOW MT 59230

**PURPOSE (USE):** IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

\* **SOURCE:** DESERT COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* **PRIORITY DATE:** DECEMBER 31, 1959  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

**FLOW RATE:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

**VOLUME:** 141.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

**MAXIMUM ACRES:** 94.00

**PERIOD OF USE:** JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* **POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:**

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01			SWMSE	12	24N	36E	VALLEY	DIVERSION DAM
02			NESWSE	12	24N	36E	VALLEY	DIVERSION DAM
03			SENWNW	07	24N	37E	VALLEY	DIVERSION DAM

\* **PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:**

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	1	00			SESESE	01	24N	36E VALLEY
002	28	00			NEWE	12	24N	36E VALLEY
003	29	00			SENE	12	24N	36E VALLEY
004	4	00			ESWNE	12	24N	36E VALLEY
005	4	00			NWSESE	12	24N	36E VALLEY
006	12	00			SESW	06	24N	37E VALLEY
007	4	00	(GOUT)	1	NW	07	24N	37E VALLEY
008	12	00			NENW	07	24N	37E VALLEY
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>00</b>						

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/29/93.

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: DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. :  
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**OWNERS:** SCHNEIDER EVELYN F  
TAMPICO RT  
GLASGOW MT 59230

**PURPOSE (USE):** AGRICULTURAL SPRAYING

THIS WATER RIGHT IS INCIDENTALY USED FOR FIRE PROTECTION.

**SOURCE:** WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* **PRIORITY DATE:** NOVEMBER 26, 1957  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

**FLOW RATE:** 6.00 GPM

**VOLUME:** 2.00 AF

**PERIOD OF USE:** JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* **POINT OF DIVERSION:**

\_\_\_\_\_ LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_  
01 SWSSEW 29 30N 38E VALLEY

**PLACE OF USE FOR AGRICULTURAL SPRAYING**

\_\_\_\_\_ ACRES \_\_\_\_\_ LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_

001 SW 29 30N 38E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

W178425-00, W178428-00, W178434-00.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DMRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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\* THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE IS QUESTIONABLE. THE \*  
\* PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED DOCUMENTATION IS \*  
\* 11/26/57. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-179426-00

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**OWNERS:** SCHNEIDER EVELYN F  
TAMFID RT  
GLASGOW MT 59230

**PURPOSE (USE):** DOMESTIC

**SOURCE:** WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

**PRIORITY DATE:** DECEMBER 31, 1900  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

**FLOW RATE:** 6.00 GPM

**VOLUME:** 2.00 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

**MAXIMUM ACRES:** 1.00

**PERIOD OF USE:** JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

**POINT OF DIVERSION:**

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 NWNWSE 06 29N 40E UALLEY

**PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:**

--- ACRES --- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 -----1.00 NWNWSE 06 29N 40E UALLEY  
TOTAL 1.00

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-178427-00

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OWNERS: SCHNEIDER EVELYN F  
TAMPICO RT  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JULY 04, 1944  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 6.00 GPM

VOLUME: 2.00 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 1.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 SESWSW 29 30N 38E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 ----- 1.00 SESWSW 29 30N 38E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- 1.00

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

W178427-00, W178437-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4001-W-178428-00

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OWNERS: SCHNEIDER EVELYN F  
TAMPCO RT GLASSGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: NOVEMBER 26, 1957  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 6.00 GPM

VOLUME: 2.00 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 1.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 SWSEW 29 30N 38E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 1.00 SWSEW 29 30N 38E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- 1.00

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400 W-178428-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

W178425-00, W178428-00, W178434-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400 W-178429-00

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OWNERS: SCHNEIDER EVELYN F  
TRAPICO RT  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MARCH 31, 1944  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: 170.00 GPM (.38 CFS)

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.

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 10.00

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 28 TO SEPTEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 S5E5E 30 30N 38E VALLEY PUMP

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 10.00 (GQUT) 11 SESESE 30 30N 38E VALLEY  
TOTAL 10.00

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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 OF THE CLAIMANT'S TOTAL 312.50 ACRES. 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.  
W178429-00, W178430-00, W178431-00, W178432-00.

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x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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OWNERS: SCHNEIDER EVELYN F  
TAMPCO RT  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: NATURAL OVERFLOW

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 09, 1945  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS NATURAL  
OVERFLOW METHOD OF IRRIGATION.

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 312.50

PERIOD OF USE: FEBRUARY 20 TO MAY 19

- \* POINT OF DIVERSION AND METHOD OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- BEARS  
01 (GOUT) 11 SESE 30 30N 30E VALLEY NATURAL OVERFLOW

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 80.00 S2SW 29 30N 38E VALLEY  
002 32.50 SESE 30 30N 38E VALLEY  
003 80.00 WENE 32 30N 38E VALLEY  
004 80.00 NENW 32 30N 38E VALLEY  
005 40.00 NUSE 32 30N 38E VALLEY  
TOTAL 312.50

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4003-W-178430-003 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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 OF THE CLAIMANT'S TOTAL 312.50 ACRES. 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.  
W178429-00, W178430-00, W178431-00, W178432-00.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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\* IT APPEARS THIS WATER RIGHT MAY NOT HAVE BEEN \*  
\* PERFECTED. THERE APPEARS TO BE NO APPROPRIATION OF \*  
\* WATER. ALL ELEMENTS OF THIS CLAIM ARE QUESTIONABLE. \*  
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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 BASINS OR SUBBASINS 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 EXAMINATION RESULTS 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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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4003-W-170431-00

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 DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE EXAMINATION PROCESS. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR THE WATER RIGHT CLAIM EXAMINATION RULES AS ADOPTED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT.

OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." UNLESS OBJECTED TO OR CALLED IN ON MOTION OF THE MONTANA WATER COURT IN THIS DECREE, THE ELEMENTS OF THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT WILL APPEAR IN THE FINAL DECREE AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT. (SEE SECTION 85-2-233, MONTANA CODE ANNOTATED.)

OWNERS: SCHNEIDER EVELYN F  
TAMPICO RT  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE USE: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: NATURAL OVERFLOW

SOURCE: BUGGY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 09, 1945  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS NATURAL OVERFLOW METHOD OF IRRIGATION.

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 280.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				S25W	29	30N	38E	VALLEY	NATURAL OVERFLOW
02				W262NW	32	30N	38E	VALLEY	NATURAL OVERFLOW

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	80.00				S25W	29	30N	38E	VALLEY
002	80.00				W26E	32	30N	38E	VALLEY
003	80.00				N26W	32	30N	38E	VALLEY
004	40.00				NWSE	32	30N	38E	VALLEY
TOTAL	280.00								

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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 OF THE CLAIMANT'S TOTAL 312.50 ACRES. 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.  
W178429-00, W178430-00, W178431-00, W178432-00.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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\* IT APPEARS THIS WATER RIGHT MAY NOT HAVE BEEN \*  
\* PERFECTED. THERE APPEARS TO BE NO APPROPRIATION OF \*  
\* WATER. ALL ELEMENTS OF THIS CLAIM ARE QUESTIONABLE. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-178432-00

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 DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE EXAMINATION PROCESS. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR THE WATER RIGHT CLAIM EXAMINATION RULES AS ADOPTED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT.

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OWNERS: SCHNEIDER EVELYN F  
TAMPICO RT  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MARCH 31, 1949  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: 263.50 GPM (.59 CFS)

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.

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 15.50

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 28 TO SEPTEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NESESE 30 30N 38E VALLEY PUMP

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 15.50 (GOUT) 11 E2ESE 30 30N 38E VALLEY  
TOTAL 15.50

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS. x  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-V-170433-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: SCHNEIDER EVELYN F  
TANPIDO RT MT 59230  
GLASGOW

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: NATURAL OUERFLOW

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF FOSS COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 07, 1943  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS NATURAL  
OUERFLOW METHOD OF IRRIGATION.

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 160.00

PERIOD OF USE: FEBRUARY 15 TO MAY 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS		
01						W2E	06	29N	40E	VALLEY	NATURAL OUERFLOW

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY		
001	80.00						W2E	06	29N	40E	VALLEY
002	40.00						N5W	06	29N	40E	VALLEY
003	40.00						S5W	06	29N	40E	VALLEY
TOTAL	160.00										

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-178433-002 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE ONRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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\* USRA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 279-134, DATED 05/07/80, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 40.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
\* A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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\* IT APPEARS THIS WATER RIGHT MAY NOT HAVE BEEN \*  
\* PERFECTED. THERE APPEARS TO BE NO APPROPRIATION OF \*  
\* WATER. ALL ELEMENTS OF THIS CLAIM ARE QUESTIONABLE. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400 W-179434-00

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 DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE EXAMINATION PROCESS. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR THE WATER RIGHT CLAIM EXAMINATION RULES AS ADOPTED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT.

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OWNERS: SCHNEIDER EVELYN F  
TAMPCO RT  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: NOVEMBER 26, 1957  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 6.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT 01K Q18 SEC 29 T2P R06E COUNTY -----

01 SWS5W 29 30N 38E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT 01K Q18 SEC 29 T2P R06E COUNTY -----

001 SWS5W 29 30N 38E VALLEY

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 DECREASES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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WATER;RIGHT;NUMBER;400;M-178434-00;(CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

W178425-00, W178426-00, W178434-00.

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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 400-W-178435-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: SCHMEIDER EVELYN F  
TANICOD RT  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BUGGY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 09, 1945  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				S25W	29	30N	38E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02				N2NENW	32	30N	38E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
03				N4NW	32	30N	38E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001					S25W	29	30N	38E	VALLEY
002					N2NENW	32	30N	38E	VALLEY
003					N4NW	32	30N	38E	VALLEY

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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  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 40014-178435-00 (CONTINUED)

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-176436-00

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OWNERS: SCHNEIDER EVELYN F  
TAMPICO RT  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 09, 1945  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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 CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 (G00T) 11 SE 30 30N 38E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 (G00T) 11 SE 30 30N 38E VALLEY

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4003-W-178437-00

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OWNERS: SCHNEIDER EVELYN F  
TAMPCIO RT  
GLASGOW MT 59200

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JULY 04, 1944  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 6.00 GPM

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 SES4SW 20 30N 36E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SES4SW 29 30N 36E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

W178427-00, W178437-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-178438-00

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OWNERS: FAY MICHAEL J  
514 WHATLEY RD MT 59248  
NASHUA  
FAY SAMAR  
514 WHATLEY RD MT 59248  
NASHUA

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1940  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM C .03 CFS)

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 (G0UT) 4 SENENW 32 26N 41E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 (G0UT) 4 SENENW 32 26N 41E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-178438-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO  
ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER  
IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.  
W178438-00, W178439-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 06/24/92.

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OWNER: FAY MICHAEL J  
514 WHATLEY RD  
NASHUA MT 59248

FAY SAMAR  
514 WHATLEY RD  
NASHUA MT 59248

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1940  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM ( .03 CFS)

VOLUME: 1.50 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: .50

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 (GOUT) 4 SENENW 32 28N 41E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 .50 (GOUT) 4 SENENW 32 28N 41E VALLEY  
TOTAL .50

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-178439-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER  
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W178438-00, W178439-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-178440-00

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OWNERS: LYNCH NORMA J  
PO BOX 531  
GLASGOW MT 59230  
LYNCH CHARLES W  
PO BOX 531  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: CHERRY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 10, 1945  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 1.00 CFS

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOI BLK Q18 SEC SEC 1WP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SEMESW 02 28N 39E VALLEY PUMP

MEANS OF DIVERSION ALSO INCLUDES STOCK DRINKING  
DIRECT FROM THE SOURCE.

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

001 088ES LOI BLK Q18 SEC SEC 1WP RGE COUNTY  
SEMESW 02 28N 39E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-178440-003 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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: THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS :  
: EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN :  
: UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. :  
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: THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE EXCEEDS THE 35 GPM GUIDELINE :  
: FOR THIS PURPOSE AND CANNOT BE CONFIRMED DUE TO A :  
: LACK OF DATA. :  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400g-W-178441-00

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PO BOX 531  
GLASGOW MT 59230  
  
LYNCH CHARLES W  
PO BOX 531  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

SOURCE: CHERRY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 16, 1901  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* ELOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

VOLUME: 160.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 80.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01				S2N2SE1W	02	28N	39E	VALLEY	DIKE
02				S2S2SE1W	02	28N	39E	VALLEY	DIKE
03				N2N2NESW	02	28N	39E	VALLEY	DIKE
04				W2NESW	02	28N	39E	VALLEY	DIKE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001	40.00				SE1NW	02	28N	39E	VALLEY
002	40.00				NESW	02	28N	39E	VALLEY
TOTAL	80.00								

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-178441-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 04/08/92: TYPE OF IRRIGATION, POINT OF DIVERSION,  
PLACE OF USE, ACRES IRRIGATED, VOLUME.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-V-178442-00

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OWNERS: LYNCH CHARLES W  
PO BOX 531  
GLASGOW MT 59230  
LYNCH NORMA J  
PO BOX 531  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: FEBRUARY 08, 1952  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM ( .03 CFS)

VOLUME: 24.33 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 1.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QIR SEC SEC IMP BGE COUNTY -----

01 (GOUT) 2 SWNWNE 02 28N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QIR SEC SEC IMP BGE COUNTY -----

001 ----- 1.00 (GOUT) 2 SWNWNE 02 28N 39E VALLEY  
TOTAL 1.00

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE CLAIMED VOLUME EXCEEDS THE 3.00 ACRE-FEET  
GUIDELINE FOR THIS PURPOSE. ITS ACCURACY CANNOT BE  
CONFIRMED DUE TO LACK OF DATA.  
THE CLAIMED VOLUME EXCEEDS MAXIMUM FEASIBLE VOLUME.  
BASED ON THE FLOW RATE AND PERIOD OF USE, THE MAXIMUM  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400 W-170443-00

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OWNERS: BECK ALYCE N  
606 7TH AVE N  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- 1 SOURCE: SPRING, TRIBUTORY OF PORCUPINE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- 1 PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1910  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- 1 FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM.
- 1 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.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 13 TO NOVEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 NESENE 35 34N 40E ULLLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 NESENE 35 34N 40E ULLLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/26/86.

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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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OWNERS: BECK ALYCE M  
606 7TH AVE N  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF BOG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1910  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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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PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO NOVEMBER 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 (G0UT) 4 NENWNW 06 33N 41E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 (G0UT) 4 NENWNW 06 33N 41E VALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/26/86.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400x-W-178445-00

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OWNERS: BECK ALYCE N  
606 7TH AVE N  
GLASGOW MT 59290

PURPOSE USE: STOCK

THIS WATER RIGHT IS INCIDENTALY USED FOR WILDLIFE.

- \* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF PORCUPINE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1966  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.
- \* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 N25EW 32 34N 40E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 ONSTREAM N25EW 32 34N 40E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 12,230-CI DAM HEIGHT: EI SURFACE AREA: 3.06 ACRES  
THE MAXIMUM STORAGE CAPACITY HAS BEEN ESTIMATED THE  
DNRC.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 SWNE 32 E 34N 19 VALLEY



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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-178505-00

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<b>OWNERS:</b>	GARSJO	AGNES	C
	NASHUA	MT	59248
	GARSJO	HARTUIK	P
	NASHUA	MT	59248

**PURPOSE (USE):** STOCK

\* **SOURCE:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MILK RIVER COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

THIS WATER RIGHT ALSO INCLUDES GROUNDWATER FROM A DEVELOPED SPRING IN THE SWNW SEC 05 TWP 28N RGE 43E VALLEY COUNTY.

\* **PRIORITY DATE:** DECEMBER 31, 1947  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

**FLOW RATE:** NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* **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.

**PERIOD OF USE:** JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

**POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:**

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 SWNW 05 28N 43E VALLEY PIT

**RESERVOIR:**

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 DNSTREAM SWNW 05 28N 43E VALLEY

**PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:**

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 SWNW 05 28N 43E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

REMARKS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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x THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS x  
x EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN x  
x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
x x x x x x x  
x IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED x  
x WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS x  
x DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. x  
x x x x x x x  
x THIS CLAIM MAY BE PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT x  
x ACCORDING TO ARTICLE III.B.3. OF THE FORT x  
x PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE MAY BE x  
x REQUIRED BEFORE THIS CLAIM CAN BE DECREED. x  
x x x x x x x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4001-V-179483-00

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OWNER: ZEMLSKA FAMILY TRUST  
215 ZEMLSKA RD  
RICHLAND MT 59260

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SNOW COULEE, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1964  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

VOLUME: 48.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 32.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 S25WNW 02 34N 42E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM S25WNW 02 34N 42E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 36.0 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 14.1 SURFACE AREA: 9.00 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 16.00 N5W 02 34N 42E VALLEY  
002 16.00 S5W 02 34N 42E VALLEY

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

TOTAL 32.00

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/23/90.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/07/91.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-182716-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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**OWNERS:** JOHNSON RANCH INC  
PO BOX 65  
HINSDALE MT 59241

**PURPOSE (USE):** IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

**SOURCE:** MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

**PRIORITY DATE:** APRIL 23, 1908  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

**FLOW RATE:** 3,000.00 GPM

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

**MAXIMUM ACRES:** 32.00

**PERIOD OF USE:** MARCH 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* **POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:**

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01	(GOUT)	6		SE	SW	33	30N	36E	VALLEY	PUMP
02	(GOUT)	15		NE	SE	32	31N	36E	VALLEY	PUMP

\* **PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:**

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	17.00 (GOUT)	5		E	SW	32	31N	36E	VALLEY
002	9.00 (GOUT)	15		E	SE	32	31N	36E	VALLEY
003	2.00 (GOUT)	4		S	SW	33	31N	36E	VALLEY
004	4.00 (GOUT)	12		W	SW	33	31N	36E	VALLEY
TOTAL	32.00								

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE RENEDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 11/07/85: MAXIMUM ACRES, PLACE OF USE.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* POINT OF DIVERSION NO. 1 IS ON AN OXBOW OFF THE MAIN \*  
\* MILK RIVER CHANNEL. WATER FROM THE MILK RIVER BACKS \*  
\* UP INTO THE OXBOW DURING PERIODS OF HIGH FLOW. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE VALLEY COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1968) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE IS QUESTIONABLE. THE \*  
\* PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION \*  
\* IS MAY 23, 1908. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE IS 93.75 GPM/AC. IT APPEARS A \*  
\* VOLUME QUANTIFICATION MAY BE REQUIRED TO ADEQUATELY \*  
\* ADMINISTER THIS RIGHT. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
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P. O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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WATER\_RIGHT\_NUMBER: 400-W-182917-00

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OWNERS: KNAPP, WALT INC  
RT 1 BOX 961  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ESPEIL COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS SCHOOL SECTION COULEE

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1968  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO NOVEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_ QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_IWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 SWSWE 04 28N 41E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_IWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM SWSWE 04 28N 41E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 29.0 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 15 FT SURFACE AREA: 5.00 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE EDB STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_ QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_IWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

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W25W 04 ~~MBN19~~ VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4003-W-182917-003 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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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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OWNERS: KNAFF, WALT INC  
RT 1 BOX 961  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ESPEIL COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS SCHOOL SECTION COULEE

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1946  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO NOVEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 S2NWNE 09 28N 41E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 ONSTREAM S2NWNE 09 28N 41E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 7.2 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 15 FT SURFACE AREA: 1.50 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 S2NWNE 09 28N 41E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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RT 1 BOX 961  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF PORCUPINE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED  
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THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO NOVEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY BEANS  
01 SWSWSW 33 29N 41E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 ONSTREAM SWSWSW 33 29N 41E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 14.4 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 18 FT SURFACE AREA: 2.00 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

PLACE OF USE EDB STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 SWSWSW 32 29N 41E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-102919-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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z THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, z  
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OWNER: KNAFF, WALT INC  
RT 1 BOX 961  
GLASGOW

MT 59230

PURPOSE USE: STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF PORCUPINE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

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PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO NOVEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SWSSE 32 29N 41E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 ONSTREAM SWSSE 32 29N 41E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 17.6 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 25 FT SURFACE AREA: 2.00 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 SWSSE 32 29N 41E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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**OWNERS:**

FOUST PO BOX 851 GLASGOW	JOSEPHINE L  NT	L  59230
FOUST PO BOX 851 GLASGOW	LORAN  NT	M  59230

**PURPOSE (USE):** STOCK

**SOURCE:** CHERRY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

THIS WATER RIGHT ALSO INCLUDES GROUNDWATER FROM SPRINGS IN THE CHERRY CREEK CHANNEL.

- \* **PRIORITY DATE:** DECEMBER 31, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* **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.

**PERIOD OF USE:** OCTOBER 01 TO MAY 04

**POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:**

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
O1		SENE	11	29N	39E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
O2		E2SE	11	29N	39E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
O3		SWSE	11	29N	39E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
O4		NWSNW	12	29N	39E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**PLACE OF USE FOR STOCKS:**

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
O01					SENE	11	29N	39E	VALLEY
O02					E2SE	11	29N	39E	VALLEY

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

003	SWSE	11	29N	39E	VALLEY
004	NWSWNW	12	29N	39E	VALLEY

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OWNERS: FOUST JOSEPHINE L  
PO BOX 851 MT 59230  
GLASGOW  
FOUST LORAN M  
PO BOX 851 MT 59230  
GLASGOW

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1955  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: 6.00 GPM

VOLUME: 1.00 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY  
01 NWSNW 12 29N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

ACRES LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY  
001 NWSNW 12 29N 39E VALLEY

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PO BOX 851 MT 59230  
GLASGOW  
FOUST LORAN M  
PO BOX 851 MT 59230  
GLASGOW

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

SOURCE: CHERRY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1964  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

\* VOLUME: 74.00 AF

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

THE VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN REDUCED TO THE  
2.0 ACRE-FEET PER ACRE GUIDELINE FOR WATER SPREADING.  
THE VOLUME MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

MAXIMUM ACRES: 37.00

\* PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC 1/4 RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 MENESE 11 29N 39E VALLEY HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC 1/4 RGE COUNTY -----  
001 3.00 SESENE 11 29N 39E VALLEY  
002 10.00 E2E2SE 11 29N 39E VALLEY  
003 10.00 W2SESE 11 29N 39E VALLEY  
004 14.00 E2SW\* 11 29N 39E VALLEY

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

TOTAL 37.00

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OWNER: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: LONG COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM.

\* QUOTE: 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS  
01 SE 32 31M 37E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SE 32 31M 37E VALLEY

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OWNERS: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1960  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 8.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: DECEMBER 01 TO APRIL 04

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 NENWNW 28 30N 38E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NENWNW 28 30N 38E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400 W-182926-00

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OWNERS: CORMWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BEAR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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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PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SENW 07 31N 38E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 SENW 07 31N 38E VALLEY

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OWNERS:	FELDT FORT PECK RT GLASGOW	AURORA	A	
		MT	59230	
	FELDT FORT PECK RT GLASGOW	HAROLD	A	
		MT	59230	

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 30, 1950  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 20.00 GPM ( .04 CFS)

VOLUME: 1.50 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: .60

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 3 3 NENWE 13 28N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 ----- .60 NENWE 13 28N 39E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- .60

THE PLACE OF USE INCLUDES LOTS 1, 2, 3, 4, AND 5,  
BLOCK 3 OF EAST GLASGOW ORIGINAL TOWNSITE.

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

SUBD: EAST GLASGOW ORIGINAL TOWNSITE

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-182928-00

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OWNERS:	BRITZMAN N HC GLASGOW	WILMER MT	J 59230
	BRITZMAN PO BOX 52 GLASGOW	RICHARD MT	G 59230

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 01, 1945  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

VOLUME: 1.50 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 NWSEW 24 28N 39E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 NWSEW 24 28N 39E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 09/28/90: POINT OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE  
MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THE RIGHT  
FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO  
ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER  
IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.  
W166216-00, W182928-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/08/91.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4005-W-182929-00

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OWNERS: SEE CORBIN F  
PO BOX 248  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 28, 1908  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 1,000.00 GPM

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 31.00

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01	(GOUT)	1	W2N	WSW	34	31N	36E	VALLEY	PUMP

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	31.00	(GOUT)	1	SWW	34	31N	36E	VALLEY
TOTAL	31.00							

REMARKS:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE ASSOCIATED. THEY SHARE THE SAME POINT OF DIVERSION. W152270-00, W182929-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-182929-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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\* THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE IS 32.26 GPM PER ACRE. THE \*  
\* CLAIMED FLOW RATE CANNOT BE SUBSTANTIATED. \*  
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\* A FIELD INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED ON 08/07/91 FOUND \*  
\* INFORMATION DIFFERENT FROM THAT CLAIMED FOR MAXIMUM \*  
\* ACRES AND PLACE OF USE. SEE CLAIM FILE FOR ADDITIONAL \*  
\* INFORMATION. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-182930-00

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OWNERS: SOUTHERN HILLS  
PO BOX 445  
MINDSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF ASH COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUND WATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1950  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SWNE 17 30N 36E VALLEY DEVELOPED SPRING

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SWNE 17 30N 36E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
11/02/89.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/13/94.

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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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MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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WATERRIGHT#NUMBER#400#-W-182930-00#(CONTINUED)

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-182931-00

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OWNERS: POWELL SYLVIA M  
PO BOX 405  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1896  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: DECEMBER 01 TO MARCH 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	(GOUT)	6		S2NENW	28	28N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02	(GOUT)	8		NW	28	28N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	(GOUT)	6		S2NENW	28	28N	40E	VALLEY
002	(GOUT)	8		NW	28	28N	40E	VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
05/30/90.

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BASIN 400  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400 W-182932-00

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OWNERS:	BAILEY	BETTY	J
	PO BOX 743		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230
	BAILEY, JR	RAMSON	M
	PO BOX 743		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CHERRY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

THIS WATER RIGHT ALSO INCLUDES GROUNDWATER FROM A DEVELOPED SPRING IN THE SWSENE SEC 34 TWP 29N RGE 39E VALLEY COUNTY.

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1920  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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 SERVED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 SWSENE 34 29N 39E VALLEY DAN

RESERVOIR:

----- TWP, SEC, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM SWSENE 34 29N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

ACRES	LVT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				SWSENE	34	29N	39E	VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-102933-00

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OWNERS: KAISER EDWARD  
PO BOX 584  
GLASGOW MT 59230  
MUGGLI FRANCIS  
PO BOX 584  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CHERRY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 22, 1953  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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 SERVED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: SEPTEMBER 01 TO DECEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK Q18 SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----

01 SESNW 27 29N 39E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- Q18 SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM SESNW 27 29N 39E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 9.6 AC-FI DAM HEIGHT: 18 FT SURFACE AREA: 1.60 ACRES

THE MAXIMUM STORAGE CAPACITY HAS BEEN ESTIMATED THE  
DNRC.

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001			SES	WNW	27	29N	39E	VALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/12/86.

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WATER<sub>2</sub>RIGHT<sub>2</sub>NUMBER<sub>2</sub>400<sub>2</sub>-W-182934-00

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OWNERS: BAILEY BETTY J  
PO BOX 743  
GLASGOW MT 59230  
BAILEY, JR MANSON M  
PO BOX 743  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF CHERRY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS KINCAID SPRING

PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 24, 1919  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 2.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SWSENE 34 29N 39E VALLEY DEVELOPED SPRING

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SWSENE 34 29N 39E VALLEY

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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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MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-M-182935-00

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<b>OWNERS:</b>	BAILEY PO BOX 743 GLASGOW	BETTY J MT 59230
	BAILEY, JR PO BOX 743 GLASGOW	MANSON N MT 59230

**PURPOSE (USE):** IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

MOBILE HOME PARK

**SOURCE:** MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* **PRIORITY DATE:** DECEMBER 11, 1933  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

**FLOW RATE:** 1,800.00 GPM

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

**MAXIMUM ACRES:** 80.36

**PERIOD OF USE:** APRIL 01 TO NOVEMBER 19

\* **POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:**

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01	(GOUT)	4				NW	13 28N	39E	VALLEY	PUMP

**PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:**

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001	18.13	(GOUT)	4				E2NW	13 28N	39E	VALLEY
002	50.40						W2NW	13 28N	39E	VALLEY
003	1.19	(GOUT)	10				NWSW	13 28N	39E	VALLEY
004	10.64						N2NWSW	13 28N	39E	VALLEY
TOTAL	80.36									

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

REMARKS:

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
01/04/91.

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 01/17/91: MAXIMUM ACRES, PLACE OF USE.

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x THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS x  
x EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN x  
x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
x x  
x x  
x x  
x THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE IS 22.99 GPM PER ACRE. THE x  
x CLAIMED FLOW RATE CANNOT BE SUBSTANTIATED. x  
x x  
x x  
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OWNERS: PIPPIN MARK L  
TURNING WHEEL TRAILER COURT  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): COMMERCIAL

MOBILE HOME PARK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1958  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME: 30.00 AF

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 4 NW/4SE 12 28N 39E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR COMMERCIAL:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

001 4 NW/4SE 12 28N 39E VALLEY

REMARKS:

SUBD: SCHOTT-PIPPIN ADDITION

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1 EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

X		X
X	NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN CLAIMED.	X
X		X
X	THE CLAIMED VOLUME CANNOT BE CONFIRMED DUE TO A LACK	X
X	OF DATA.	X
X		X
X		X

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OWNERS: USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR FISH & WILDLIFE SERV)  
DENVER FEDERAL CENTER  
PO BOX 25486  
DENVER CO 80225

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JULY 31, 1953  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: .39 AF

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY DEANS -----  
01 MENEME 33 26N 39E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM MENEME 33 26N 39E VALLEY

RESERVOIR/LAKE NAME: DUCK CREEK RETENTION RESERVOIR  
CAPACITY: 15.0 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 9.5 FT SURFACE AREA: 6.74 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

THE DAM HEIGHT AND SURFACE AREA HAVE BEEN ESTIMATED  
BY DNRC.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NE 33 26N 39E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W183159-00, W214209-00.

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X THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, X  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 002-W-183161-00

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OWNERS: JCSA DEPT OF INTERIOR FISH & WILDLIFE SERV)  
DENVER FEDERAL CENTER  
PO BOX 25486  
DENVER CO 80225

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 10, 1953  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: .39 AF

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_RTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 SESWSW 21 26N 39E VALLEY PIT

RESERVOIR:

----- LOT\_BLK\_RTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM SESWSW 21 26N 39E VALLEY

THE PIT IS LOCATED WITHIN THE WILLOW FLAT DETENTION  
RESERVOIR.

\* PLACE OF USE EDB SIDCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_RTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

001 SESWSW 21 26N 39E VALLEY

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W183161-00, W214210-00.

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x THE DMRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-184681-00

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\* OWNERS: ANDERSEN WILLIAM R  
973 POINT OF ROCKS RD  
WHITENALL MT 59759

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1914  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 80.00 GPM ( .18 CFS)

VOLUME: 3.00 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 2 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 153.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	(GOUT)	9	NW	07	30N	37E	VALLEY	PUMP

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ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	(GOUT)	7			07	30N	37E	VALLEY
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE WATER RIGHT, RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO  
ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER  
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W184681-00, W184682-00.

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\* \* \* \* \*

THIS CLAIM APPEARS TO DUPLICATE CLAIM NO. W040930-00  
FILED BY THE GLASGOW IRRIGATION DISTRICT.

THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE EXCEEDS THE 35 GPM GUIDELINE FOR  
THIS PURPOSE AND CANNOT BE CONFIRMED DUE TO LACK OF  
DATA.

CLAIM FORM NOT NOTARIZED.

THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE AND ACRES IRRIGATED COULD  
NOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM DATA SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED VOLUME WAS NOT EXAMINED. THE CLAIMED  
NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS AND ACRES OF DOMESTIC IRRIGATION  
COULD NOT BE IDENTIFIED.

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\* OWNERS: ANDERSEN WILLIAM R  
973 POINT OF ROCKS RD  
WHITENALL MT 59759

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1914  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 1,500.00 GPM

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 153.25

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	(GOVT)	9	NW	07	30N	37E	VALLEY	PUMP

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	38.00	(GOVT)	7	NWNE	07	30N	37E	VALLEY
002	45.25	(GOVT)	6	SENE	07	30N	37E	VALLEY
003	40.00			SWNE	07	30N	37E	VALLEY
004	30.00	(GOVT)	9	SENE	07	30N	37E	VALLEY
TOTAL	153.25							

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W184681-00, W184682-00.

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X THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS X  
X EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN X  
X UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. X  
X X  
X X  
X X  
X THIS CLAIM APPEARS TO DUPLICATE CLAIM NO. W040929-00 X  
X FILED BY THE GLASGOW IRRIGATION DISTRICT. X  
X X  
X FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON X  
X RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. X  
X X  
X THE VALLEY COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1957) X  
X APPEARS TO INDICATE 38.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. X  
X A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. X  
X X  
X USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 279-204, DATED 05/07/80, X  
X APPEARS TO INDICATE 39.40 ACRES IRRIGATED. X  
X A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. X  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-184683-00

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\* OWNERS: ANDERSEN WILLIAM R  
973 POINT OF ROCKS RD  
WHITEHALL MT 59759

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1914  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 500.00 GPM

\* VOLUME: THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE  
AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES:

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SWNE 07 30N 37E VALLEY DIKE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 07 30N 37E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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.  
W184683-00, W184684-00.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE CLAIMED MEANS OF DIVERISON CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED \*  
\* FROM AVAILABLE DATA. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE CANNOT BE CONFIRMED DUE TO LACK \*  
\* OF DATA. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* CLAIM FORM NOT NOTARIZED. \*  
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\* NO PLACE OF USE OR ACRES IRRIGATED HAVE BEEN \*  
\* CLAIMED. \*  
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\* CLAIMED PLACE OF USE AND ACRES IRRIGATED COULD NOT BE \*  
\* IDENTIFIED FROM DATA SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM. \*  
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OWNERS: ANDERSEN WILLIAM R  
973 POINT OF ROCKS RD  
WHITEHALL MT 59759

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1914  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* 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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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

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LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01	(G00T)	9		NW	07	30N	37E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	(G00T)	9		NW	07	30N	37E	VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W184683-00, W184684-00.

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\* OWNERS: ANDERSEN WILLIAM R  
973 POINT OF ROCKS RD MT 59759  
WHITEHALL

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1914  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* ELOW\_BBLE: 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

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	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
O1	(GGUT)	6		NE	07	30N	37E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
O2	(GGUT)	9		NW	07	30N	37E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
O3	(GGUT)	7		N2	07	30N	37E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
O01	(GGUT)	6		NE	07	30N	37E	VALLEY
O02	(GGUT)	9		NW	07	30N	37E	VALLEY
O03	(GGUT)	7		N2	07	30N	37E	VALLEY

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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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OWNERS: BROCKSMITH LAND & LIVESTOCK INC  
PO BOX 408  
GLASSBORO MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 06, 1908  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: RESERVED

FLOW RATE: 50.00 GPM (.11 CFS)

VOLUME: 8.50 AF

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SWNEW 27 28N 42E VALLEY FLOWING

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 SWNEW 27 28N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-U-194687-00

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OWNERS: BROCKSMITH CHARLES H  
PO BOX 408  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: ON DEAD LAMB COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 06, 1908  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: RESERVED

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

VOLUME: 1.68 AF

PERIOD OF USE: SEPTEMBER 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINTS OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01			E252SW	25	29N	41E	VALLEY	FLOWING
02			W42NW	36	29N	41E	VALLEY	FLOWING

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001					25	28N	41E	VALLEY
002					36	29N	41E	VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400; W-194688-00

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**OWNERS:** CORNELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

**PURPOSE (USE):** STOCK

**SOURCE:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

- \* **PRIORITY DATE:** DECEMBER 31, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* **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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**PERIOD OF USE:** APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 04

**POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:**

-----	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	-----	MEANS
01				SWNE	34	32N	38E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02				NW	34	32N	38E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:**

-----	ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	-----
001				SWNE	34	32N	38E	VALLEY	
002				NW	34	32N	38E	VALLEY	

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 \* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER W-184688-00 (CONTINUED)

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 BASINS OR SUBBASINS 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 EXAMINATION RESULTS 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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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4001-W-104689-00

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 DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE EXAMINATION PROCESS. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR THE WATER RIGHT CLAIM EXAMINATION RULES AS ADOPTED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT.

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OWNERS: CORMWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF UNGER COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 22, 1892  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 W2SW 33 32N 38E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 W2SW 33 32N 38E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
01/25/91.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4001-V-194689-001 (CONTINUED)

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4001-W-184690-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* 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 CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				SWSWSE	27	32N	38E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02				E2SW	27	32N	38E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				SWSWSE	27	32N	38E	VALLEY	
002				E2SW	27	32N	38E	VALLEY	

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BASIN 400  
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WATER<sub>2</sub>RIGHT<sub>2</sub>NUMBER<sub>2</sub>400<sub>2</sub>-W-184690-00<sub>2</sub>(CONTINUED)

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 BASINS OR SUBBASINS 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 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 002-W-184691-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: CORNWELL STAN  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WOLF CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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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PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO JULY 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				W2NE	30	32N	39E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02				NENENW	30	32N	39E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001					W2NE	30	32N	39E	VALLEY
002					NENENW	30	32N	39E	VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-184691-002 (CONTINUED)

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 BASINS OR SUBBASINS 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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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-184692-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: CORNELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BUGGY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 30, 1892  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO JULY 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				NE	30	32N	39E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02				NENW	30	32N	39E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001					NE	30	32N	39E	VALLEY
002					NENW	30	32N	39E	VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
09/18/91.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-V-184693-00

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OWNERS: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BUGGY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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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PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 NW 35 31N 38E URALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 NW 35 31N 38E URALLEY

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DWERS: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASSBORO MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BEAR CREEK, BRUSH FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 W2E5E 18 31N 38E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 W2E5E 18 31N 38E VALLEY

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELO WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-V-184695-00

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OWNERS: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WOLF CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 SE 31 32N 39E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----

001 SE 31 32N 39E VALLEY

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-184695-00 (CONTINUED)

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MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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OWNERS: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: NOVEMBER 03, 1969  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 32 00 GPM ( .07 CFS)

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JUNE 15 TO NOVEMBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC IWP BGE COUNTY

01 NESWSW 01 30N 36E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

BGBES LOT BLK QTR SEC IWP BGE COUNTY

001 NESWSW 01 30N 36E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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OWNER: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1938  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 20.00 GPM (.04 CFS)

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 SWSESE 05 29N 38E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

001 SWSESE 05 29N 38E VALLEY

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-18469-00

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OWNER: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1938  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

\* 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 SERVED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: SEPTEMBER 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 SWSESE 05 29N 38E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SWSESE 05 29N 38E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
01/25/91.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4001-W-184698-001 (CONTINUED)

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-184699-00

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**OWNERS:** CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

**PURPOSE (USE):** STOCK

**SOURCE:** CANYON CREEK, WEST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

THE SOURCE INCLUDES AN UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CANYON CREEK, WEST FORK.

**PRIORITY DATE:** DECEMBER 31, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

**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 CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

**PERIOD OF USE:** APRIL 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

**POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:**

----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY ----- BEANS -----

01	W2NE	34	32N	30E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02	N4SE	34	32N	30E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:**

----- ACRES ----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----

001	W2NE	34	32N	30E	VALLEY
002	N4SE	34	32N	30E	VALLEY

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-104700-00

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OWNER: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASSBORO MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNGER COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

- \* PRIORITY DATE: MAY 06, 1907  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED
- \* 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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PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

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LDT BLK		QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				SESW	33	32N	38E VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02				SESW	33	32N	38E VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

- \* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES		LDT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001						SESW	33	32N	38E VALLEY
002						SESW	33	32N	38E VALLEY

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4002-W-104700-002 (CONTINUED)

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-184701-00

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OWNERS: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW AT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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 CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- DEANS -----

01 E2E2 27 32N 30E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE  
02 E2SW5E 27 32N 30E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

001 E2E2 27 32N 30E VALLEY  
002 E2SW5E 27 32N 30E VALLEY

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER W-184701-00 (CONTINUED)

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4003-W-184702-00

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 DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE EXAMINATION PROCESS. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR THE WATER RIGHT CLAIM EXAMINATION RULES AS ADOPTED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT.

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OWNERS: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: ALKALI COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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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PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				E2NE	35	31N	38E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02				E2SWNE	35	31N	38E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
03				W2NESE	35	31N	38E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
04				W2SE	35	31N	38E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001					E2NE	35	31N	38E	VALLEY
002					E2SWNE	35	31N	38E	VALLEY
003					W2NESE	35	31N	38E	VALLEY
004					W2SE	35	31N	38E	VALLEY

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-184702-002 (CONTINUED)

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 BASINS OR SUBBASINS 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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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4003-W-184703-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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**OWNERS:** CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

**PURPOSE (USE):** STOCK

- SOURCE:** BEAR CREEK, BRUSH FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- PRIORITY DATE:** DECEMBER 31, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- 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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**PERIOD OF USE:** MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 04

**POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:**

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				SENE	18	31N	38E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02				E2SE	18	31N	38E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:**

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001					SENE	18	31N	38E	VALLEY
002					E2SE	18	31N	38E	VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-M-184704-00

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**OWNERS:** CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

**PURPOSE (USE):** STOCK

**SOURCE:** WOLF CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

**PRIORITY DATE:** DECEMBER 31, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

**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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**PERIOD OF USE:** MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 04

**POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:**

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS

01 SW 31 32N 39E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:**

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 SW 31 32N 39E VALLEY

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THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS,  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4001-0-184705-00

\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*

OWNERS: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASSBORO

MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK. QTR SEC. SEC. TWP. RGE. COUNTY

01 SENESE 01 30N 36E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN AND  
REPLACED BY WATER RIGHT NO. C089902-00.

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION  
PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 01/25/91.

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\* THE DMRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM MAY NOT HAVE BEEN COMPLETED \*  
\* AS THE CLAIMANT WITHDREW THE CLAIM \*  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

X THE CLAIMED TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. X  
X THE TRIBES AND THE UNITED STATES HAVE NOT IDENTIFIED. X  
X THIS RIGHT AS BEING PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT OR X  
X AS A FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHT. ADDITIONAL X  
X EVIDENCE MAY BE REQUIRED BEFORE THIS CLAIM CAN BE X  
X DECREED. X  
X THIS CLAIMED PURPOSE (USE) CANNOT BE CONFIRMED. X  
X THERE APPEARS TO BE NO APPROPRIATION OF WATER AS THE X  
X METHOD OF DIVERSION IS INSTREAM USE. X  
X THERE IS A QUESTION AS TO THE VALIDITY OF THIS X  
X CLAIMED RIGHT. IN THE MATTER OF THE DEARBORN DRAINAGE X  
X AREA, 234 MONT. 343 (1908) (THE BEAM LAKE CASE) THE X  
X MONTANA SUPREME COURT STATED: "IT IS CLEAR THEREFORE X  
X THAT UNDER MONTANA LAW BEFORE 1973, NO APPROPRIATION X  
X RIGHT WAS RECOGNIZED FOR RECREATION, FISH AND X  
X WILDLIFE, EXCEPT THROUGH A MURPHY RIGHT STATUTE." X  
X X  
X X

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-184707-00

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OWNERS: GLASGOW STOCKYARDS INC  
PO BOX 129  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JULY 28, 1961  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 20.00 GPM (.04 CFS)

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 SESNW 20 28N 40E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SESNW 20 28N 40E VALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/05/93.

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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 400-V-184707-00 (CONTINUED)

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-1-W-184925-00

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OWNERS: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STUCK

SOURCE: BUGGY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 15, 1903  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* ELDW. BSIE: 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.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01				NE	27	31N	38E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02				W2SE	27	31N	38E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCKS:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				NE	27	31N	38E	VALLEY
002				W2SE	27	31N	38E	VALLEY

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4001-V-184926-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BEAR CREEK, BRUSH FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS  
01 (GDOT) ? NWSWSW 06 31N 38E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 DNSTREAM NWSWSW 06 31N 38E VALLEY

\* PLAGE DE USE EDB STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 E2NESE 01 31N 37E VALLEY  
002 NESESE 01 31N 37E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400z-W-184927-00

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OWNERS: MILLER, SR CHARLES J  
HCR 272-3035  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1937  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 12.00 GPM (.03 CFS)

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 (GOUT) 3 S2SENE 22 27N 42E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 (GOUT) 3 S2SENE 22 27N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/05/89.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4005-W-184928-00

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OWNERS: KNIERIM                    GEORGE                    S  
         PO BOX 568  
         GLASGOW                    MT                    59230

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
         SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1909  
                  TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

VOLUME: 5.00 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 2.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QIR SEC SEC IWP BGE COUNTY  
01 (GOUT) 7 SWSWNE 03 28N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QIR SEC SEC IWP BGE COUNTY  
001 ----- 2.00 (GOUT) 7 SWSWNE 03 28N 39E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- 2.00

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

W184928-00, W184929-00.

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: DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. :  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-184929-00

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OWNERS: KNIERIM GEORGE S  
PO BOX 568  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1909  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 (GOUT) 7 SWSWNE 03 28N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES LGT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 (GOUT) 7 SWSWNE 03 28N 39E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

W184928-00, W184929-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-184930-00

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OWNERS: HALVERSON HARLEN I  
10 BONNY LN  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: CHERRY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1910  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01				SWSE	02	28N	39E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02				SESW	02	28N	39E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				SWSE	02	28N	39E	VALLEY
002				SESW	02	28N	39E	VALLEY

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

X CLAIM FORM NOT SIGNED OR NOTARIZED. X  
X X  
X X  
X X  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-184931-00

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**OWNER:** HALVERSON MARLEN I  
10 BONNY LN MT 59230  
GLASGOW

**PURPOSE (USE):** STOCK

**SOURCE:** WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* **PRIORITY DATE:** OCTOBER 04, 1972  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

**FLOW RATE:** 25.00 GPM ( .06 CFS)

\* **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.

**PERIOD OF USE:** JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* **POINT OF DIVERSION:**

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 NWSWE 02 28N 39E VALLEY

\* **PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:**

----- ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 NWSWE 02 28N 39E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

W184931-00, W184932-00.

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x THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS x  
x EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN x  
x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
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x x x  
x CLAIM FORM NOT SIGNED OR NOTARIZED. x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-164932-00

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OWNERS: HALVERSON MARLEN I  
10 BONNY LN  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: OCTOBER 04, 1972  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 25.00 GPM ( .06 CFS)

VOLUME: 12.50 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 2 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 5.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

~~LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY~~

01 NWSWSE 02 28N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

~~ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY~~

001 5.00 NWSWSE 02 28N 39E VALLEY  
TOTAL 5.00

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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X THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS X  
X EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN X  
X UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. X  
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X CLAIM FORM NOT SIGNED OR NOTARIZED. X  
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OWNERS: STRATTON PHYLLIS A  
120 HORSESHOE DR  
PLENTYWOOD MT 59254

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1950  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM ( .03 CFS)

VOLUME: 1.50 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: .25

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 NWSWE 33 29N 39E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 .25 NWSWE 33 29N 39E VALLEY  
TOTAL .25

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/10/95.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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OWNERS: HALLOCK EARL H  
PO BOX 7581  
KALISPELL MT 59903

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1900  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM ( .03 CFS)

VOLUME: 2.00 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: .50

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 SESESE 24 36N 40E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 ----- .50 SESESE 24 36N 40E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- .50

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RIGHT, FLOW RATE, VOLUME, PERIOD OF USE, MAXIMUM  
ACRES, PLACE OF USE.

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W184934-00, W184935-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/10/95.

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OWNERS: HALLOCK EARL H  
PO BOX 7581  
KALISPELL MT 59903

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1900  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM (.03 CFS)

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC IWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 SESESE 24 36N 40E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE EDB SIDCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC IWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 SESESE 24 36N 40E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO  
ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400g-W-184936-00

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OWNERS: ISAKSON DIANNA  
MCR 271-2008  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF PORCUPINE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

THIS WATER RIGHT ALSO INCLUDES GROUNDWATER FROM A DEVELOPED SPRING IN THE SENWNW SEC 35 TWP 36N RGE 40E VALLEY COUNTY.

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1947  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS  
01 SENWNW 35 36N 40E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM SENWNW 35 36N 40E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
001 SENWNW 35 36N 40E VALLEY

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4003-V-184936-003 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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08/21/90: POINT OF DIVERSION, PRIORITY DATE, TYPE OF  
RIGHT, VOLUME, PERIOD OF USE, PLACE OF USE, MEANS OF  
DIVERSION.

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OWNERS: HALLOCK EARL H  
PO BOX 7581  
KALISPELL MT 59903

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF PORCUPINE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1900  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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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PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NESEW 27 36N 40E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NESEW 27 36N 40E VALLEY

REMARKS:

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MEANS OF DIVERSION.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4001-V-184998-00

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OWNERS: HALLOCK EARL H  
PO BOX 7581  
KALISPELL MT 59903

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF SNOW COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1900  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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 CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

~~LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS~~  
01 SESENE 25 36N 40E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

~~ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY~~  
001 SESENE 25 36N 40E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 08/21/90: POINT OF DIVERSION, PRIORITY DATE, TYPE OF RIGHT, FLOW RATE, VOLUME, PERIOD OF USE, PLACE OF USE,

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-184938-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

MEANS OF DIVERSION.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/10/95.

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OWNERS: ISAKSON DIANNA  
MCR 271-2008 MT 59230  
GLASGOW

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF PORCUPINE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 NWSESE 34 36N 40E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 ONSTREAM NWSESE 34 36N 40E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 NWSESE 34 36N 40E VALLEY

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/10/95.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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OWNER: HALLOCK EARL H  
PO BOX 7581  
KALISPELL MT 59903

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 12.00 GPM ( .03 CFS)

VOLUME:

\* PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

~~LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY~~  
O1 1 O2 28N 39E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

~~ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY~~  
O01 1 O2 28N 39E VALLEY

REMARKS:

SUBD: STAHL'S CHERRY CREEK SUBDIVISION

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\* THE POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE LEGAL \*  
\* DESCRIPTIONS COULD NOT BE REFINED TO A 10 ACRE \*  
\* DESCRIPTION FROM INFORMATION IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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REMARKS CONTINUED :

X AS OF 06/01/90, THIS WATER RIGHT APPEARS TO BE OWNED X  
X BY ALVIN K. HALLOCK, 702 HILLSIDE DR, GLASGOW, MT X  
X 59230. X  
X NO PRIORITY DATE WAS CLAIMED. X  
X NO VOLUME HAS BEEN CLAIMED. X  
X X  
X \*\*\*\*\* X

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

X NO VOLUME HAS BEEN CLAIMED. X  
X X  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-184942-00

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DWBERG: HALLOCK BENNIE  
RR 1 BOX 4710  
GLASGOW MT 59230  
  
HALLOCK ALVIN  
702 HILLSIDE DR  
GLASGOW MT 59230

\* PURPOSE (USE): COMMERCIAL

AUTO BODY SHOP AND RECREATION EQUIPMENT STORE

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 12.00 GPM (.03 CFS)

VOLUME:

\* PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 33 29N 39E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR COMMERCIAL:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 33 29N 39E VALLEY

REMARKS:

SUBD: HEKTNERS CHERRY CREEK SUBURBAN, FIRST ADDITION

THE POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE LEGAL LAND  
DESCRIPTION COULD NOT BE REFINED TO A 10 ACRE  
DESCRIPTION FROM INFORMATION IN THE CLAIM FILE.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* NO PRIORITY DATE WAS CLAIMED. \*  
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OWNERS: NOGAM JOHN W  
PO BOX 205  
HINSDALE MT 59241

NOGAM AGNES W  
PO BOX 205  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1959  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 20.00 GPM ( .04 CFS)

VOLUME: 1.90 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: .75

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 (GGUT) 5 NENNW 04 30N 36E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 ----- .75 (GGUT) 5 NENNW 04 30N 36E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- .75

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4003-W-184944-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: ANTELOPE RANCH INC  
RT 1 - 4047  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: ANTELOPE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

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.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO DECEMBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				S2S2	25	29N	37E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02				S2SW5W	27	29N	37E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
03				S2	28	29N	37E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
04				S2SENW	29	29N	37E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
05				S2NW	29	29N	37E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
06				NESE	29	29N	37E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
07				NE5W	29	29N	37E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
08				SENE	30	29N	37E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
09				NE2E	34	29N	37E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
10				N2SWNE	34	29N	37E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
11				N2NW	34	29N	37E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
12				NE	35	29N	37E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
13				N2NW	36	29N	37E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

-----ACKS----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY-----

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

001	S2S2	25	29N	37E	VALLEY
002	S2SWSW	27	29N	37E	VALLEY
003	S2	28	29N	37E	VALLEY
004	S2SEW	29	29N	37E	VALLEY
005	S2NW	29	29N	37E	VALLEY
006	N2SE	29	29N	37E	VALLEY
007	N2SW	29	29N	37E	VALLEY
008	S2NE	30	29N	37E	VALLEY
009	N2NE	34	29N	37E	VALLEY
010	N2SWE	34	29N	37E	VALLEY
011	N2NW	34	29N	37E	VALLEY
012	N2	35	29N	37E	VALLEY
013	N2NW	36	29N	37E	VALLEY

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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: 400g-W-184945-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: ANTELOPE RANCH INC  
RT 1 - 4047  
GLACIOW

MT 59230

\* PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JULY 20, 1908  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: 16.67 CFS

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.

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 440.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- L01 BLK 018 SEC 29 TWP 36E COUNTY ----- MEANS  
01 SWSNW 07 30N 37E VALLEY DIVERSION DAM

THE VANDALIA SOUTH CANAL IS USED TO CONVEY WATER TO THE PLACE OF USE.

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- L01 BLK 018 SEC 29 TWP 36E COUNTY -----

001	00.00	S2SE	22	29N	36E	VALLEY
002	80.00	N2NE	27	29N	36E	VALLEY
003	40.00	NENW	27	29N	36E	VALLEY
004	80.00	S2NW	27	29N	36E	VALLEY
005	80.00	N2NE	27	29N	36E	VALLEY

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

006	40.00	SENE	28	29N	38E	VALLEY
007	40.00	NESE	28	29N	38E	VALLEY
TOTAL	440.00					

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 OF THE CLAIMANT'S TOTAL 440.00 ACRES. 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.  
W166180-00, W184945-00.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THIS CLAIM APPEARS TO DUPLICATE CLAIM NO. W040929-00 \*  
\* FILED BY THE CLASGDW IRRIGATION DISTRICT. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 279-97, DATED 05-07-80, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 375.65 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
\* A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE MAXIMUM COMBINED ACRES FOR THIS GROUP OF \*  
\* SUPPLEMENTAL CLAIMS MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION PENDING \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM IRRIGATED ACRES ISSUE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-184946-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: WANDALIA RANCH INC  
PO BOX 33  
WANDALIA

MT 59273

PURPOSE USE: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1971  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 1,800.00 GPM

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 790.00

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 NWNEW 03 30N 37E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE (OR IRRIGATION):

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001	402.50				03	30N	37E	VALLEY
002	333.20				04	30N	37E	VALLEY
003	10.00			NENE	09	30N	37E	VALLEY
004	44.30			NW2	10	30N	37E	VALLEY
TOTAL	790.00							

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 279-204, DATED 05/07/80, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 689.22 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
\* A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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BASIN 400  
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WATER<sub>1</sub>RIGHT<sub>1</sub>NUMBER<sub>1</sub>400<sub>1</sub>-W-184947-00

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OWNERS: KNAFF, WALT INC  
RT 1 BOX 961  
GLASGOW

MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1925  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM (.03 CFS)

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 NENENW 09 28N 41E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 NENENW 09 28N 41E VALLEY

REMARKS:

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

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

W184947-00, W184948-00.

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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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OWNERS: KNAFF, WALT INC  
RT 1 BOX 961  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1925  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM (.03 CFS)

VOLUME: 6.00 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 2 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 5.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 NENEW 09 28N 41E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 ----- 5.00 NENEW 09 28N 41E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- 5.00

REMARKS:

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

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

W184947-00, W184948-00.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT PRIORITY DATA,  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-184949-00

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OWNERS: NYQUIST RANCH  
PO BOX 286  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1935  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM ( .03 CFS)

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO FEBRUARY 29

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT 1 BLK 019 SEC 09 TWP 08E COUNTY -----

01 SESENW 30 28N 40E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE OR STOCK:

----- JCRS ----- LOT 1 BLK 018 SEC 09 TWP 08E COUNTY -----

001 SESENW 30 28N 40E VALLEY

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED.  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE IS QUESTIONABLE. THE \*  
\* PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED WELL LOG REPORT IS \*  
\* SEPTEMBER 22, 1977. \*  
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OWNERS: SHIPP LYLE G  
HC 271 BOX 1525  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1973  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 60.00 GPM ( .13 CFS)

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO FEBRUARY 29

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK DIR SEC SEC 1/4 P RGE COUNTY -----

01 SWSWSW 31 28N 40E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK DIR SEC SEC 1/4 P RGE COUNTY -----

001 SWSWSW 31 28N 40E VALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 06/16/92.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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\* OWNERS: SHIPP LYLE G  
HC 271 BOX 1525  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 15, 1971  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 5.00 GPM

VOLUME: 1.50 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: .25

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC IMP BGE COUNTY -----  
G1 (GOUT) 2 NWNNE 06 27N 40E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE - EDB - DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC IMP BGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- .25 (GOUT) 2 NWNNE 06 27N 40E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- .25

REMARKS:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE ASSOCIATED. THEY SHARE THE SAME WELL. W166174-00, W184951-00.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
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\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE IS QUESTIONABLE BECAUSE \*  
\* NO DOCUMENTATION AS REQUIRED BY THE 1961 GROUNDWATER \*  
\* CODE WAS SUBMITTED TO SUPPORT THIS CLAIM. THIS CLAIM \*  
\* APPEARS TO BE REDUNDANT WITH WATER RIGHT NO. \*  
\* CDS1828-00. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4001-W-104952-00

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\* OWNERS: SHIPP LYLE G  
HC 271 BOX 1525  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF SPRING CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 11, 1968  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: SEPTEMBER 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NWSWNE 28 32N 39E VALLEY PIT

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM NWSWNE 28 32N 39E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NWSWNE 28 32N 39E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE IS QUESTIONABLE BECAUSE \*  
\* NO DOCUMENTATION AS REQUIRED BY THE 1961 GROUNDWATER \*  
\* CODE WAS SUBMITTED TO SUPPORT THIS CLAIM. THIS CLAIM \*  
\* APPEARS TO BE REDUNDANT WITH WATER RIGHT NO. \*  
\* 0051827-00. \*  
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OWNERS:	HILL	VIOLA	RA
	PO BOX 6		
	NASHUA	MT	59248
	HILL	CALVIN	D
	PO BOX 6		
	NASHUA	MT	59248

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1972  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 NENENW 10 29N 41E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 NENENW 10 29N 41E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS ASSOCIATED WITH WATER RIGHT NO.  
D051823-00. THEY HAVE OVERLAPPING PLACES OF USE.

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THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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x THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS x  
x EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN x  
x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
x x  
x x  
x x  
x x  
x IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED x  
x WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS x  
x DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. x  
x x  
x THIS CLAIM MAY BE PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT x  
x ACCORDING TO ARTICLE III.B.3. OF THE FORT x  
x PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE MAY BE x  
x REQUIRED BEFORE THIS CLAIM CAN BE DECREED. x  
x x  
x \*\*\*\*\*

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4001-V-187220-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: LANGEN LEONARD H  
PO BOX 1110  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1968  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 (GOUT) 13 SWNESW 34 28N 40E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 (GOUT) 13 SWNESW 34 28N 40E VALLEY

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED.  
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WATERRIGHTNUMBER:400g-0-187221-00

\*\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*\*

OWNERS:	BROOKS, JR PO BOX 166 GLASGOW	JOHN	A		
			MT	59230	
	BROOKS PO BOX 166 GLASGOW	RITA	R		
			MT	59230	

PURPOSE [USE]: DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 (GOUT) 15 SESWNW 34 29N 39E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN AND  
REPLACED BY WATER RIGHT NO. CO77138-00.

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION  
PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 01/02/91.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM MAY NOT HAVE BEEN COMPLETED x  
x AS THE CLAIMANT WITHDREW THE CLAIM. x  
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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."  
UNLESS OBJECTED TO OR CALLED IN ON MOTION OF THE MONTANA WATER COURT IN THIS  
DECREE, THE ELEMENTS OF THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT WILL APPEAR IN THE FINAL DECREE  
AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT. (SEE SECTION 85-2-293, MONTANA CODE ANNOTATED.)

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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 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

\* H 02



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WATERRIGHTNUMBER:400-U-187222-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DMRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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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. \*  
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COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DMRC EXAMINATION RESULTS 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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WATER\_RIGHT\_NUMBER: 400-W-187297-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: FOSSUM                      OKVILLE              G  
          PO BOX 1134  
          GLASGOW                      MT              59290

PURPOSE (USE): MINING

GRAVEL WASHING

- \* SOURCE:                      SPRING, TRIB OF SPRING COULEE  
                                    SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER
- \* PRIORITY DATE:              DECEMBER 31, 1958  
                                    TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE:                      2,000.00 GPM

- \* VOLUME:                      THIS RIGHT IS LIMITED TO THE VOLUME OF WATER HISTORICALLY  
                                    USED FOR MINING PURPOSES.

PERIOD OF USE:                      APRIL 01 TO NOVEMBER 30

- \* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK GIS\_SEC SEC TWP\_RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01                                      SE26NW 17 29N 40E VALLEY                      PUMP

WATER IS PUMPED FROM A SMALL MANMADE PIT WITHIN THE GRAVEL PIT.

- \* PLACE OF USE FOR MINING:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK GIS\_SEC SEC TWP\_RGE COUNTY -----  
001                                      W2NE 17 29N 40E VALLEY  
002                                      E2NW 17 29N 40E VALLEY  
003                                      N2NESW 17 29N 40E VALLEY

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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 400-W-187237-00 (CONTINUED)

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 BASINS OR SUBBASINS 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 EXAMINATION RESULTS 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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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400 W-187238-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS:	FOSSUM	ORVILLE	G
	PO BOX 1134		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230
	BLOMER	BERNARD	A
	PO BOX 306		
	FORT PECK	MT	59223

PURPOSE (USE): MINING  
GRAVEL WASHING

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIC OF CHERRY CREEK, EAST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

THIS WATER RIGHT ALSO INCLUDES SURFACE WATER FROM  
CHERRY CREEK, EAST FORK.

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1950  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

ELOW\_BQIE: 2,000.00 GPM

\* VOLUME: THIS RIGHT IS LIMITED TO THE VOLUME OF WATER HISTORICALLY  
USED FOR MINING PURPOSES.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO NOVEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY MEANS

01 NENWSE 19 29N 40E UALLEY PUMP

WATER IS PUMPED FROM A SMALL MANMADE PIT.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR MINING:

ACRES LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY

001 E2NWSE 19 29N 40E UALLEY

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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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\* M-02 \*\*\*\*\*

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-187239-00

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OWNERS: FOSSUM                      ORVILLE      G  
         PO BOX 1134  
         GLASGOW                      MT      59230

PURPOSE (USE): MINING

GRAVEL WASHING

- \* SOURCE: WASTE & SEEPAGE, TRIB OF ONIELL CREEK  
          SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

THIS WATER RIGHT ALSO INCLUDES GROUNDWATER FROM THE DEVELOPED SPRING IN THE W2SENE SEC 29 TWP 29N RGE 39E VALLEY COUNTY.

THE SOURCE IS WATER COLLECTED IN A DRAIN DITCH.

- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1941  
          TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 2,000.00 GPM

- \* VOLUME: THIS RIGHT IS LIMITED TO THE VOLUME OF WATER HISTORICALLY USED FOR MINING PURPOSES.

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO NOVEMBER 30

- \* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY ----- SEAMS

01                      W2SENE 29 29N 39E VALLEY                      DITCH

WATER IS COLLECTED IN A SMALL MANMADE PIT. PUMPS ARE SECONDARY MEANS OF DIVERSION.

- \* PLACE OF USE FOR MINING:

----- ACRES      LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----

001                      SENE 29 29N 39E VALLEY  
002                      NESE 29 29N 39E VALLEY

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/15/91.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-187240-00

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." UNLESS OBJECTED TO OR CALLED IN ON MOTION OF THE MONTANA WATER COURT IN THIS DECREE, THE ELEMENTS OF THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT WILL APPEAR IN THE FINAL DECREE AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT. (SEE SECTION 85-2-233, MONTANA CODE ANNOTATED.)

\* OWNERS: VALLEY, COUNTY OF  
PO BOX 311  
501 COURT SQ  
GLASGOW

MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF PORCUPINE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NWNEW 23 31N 40E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM NWNEW 23 31N 40E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: ----- 22.4 AC - EI DAM HEIGHT: 19 EI SURFACE AREA: ----- 5.60 ACRES

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

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

\* B 03

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				N2SW	23	31N	40E URALLEY

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x THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS x  
x EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN x  
x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
x x x x x x x

THIS CLAIM APPEARS TO DUPLICATE CLAIM NO. W117502-00  
FILED BY THE RETNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT WERE  
FILED BY DIFFERENT PARTIES WHO CLAIM OVERLAPPING  
PLACES OF USE. W117502-00, W187240-00.

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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400g-W-187241-00

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OWNER: VALLEY, COUNTY OF  
PO BOX 311  
501 COURT SQ  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF PORCUPINE CREEK, WEST FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: MAY 31, 1971  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 N4WESW 34 34N 39E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 ONSTREAM N4WESW 34 34N 39E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 11.9 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 15 FT SURFACE AREA: 2.99 ACRES

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 N4WESW 34 34N 39E VALLEY

\* D 03

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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BASIN 400  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE IS IN QUESTION. THE CLAIMED \*  
\* RESERVOIR DOES NOT APPEAR ON AERIAL PHOTO NO. 379-142, \*  
\* DATED 05/22/80. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400X-W-187242-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: BELLON LINDA  
PO BOX 378 MT 59248  
NASHUA  
BELLON JOHN H  
PO BOX 378 MT 59248  
NASHUA

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: FEBRUARY 27, 1905  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: 9.51 CFS

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.

\* VOLUME: THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 251.00

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SWSNW 07 30N 37E VALLEY DIVERSION DAM

THE VANDALIA SOUTH CANAL IS USED TO CONVEY WATER TO THE PLACE OF USE.

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
001 40.00 SE 02 F27N 03E VALLEY

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

002	80.00	W2SW	02	27N	41E	VALLEY
003	46.00	NE	10	27N	41E	VALLEY
004	5.00	NENW	10	27N	41E	VALLEY
005	80.00	N2W	11	27N	41E	VALLEY
TOTAL	251.00					

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/19/92.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/14/94.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THIS CLAIM APPEARS TO DUPLICATE CLAIM NO. W040929-00 \*  
\* FILED BY THE GLASGOW IRRIGATION DISTRICT. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION \*  
\* OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE VALLEY COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1968) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 186.70 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
\* A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 579-18, DATED 07/03/81, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 192.30 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
\* A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400X-W-187243-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: WESTLAND ROBERT  
PD BOX 751 MT 59230  
GLASGOW

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS BIVENS WELL NO. 2

PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 29, 1965  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 50.00 GPM ( .11 CFS)

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 SESESE 15 28N 42E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

001 SESESE 15 28N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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X THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS X  
X EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN X  
X UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. X  
X X X X  
X X X X X  
X THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE EXCEEDS THE 35 GPM GUIDELINE FOR X  
X THIS PURPOSE AND CANNOT BE CONFIRMED DUE TO LACK OF X  
X DATA. X  
X X X X X  
X THE PRIORITY DATE IS IN QUESTION. NO DOCUMENTATION AS X  
X REQUIRED BY THE 1961 GROUNDWATER CODE WAS SUBMITTED X  
X TO SUPPORT THIS CLAIM. X  
X X X X X  
X IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED X  
X WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS X  
X DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. X  
X X X X X  
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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-187244-00

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OWNERS: WESTLAND ROBERT  
PO BOX 751  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS BIVENS WELL NO. 1

PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 29, 1965  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 50.00 GPM (.11 CFS)

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 SESESE 15 28N 42E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 SESESE 15 28N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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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. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE PRIORITY DATE IS IN QUESTION. NO DOCUMENTATION AS \*  
\* REQUIRED BY THE 1961 GROUNDWATER CODE WAS SUBMITTED \*  
\* TO SUPPORT THIS CLAIM. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED \*  
\* WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS \*  
\* DEFINED IN THE 1995 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER U-187245-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: WESTLAND ROBERT  
PO BOX 751  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: SPRINKLER

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 06, 1908  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: RESERVED

FLOW RATE:

\* VOLUME: THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 20.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----

01 E2NENW 13 28N 41E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, SEC, TWP, RGE, COUNTY -----

001 ----- 20.00 E2NENW 13 28N 41E VALLEY  
TOTAL 20.00

REMARKS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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BASIN 400  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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 OF THE CLAIMANT'S TOTAL 20.00 ACRES. 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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X EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN X  
X UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. X  
X X X  
X X X  
X THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED X  
X FROM AVAILABLE DATA. X  
X X X  
X NO QUANTIFIED FLOW RATE HAS BEEN CLAIMED. X  
X X X  
X THE CLAIMED PERIOD OF USE EXCEEDS THE USUAL GROWING X  
X SEASON FOR THIS CLIMATIC AREA WHICH IS APRIL 1 TO X  
X OCTOBER 31. X  
X X X  
X USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 279-52, DATED 05/07/80, X  
X APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. X  
X X X  
X USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. NC-3W-53, DATED 06/12/59, X  
X APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. X  
X X X  
X THE CLAIMED TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. X  
X THE TRIBES AND THE UNITED STATES HAVE NOT IDENTIFIED X  
X THIS RIGHT AS BEING PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT OR X  
X AS A FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHT. ADDITIONAL X  
X EVIDENCE MAY BE REQUIRED BEFORE THIS CLAIM CAN BE X  
X DECREED. X  
X X X  
X IT APPEARS THIS WATER RIGHT MAY NOT HAVE BEEN X  
X PERFECTED. THERE APPEARS TO BE NO APPROPRIATION OF X  
X WATER. ALL ELEMENTS OF THIS CLAIM ARE QUESTIONABLE. X  
X SEE CLAIM FILE FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. X  
X X X  
X THE MAXIMUM COMBINED ACRES FOR THIS GROUP OF X  
X SUPPLEMENTAL CLAIMS MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION PENDING X  
X RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM IRRIGATED ACRES ISSUE. X  
X X X  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITewater CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-U-187246-00

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OWNERS: WESTLAND ROBERT  
PO BOX 751  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: SPRINKLER

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 06, 1908  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: RESERVED

FLOW RATE:

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 1,280.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY

01 25 28N 42E VALLEY  
02 36 28N 42E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY

001 640.00 25 28N 42E VALLEY  
002 690.00 36 28N 42E VALLEY  
TOTAL 1,280.00

REMARKS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-U-187246-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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 OF THE CLAIMANT'S TOTAL 1,280.00 ACRES. 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. U170504-00, U170505-00, U170506-00, U187246-00.

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X THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS X  
X EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN X  
X UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. X  
X X  
X X  
X X  
X THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED X  
X FROM AVAILABLE DATA. X  
X X  
X NO QUANTIFIED FLOW RATE HAS BEEN CLAIMED. X  
X X  
X THE CLAIMED PERIOD OF USE EXCEEDS THE USUAL GROWING X  
X SEASON FOR THIS CLIMATIC AREA WHICH IS APRIL 1 TO X  
X OCTOBER 31. X  
X X  
X USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 279-58, DATED 05/07/80, X  
X APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. X  
X X  
X USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. NC-3W-5, DATED 06/12/59, X  
X APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. X  
X X  
X THE CLAIMED TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. X  
X THE TRIBES AND THE UNITED STATES HAVE NOT IDENTIFIED X  
X THIS RIGHT AS BEING PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT OR X  
X AS A FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHT. ADDITIONAL X  
X EVIDENCE MAY BE REQUIRED BEFORE THIS CLAIM CAN BE X  
X DECREED. X  
X X  
X IT APPEARS THIS WATER RIGHT MAY NOT HAVE BEEN X  
X PERFECTED. THERE APPEARS TO BE NO APPROPRIATION OF X  
X WATER. ALL ELEMENTS OF THIS CLAIM ARE QUESTIONABLE. X  
X SEE CLAIM FILE FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. X  
X X  
X THE MAXIMUM COMBINED ACRES FOR THIS GROUP OF X  
X SUPPLEMENTAL CLAIMS MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION PENDING X  
X RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM IRRIGATED ACRES ISSUE. X  
X X  
X \*\*\*\*\*

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER W-187247-00

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OWNERS: BORDERVIEW RANCH INC  
PO BOX 54  
OPHEIM MT 59250

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1938  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 30.00 GPM ( .07 CFS)

VOLUME: 5.00 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 3.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 SESESE 09 34N 41E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 3.00 SESESE 09 34N 41E VALLEY  
TOTAL 3.00

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BASIN 400  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER:RIGHT:NUMBER:400:W-187247-00:(CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

W187247-00, W187251-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/29/94.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400 W-107240-00

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OWNERS: BORDERVIEW RANCH INC  
PO BOX 54  
OPHEIM MT 59250

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 30.00 GPM ( .07 CFS)

VOLUME: 5.00 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 5.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 NESENE 20 34N 41E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 5.00 SENE 20 34N 41E VALLEY  
TOTAL 5.00

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400 W-187248-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

W187248-00, W187250-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/29/94.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER W-187249-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: BORDERVIEW RANCH INC  
PO BOX 54  
OPHEIM MT 59250

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 30.00 GPM (.07 CFS)

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 NESENE 20 34N 41E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE EOB SIDCK:

ACRES LOI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 NESENE 20 34N 41E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

W187249-00, W211584-00.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400 W-187250-00

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PO BOX 54  
OPHEIM MT 59250

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
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FLOW RATE: 30.00 GPM ( .07 CFS)

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

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----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 NESENE 20 34N 41E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

W187248-00, W187250-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-187251-00

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PO BOX 54  
OPHEIM MT 59250

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SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

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----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 SESESE 09 34N 41E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-187251-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

W187247-00, W187251-00.

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PO BOX 54  
OPHEIM MT 59250

PURPOSE (USE): AGRICULTURAL SPRAYING

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 27, 1969  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW GATE: NO FLOW GATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

VOLUME: 30.00 AF

PERIOD OF USE:

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 SENWME 20 34N 41E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM SENWME 20 34N 41E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 100.0 AC FEI DAM HEIGHT: 25 FT SURFACE AREA: ----- ACRES

PLACE OF USE FOR AGRICULTURAL SPRAYING

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

REMARKS:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE  
ASSOCIATED. THEY SHARE THE SAME RESERVOIR. W170453-00,  
W170455-00, W187252-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-187252-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/29/94.

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X THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS X  
X EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN X  
X UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. X  
X X X  
X X X  
X NO PERIOD OF USE HAS BEEN CLAIMED. THE USUAL AND X  
X REASONABLE PERIOD OF USE IN THIS AREA IS APRIL 1 TO X  
X OCTOBER 31. X  
X X X  
X NO PLACE OF USE HAS BEEN CLAIMED. X  
X X X  
X THE CLAIMED VOLUME EXCEEDS THE VOLUME GUIDELINE FOR X  
X AGRICULTURAL SPRAYING OF 4.00 ACRE-FEET PER YEAR. X  
X X X  
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WATERRIGHTNUMBER: 4002-W-187253-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: DYLOE GRACE M  
\*\*\*DECEASED\*\*\*  
SIOUX FALLS SD 00000

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1946  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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 SERVED BY  
THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 0: TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, SEC. 1/4, RGE, COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NESNW 10 33N 38E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR, SEC, SEC. 1/4, RGE, COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM NESNW 10 33N 38E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE, EDB, STOCKS:

----- ACRES ----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, SEC. 1/4, RGE, COUNTY -----  
001 SENNW 10 33N 38E VALLEY  
002 NESNW 10 33N 38E VALLEY

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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: 405-J-V-187287-00

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

THE POINT OF DIVERSION FOR THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED IN ANOTHER BASIN. THE ABBREVIATED INFORMATION PROVIDED HERE IS TO DESCRIBE THE PLACE OF USE IN THIS BASIN. COMPLETE INFORMATION DESCRIBING THE ENTIRE RIGHT CAN BE FOUND IN THE POINT OF DIVERSION BASIN DECREE.

FOR THE CURRENT STATUS OF THE POINT OF DIVERSION BASIN, CONTACT THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR THE DNRC AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE LOWER MISSOURI RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 405) AND USES IT IN THE LOWER MISSOURI RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 405) AND THE MILK RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 400). ANY OBJECTION TO THIS RIGHT MAY BE FILED DURING THE OBJECTION PERIODS FOR EITHER THE POINT OF DIVERSION OR PLACE OF USE BASIN.

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OWNERS: BROCKSMITH CHARLES H  
PO BOX 408  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MISSOURI RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JULY 28, 1910

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

MAXIMUM ACRES:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT ----- BLK ----- QTR ----- SEC ----- TWP ----- RGE ----- COUNTY -----

001	40.00 (G0UT)	9	N5E	23	27N	42E	VALLEY
002	40.00		S5E	23	27N	42E	VALLEY
003	40.00		S5E	26	27N	42E	VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 405-W-187288-00

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

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FOR THE CURRENT STATUS OF THE POINT OF DIVERSION BASIN, CONTACT THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR THE DNRC AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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OWNERS: BROCKSMITH LAND & LIVESTOCK INC  
PO BOX 408  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MISSOURI RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JULY 28, 1910

ELDWATER:

VOLUME:

MAXIMUM ACRES:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

---ACRES----- LOT\_BLS --- Q18\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE --- COUNTY

001	40.00	SWSW	23	27N	42E	VALLEY
002	40.00	SESW	25	27N	42E	VALLEY
003	40.00	NENE	26	27N	42E	VALLEY
004	40.00	NW	26	27N	42E	VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4051-W-187288-003 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

005	40.00	SWNE	26	27N	42E	VALLEY
006	40.00	SWNW	25	27N	42E	VALLEY
007	40.00	NESW	25	27N	42E	VALLEY
TOTAL	260.00					

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 405-W-187301-00

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

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OWNERS: WESTLAND ROBERT  
PO BOX 751  
GLASGOW MT 59230

USE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: SPRINKLER

SOURCE: SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 06, 1908

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

MAXIMUM ACRES:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND DEBNS OF DIVERSION:

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	320.00			N2	19	27N	43E	VALLEY
002	320.00			N2	18	27N	43E	VALLEY
003	320.00			S2	07	27N	43E	VALLEY
004	160.00			* 07	27N	43E		VALLEY

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WATER<sub>1</sub>RIGHT<sub>1</sub>NUMBER<sub>1</sub>405<sub>1</sub>-W-187301-00<sub>1</sub>(CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

005	160.00	SE	06	27N	43E	VALLEY
006	640.00	SE	14	27N	43E	VALLEY
007	320.00	S2	12	27N	43E	VALLEY
008	320.00	E2	04	27N	43E	VALLEY
009	160.00	SE	13	27N	43E	VALLEY
010	160.00	NE	09	27N	43E	VALLEY
TOTAL	2,860.00					

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-U-187309-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: WESTLAND ROBERT  
PO BOX 751  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: SPRINKLER

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 06, 1908  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: RESERVED

FLOW RATE:

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 35.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 (GOVT) 11 W2NW 33 27N 42E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 35.00 (GOVT) 11 W2NW 33 27N 42E VALLEY  
TOTAL 35.00

REMARKS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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WATER<sub>2</sub>RIGHT<sub>1</sub>NUMBER<sub>4</sub>400<sub>1</sub>-U-187309-00<sub>1</sub>(CONTINUED)

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 40N1-W-188626-00

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

THE POINT OF DIVERSION FOR THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED IN ANOTHER BASIN. THE ABBREVIATED INFORMATION PROVIDED HERE IS TO DESCRIBE THE PLACE OF USE IN THIS BASIN. COMPLETE INFORMATION DESCRIBING THE ENTIRE RIGHT CAN BE FOUND IN THE POINT OF DIVERSION BASIN DECREE.

FOR THE CURRENT STATUS OF THE POINT OF DIVERSION BASIN, CONTACT THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR THE DNRC AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE ROCK CREEK DRAINAGE (BASIN 40N) AND USES IT IN THE MILK RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 400). ANY OBJECTION TO THIS RIGHT MAY BE FILED DURING THE OBJECTION PERIODS FOR EITHER THE POINT OF DIVERSION OR PLACE OF USE BASIN.

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OWNERS: BLACX RANCH INC  
PO BOX 245  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: ROCK CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1991

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

MAXIMUM ACRES:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION BY MEANS OF DIVERSION:

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK SEC. SEC. TWP. RGE. COUNTY

001	40.00			NENW	27	31N	36E	VALLEY
002	5.00			NWNW	27	31N	36E	VALLEY
003	40.00			SWNW	27	31N	36E	VALLEY
004	40.00			SESW	27	31N	36E	VALLEY
005	80.00			N2W	27	31N	36E	VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 40N3-W-188626-002 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

006	160.00	S2S2	28	31N	36E	VALLEY
007	160.00	NE2N2	33	31N	36E	VALLEY
008	40.00	SWNE	33	31N	36E	VALLEY
009	40.00	SENE	33	31N	36E	VALLEY
010	155.00	SE	34	31N	36E	VALLEY
011	100.00	NE	03	30N	36E	VALLEY
012	40.00	NESE	03	30N	36E	VALLEY
TOTAL	900.00					

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OWNERS: COTTON RICHARD A  
807 5TH AVE N  
GLASGOW MT 59230  
COTTON JEAN LEE  
807 5TH AVE N  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1906  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 2.30 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 156.10

PERIOD OF USE: JUNE 01 TO AUGUST 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEMOS -----  
01 (GOVT) B NENSW 25 29N 38E VALLEY PUMP

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 78.00 W2SE 25 29N 38E VALLEY  
002 23.90 (GOVT) B SW 25 29N 38E VALLEY  
003 36.90 N2SW 25 29N 38E VALLEY  
004 17.60 SESW 25 29N 38E VALLEY  
TOTAL 156.10

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE PLACE OF USE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
01/23/91.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/27/91.

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OWNERS: BLACK RANCH INC  
PO BOX 245  
MINDSDALE MT 59243

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1946  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 35.00 GPM (.03 CFS)

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PERIOD OF USE: OCTOBER 01 TO APRIL 30

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC IMP BGE COUNTY -----

01 NENWNE 33 31N 36E URLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC IMP BGE COUNTY -----

001 NENWNE 33 31N 36E URLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-189601-00

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OWNERS: BLACK RANCH INC  
PO BOX 245  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1956  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM ( .03 CFS)

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC TWP RGE COU: T Y

01 (G0U) 2 NENWE 03 30N 36E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE EDB STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 (G0U) 2 NENWE 03 30N 36E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-4-189802-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: BLACK RANCH INC  
PO BOX 245  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1943  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM (.03 CFS)

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 NWNEW 34 31N 36E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 NWNEW 34 31N 36E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

W189802-00, W189803-00.

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OWNERS: BLACK RANCH INC  
PO BOX 245  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1943  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM ( .03 CFS)

VOLUME: 1.50 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: .25

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

PERIOD OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 NWNEW 34 31N 36E VALLEY

PLAGE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- .25 NWNEW 34 31N 36E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- .25

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

W189802-00, W189803-00.

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PO BOX 245  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM (.03 CFS)

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC IWP BGE COUNTY -----

01 NWNSE 34 31N 36E VALLEY

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----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC IWP BGE COUNTY -----

001 NWNSE 34 31N 36E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

W189804-00, W189805-00.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-U-189805-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNER: BLACK RANCH INC  
PO BOX 245  
HINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM (.03 CFS)

VOLUME: 1.50 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: .25

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 NWNWSE 34 31N 36E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE EQB DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- .25 NWNWSE 34 31N 36E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- .25

REMARKS:

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

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

W189804-00, W189805-00.

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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 400-D-189806-00

\*\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*\*

OWNERS: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW

MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 SESWSW 10 30N 38E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN AND  
REPLACED BY WATER RIGHT NO. CD79906-00.

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION  
PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 01/25/91.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM MAY NOT HAVE BEEN COMPLETED x  
x AS THE CLAIMANT WITHDREW THE CLAIM. x  
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P. O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-0-189807-00

\*\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*\*

OWNERS: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 NENWNW 15 30N 38E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN AND  
REPLACED BY WATER RIGHT NO. CO77159-00.

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION  
PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 01/25/91.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM MAY NOT HAVE BEEN COMPLETED x  
x AS THE CLAIMANT WITHDREW THE CLAIM. x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-D-189808-00

\*\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*\*

OWNER: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW

MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 NWNEW 15 30N 38E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN AND  
REPLACED BY WATER RIGHT NO. C077160-00.

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION  
PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 01/25/91.

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x THE DMRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM MAY NOT HAVE BEEN COMPLETED x  
x AS THE CLAIMANT WITHDREW THE CLAIM. x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-0-189809-00

\*\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*\*

OWNERS: CORNWELL RANCH  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASSBORO

MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 SESWSW 01 30N 36E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN AND  
REPLACED BY WATER RIGHT NO. C079905-00.

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION  
PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 01/25/91.

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: THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM MAY NOT HAVE BEEN COMPLETED :  
: AS THE CLAIMANT WITHDREW THE CLAIM. :  
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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-199810-00

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OWNERS: JOHNSRUD RANCH  
PO BOX 579  
FORT BENTON MT 59442

JOHNSRUD JAMES C  
PO BOX 2234  
COLUMBIA FALLS MT 59912

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDW

\* PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 22, 1963  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

ELDW\_R01E: 5.00 GPM

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LQT\_BLK \_\_\_DIR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY-----  
01 (GOUT) 5 SNNWNW 04 30N 36E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LQT\_BLK \_\_\_DIR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY-----  
001 (GOUT) 5 SNNWNW 04 30N 36E VALLEY

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/23/94.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-189810-002 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE PRIORITY DATE IS IN QUESTION. NO DOCUMENTATION AS \*  
\* REQUIRED BY THE 1961 GROUNDWATER CODE WAS SUBMITTED TO \*  
\* SUPPORT THIS CLAIM. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\*\*\*\*\*

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4002-W-189960-00

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OWNERS: FORT PECK INDIAN RESERVATION  
316 N 26TH ST  
BILLINGS MT 59101

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)  
316 N 26TH ST  
BILLINGS MT 59101

ASSINIBOINE & SIOUX TRIBES  
316 N 26TH ST  
BILLINGS MT 59101

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 35.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 3,333.00

PERIOD OF USE:

- \* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LDT\_BLK\_OIB\_SEC\_SEC\_IWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SESESE 14 27N 44E VALLEY PUMP

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LDT\_BLK\_OIB\_SEC\_SEC\_IWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-189960-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DMRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION \*  
\* OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* NO PERIOD OF USE HAS BEEN CLAIMED. THE USUAL AND \*  
\* REASONABLE PERIOD OF USE IN THIS AREA IS APRIL 1 TO \*  
\* OCTOBER 31. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE AND ACRES IRRIGATED COULD NOT \*  
\* BE IDENTIFIED FROM DATA SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* NO PLACE OF USE HAS BEEN CLAIMED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* NO PRIORITY DATE WAS CLAIMED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE VALLEY COUNTY WATER RESOURCE SURVEY (1968) \*  
\* IDENTIFIES THE DATE OF FIRST USE FOR THIS WATER RIGHT \*  
\* AS 1931. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED \*  
\* WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS \*  
\* DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE CLAIMED TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. \*  
\* BASED ON INFORMATION IN THE CLAIM FILE, THIS CLAIM \*  
\* MAY BE PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT ACCORDING TO \*  
\* ARTICLE III.B.1 AND 6. OF THE FORT PECK-MONTANA \*  
\* COMPACT. ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE MAY BE REQUIRED BEFORE \*  
\* THIS CLAIM CAN BE DECREED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*

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BASIN 400  
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WATER\_RIGHT\_NUMBER: 400-W-189962-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: ASSINIBOINE & SIOUX TRIBES  
316 N 26TH ST  
BILLINGS MT 59101

FORT PECK INDIAN RESERVATION  
316 N 26TH ST  
BILLINGS MT 59101

USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)  
316 N 26TH ST  
BILLINGS MT 59101

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: PORCUPINE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 23, 1910  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 155.97 CFS

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.

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 10,000.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC IWP RGE COUNTY DEANS -----

01 05 27N 42E VALLEY HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC IWP RGE COUNTY -----

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-189962-002 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

001

00 27N 42E VALLEY

BEDDERS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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\* OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE POINTS OF DIVERSION APPEAR TO BE INCORRECT. SEE \*  
\* CLAIM FILE FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE VALLEY COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1968) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE VALLEY COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1968) \*  
\* INDICATES THE PLACE OF USE WAS LAST IRRIGATED \*  
\* SOMETIME PRIOR TO 1939. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE AND ACRES IRRIGATED COULD \*  
\* NOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM DATA SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED \*  
\* WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS \*  
\* DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE HISTORICAL TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. \*  
\* BASED ON INFORMATION IN THE CLAIM FILE, THIS CLAIM \*  
\* MAY BE PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT ACCORDING TO \*  
\* ARTICLE XII.B.1 AND 6. OF THE FORT PECK-MONTANA \*  
\* COMPACT. ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE MAY BE REQUIRED BEFORE \*  
\* THIS CLAIM CAN BE DECREED. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-189963-00

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OWNERS: ASSINIBOINE & SIOUX TRIBES  
316 N 26TH ST  
BILLINGS MT 59101  
FORT PECK INDIAN RESERVATION  
316 N 26TH ST  
BILLINGS MT 59101  
USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)  
316 N 26TH ST  
BILLINGS MT 59101

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

\* SOURCE: PORCUPINE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS BIG PORCUPINE CREEK

PRIORITY DATE: NOVEMBER 24, 1916  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: 155.97 CFS

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.

VOLUME: 207,900.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 10,000.00

PERIOD OF USE:

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----

01 SENEWA 24 28N 41E VALLEY HEADGATE  
02 SENEWA 13 28N 40E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

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RESERVOIR CONTINUED:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 ONSTREAM S2NWNE 13 32N 40E VALLEY

RESERVOIR/LAKE NAME: PORCUPINE RESERVOIR

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 00 27N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION \*  
\* OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* NO PERIOD OF USE HAS BEEN CLAIMED. THE USUAL AND \*  
\* REASONABLE PERIOD OF USE IN THIS AREA IS APRIL 1 TO \*  
\* OCTOBER 31. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE AND ACRES IRRIGATED COULD \*  
\* NOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM DATA SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED \*  
\* WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS \*  
\* DEFINED IN THE 1965 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE CLAIMED TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. \*  
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\* MAY BE PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT ACCORDING TO \*  
\* ARTICLE III.B.1 AND 6. OF THE FORT PECK-MONTANA \*  
\* COMPACT. ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE MAY BE REQUIRED BEFORE \*  
\* THIS CLAIM CAN BE DECREED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM CANNOT BE CONFIRMED. IT \*  
\* IS UNCLEAR IF THIS RIGHT SHOULD BE DEFINED BY FLOW \*  
\* RATE OR VOLUME. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* RESERVOIR APPEARS WASHED OUT ON USDA AERIAL \*  
\* PHOTOGRAPH NO. NC-3W-53, DATED 06/12/59. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* VOLUME MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION \*  
\* OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-199284-00

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OWNER: DRUMMOND FAMILY ENTERPRISES  
5177 E BAXTER LN  
BOZEMAN MT 59715

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF HAY COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 11, 1904  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

VOLUME: 3.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 1.50

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

_____ LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY _____	MEANS _____
01 _____ SWNWSE 27 30N 37E VALLEY	DIVERSION DAM

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

\_\_\_\_\_ ACRES \_\_\_\_\_ LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_

001 _____ 1.50	SWNWSE 27 30N 37E VALLEY
TOTAL _____ 1.50	

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 02/26/91: METHOD OF IRRIGATION, VOLUME, MAXIMUM  
ACRES, PLACE OF USE.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-193284-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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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 400g-V-193285-00

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OWNERS: DRUMMOND FAMILY ENTERPRISES  
5177 E BAXTER LN  
BOZEMAN MT 59715

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

SOURCE: BUFFALO COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: MARCH 05, 1902  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

VOLUME: 11.20 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 5.60

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- DEANS -----  
01 SWSNW 28 30N 37E VALLEY DIVERSION DAM

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 5.60 ----- NWNW 28 30N 37E VALLEY  
TOTAL 5.60

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 02/26/91: METHOD OF IRRIGATION, MEANS OF DIVERSION,  
VOLUME, MAXIMUM ACRES.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-193205-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-193286-00

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OWNERS: DRUMMOND FAMILY ENTERPRISES  
5177 E BAXTER LN  
BOZEMAN MT 59715

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

SOURCE: BUFFALO COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 22, 1903  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

\* VOLUME: 31.40 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

THE VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN REDUCED TO THE  
2.0 ACRE-FEET PER ACRE GUIDELINE FOR WATER SPREADING.  
THE VOLUME MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

MAXIMUM ACRES: 15.70

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01					NENNW	28	30N 37E	VALLEY	HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001						E28ESW	21	30N 37E	VALLEY
003						W28ESW	21	30N 37E	VALLEY
TOTAL									15.70

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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OWNERS: DRUMMOND FAMILY ENTERPRISES  
5177 E BAXTER LN  
BOZEMAN MT 59715

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

SOURCE: MAY COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 08, 1896  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

VOLUME: 525.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

\* MAXIMUM ACRES: 268.42

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01			SESENE	27	30N	37E	VALLEY	DIVERSION DAM

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	40.00			SESE	22	30N	37E	VALLEY
002	21.25			SWSE	23	30N	37E	VALLEY
003	19.06			WNWSW	23	30N	37E	VALLEY
004	76.86			S2SW	23	30N	37E	VALLEY
005	77.50			E2NE	27	30N	37E	VALLEY
006	33.75			SWNE	27	30N	37E	VALLEY
TOTAL	268.42							

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 02/26/91: METHOD OF IRRIGATION, MEANS OF DIVERSION,  
MAXIMUM ACRES.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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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 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-W-193292-00

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<b>DIVISIONS:</b>	HINERMAN	SANDRA	R
	602 CRESTWOOD CIRCLE		
	BOUNTIFUL	UT	84010
	HINERMAN	MABEL	N
	702 N MONTANA		
	BOZEMAN	MT	59715
	HINERMAN	ORVILLE	E
	602 CRESTWOOD CIRCLE		
	BOUNTIFUL	UT	84010

**EMBRPOSE (USE):** STOCK

**SOURCE:** SNOW COULEE  
**SOURCE TYPE:** SURFACE WATER

**PRIORITY DATE:** FEBRUARY 15, 1918  
**TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT:** USE

- \* **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.

**PERIOD OF USE:** JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

- \* **POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:**

-----		LOI	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	-----	MEANS
01						SESENE	19	33N	42E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02						E2E	19	33N	42E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

- \* **PLACE OF USE EDB STOCK:**

-----		ACRES	-----	LOI	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	-----
001						SESENE	19	33N	42E	VALLEY		
002						E2E	19	33N	42E	VALLEY		

\* E 08



PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITewater CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-V-193293-00

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OWNERS:	HINERMAN	SAUNDRA	R	
	602 CRESTWOOD CIRCLE			
	BOUNTIFUL	UT	84010	
	HINERMAN	MABEL	M	
	702 N MONTANA			
	BOZEMAN	MT	59715	
	HINERMAN	ORVILLE	E	
	602 CRESTWOOD CIRCLE			
	BOUNTIFUL	UT	84010	

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1935  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LDI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 SWSENE 19 33N 42E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LDI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 SWSENE 19 33N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

\* G 08

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-193293-002 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED \*  
\* WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS \*  
\* DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4001-W-193294-00

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OWNERS:	HINERMAN	ORVILLE	E
	602 CRESTWOOD CIRCLE		
	BOUNTIFUL	UT	84010
	HINERMAN	SAUNDRA	R
	602 CRESTWOOD CIRCLE		
	BOUNTIFUL	UT	84010
	HINERMAN	MABEL	M
	702 N MONTANA		
	BOZEMAN	MT	59715

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 15, 1946  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

VOLUME: 1.50 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: .25

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 SWSENE 19 33N 42E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 ----- .25 SWSENE 19 33N 42E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- .25

REMARKS:

\* I 08

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART,  
WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

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X THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS X  
X EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN X  
X UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. X  
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X IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED X  
X WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS X  
X DEFINED IN THE 1965 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. X  
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X X X  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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WATER\_RIGHT\_NUMBER\_400\_1-W-202097-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: BCD FARMS INC  
PO BOX 412  
SCOBEEY MT 59263

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: OLSON SPRINGS  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1928  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 50.00 GPM ( .11 CFS)

VOLUME: 6.00 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 4 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 1.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 N4W4NE 22 31N 40E VALLEY DEVELOPED SPRING

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 1.00 N4W4NE 22 31N 40E VALLEY  
TOTAL 1.00

REMARKS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS ASSOCIATED WITH WATER RIGHT NO.  
C048975-00, W117476-00, W117477-00, W117483-00,  
W202156-00. ALL WATER RIGHTS SHARE THE SAME SPRING.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/12/86.

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MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-202097-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/24/92.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THIS CLAIM APPEARS TO BE DUPLICATED BY CLAIM NO. \*  
\* W117476-00 WHICH IS A FILED RIGHT FILED BY THE SAME \*  
\* CLAIMANT. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE EXCEEDS THE 35 GPM GUIDELINE FOR \*  
\* THIS PURPOSE AND CANNOT BE CONFIRMED DUE TO LACK OF \*  
\* DATA. \*  
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BASIN 400  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-202149-00

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OWNERS: AETHA LIFE INSURANCE CO  
% DOANE-WESTERN CO  
PO BOX 3661  
BOZEMAN MT 59772-3661

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DRY FORK CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS

01 NESWSW 16 32N 40E VALLEY DAM

RESEVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 ONSTREAM NESWSW 16 32N 40E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 30.7 AC=EI DAM HEIGHT: 10 FT SURFACE AREA: 10.99 ACRES

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

\* PLACE OF USE EDR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 52NWSW 16 32N 40E VALLEY  
002 N25WSW 16 32N 40E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-202149-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/12/86.

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x THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS x  
x EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN x  
x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
x x x  
x THIS CLAIM APPEARS TO DUPLICATE CLAIM NO. W024907-00 x  
x FILED BY THE MONTANA DEPT OF STATE LANDS. x  
x THE OWNERSHIP OF THIS RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. THE x  
x PLACE OF USE APPEARS TO BE ON STATE LAND. x  
x x x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-202150-00

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OWNERS: BCD FARMS INC  
PO BOX 412  
SCOBEY MT 59263

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CHERRY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1949  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEMS -----  
01 SWSNW 32 32N 40E VALLEY PIT

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM SWSNW 32 32N 40E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

--- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
001 SWSNW 32 32N 40E VALLEY

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4001-W-202150-002 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/12/96.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/24/96.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE OWNERSHIP OF THIS RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. THE \*  
\* PLACE OF USE APPEARS TO BE ON STATE LAND. \*  
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MILK RIVER BELOW WHITENWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4003-W-202151-00

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OWNERS: BCD FARMS INC  
PO BOX 412  
SCOBEY MT 59263

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF PORCUPINE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

ELDW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SWNESW 26 31N 40E VALLEY DAM

BESEPOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM SWNESW 26 31N 40E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 5.6 AC EI DAM HEIGHT: 9.5 FT SURFACE AREA: 2.37 ACRES

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

PLACE OF USE EDR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SWNESW 26 31N 40E VALLEY  
002 SENSW 26 31N 40E VALLEY

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MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-202151-002 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

**REMARKS:**

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/12/86.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/24/92.

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X THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS X  
X EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN X  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4001-W-202152-00

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OWNERS: BCD FARMS INC  
PO BOX 412  
SCOBEEY MT 59263

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF PORCUPINE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1953  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND BEAMS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY BEAMS -----  
01 SWNE1/4 15 31N 40E URALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 DNSTREAM SWNE1/4 15 31N 40E URALLEY  
CAPACITY: 4.6 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 13 FT SURFACE AREA: 1.16 ACRES

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

\* PLACE OF USE EDR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 WNE1/4 15 31N 40E URALLEY  
002 NENE1/4 15 31N 40E URALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-202152-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

REMARKS:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/24/92.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THIS CLAIM APPEARS TO DUPLICATE CLAIM NO. W077326-00 \*  
\* FILED BY THE BLA. \*  
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\* THE OWNERSHIP OF THIS RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. PART OF \*  
\* THE PLACE OF USE APPEARS TO BE ON FEDERAL LAND. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT WERE \*  
\* FILED BY DIFFERENT PARTIES WHO CLAIM OVERLAPPING \*  
\* PLACES OF USE. W077325-00, W077326-00, W202152-00. \*  
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WATER\_RIGHT\_NUMBER\_400\_202153-00

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OWNERS: AETNA LIFE INSURANCE CO  
% DOANE-WESTERN CO  
PO BOX 3661  
BOZEMAN MT 59772-3661

PURPOSE\_USE: STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DRY FORK CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY\_DATE: JUNE 01, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW\_RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED  
FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY  
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PERIOD\_OF\_USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT\_OF\_DIVERSION\_AND\_MEANS\_OF\_DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SWNEHE 07 32N 40E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
01 DNSTREAM SWNEHE 07 32N 40E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: -----7.5-BC-EI DAM HEIGHT: 13.51 SURFACE AREA: 1.88-ACRES

THE DAM EXTENDS INTO THE SENWNE SEC 07 TWP 32N RGE 40E  
VALLEY COUNTY.

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

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RESERVOIR CONTINUED:

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
CO1						S07E	07	32N	40E VALLEY
CO2						S07E	07	32N	40E VALLEY

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\* THIS CLAIM APPEARS TO DUPLICATE CLAIM NO. W024910-00 \*  
\* FILED BY THE MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF STATE LANDS. \*  
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\* THE OWNERSHIP OF THIS RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. THE \*  
\* PLACE OF USE APPEARS TO BE ON STATE LAND. \*  
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BASIN 400  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-202154-00

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OWNERS: AETHA LIFE INSURANCE CO  
\* DOANE-WESTERN CO  
PO BOX 3661  
BOZEMAN MT 59772-3661

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DRY FORK CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* 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  
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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		S25	NW	19	32N	40E	VALLEY	DAM

RESERVOIR:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01		DNSTREAM		S25	NW	19	32N	40E	VALLEY
CAPACITY: 7.5 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 13 FT SURFACE AREA: 1.00 ACRES									

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

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001		S25	NW	19	32N	40E	VALLEY

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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-V-202154-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/12/86.

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\* THIS CLAIM APPEARS TO DUPLICATE CLAIM NO. W024904-00 \*  
\* FILED BY THE MONTANA DEPT OF STATE LANDS. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILY RIVER BELOW WHITWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-202155-00

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% DOANE-WESTERN CO  
PO BOX 3661  
BOZEMAN MT 59772-3661

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DRY FORK CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

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----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----

01 NWNWSE 13 32N 39E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM NWNWSE 13 32N 39E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 1.0 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 9.5 FT SURFACE AREA: 76 ACRES

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

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PLACE DE USE FOR STOCK:

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MILK RIVER BELOW WHITWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				NNW	13	32N	39E	VALLEY

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MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400 W-202156-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: BCD FARMS INC  
PO BOX 412  
SCOBEY MT 59263

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: OLSON SPRINGS  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1930  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 30.00 GPM (.07 CFS)

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC 1WP BGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 NWNE 22 31N 40E VALLEY DEVELOPED SPRING

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC 1WP BGE COUNTY -----

001 NWNE 22 31N 40E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS ASSOCIATED WITH WATER RIGHT NOS.  
CD48975-00, W117476-00, W117477-00, W117483-00,  
W202097-00. ALL WATER RIGHTS SHARE THE SAME SPRING.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/21/86.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/24/92.

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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 14002-W-202157-00

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OWNERS: BCD FARMS INC  
PO BOX 412  
SCOBEE MT 59263

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: DRY FORK CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1900  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY					MEANS
01			E2SW	01 32N 39E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02	(GOVT)	7	NE	02 32N 39E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE
03	(GOVT)	8	NE	02 32N 39E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE
04	(GOVT)	9	NE	02 32N 39E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE
05	(GOVT)	2	NE	02 32N 39E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE
06	(GOVT)	3	NW	02 32N 39E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE
07			N2NESE	02 32N 39E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE
08			W2SWNE	12 32N 39E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE
09			E2NW	12 32N 39E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE
10			S2SESE	12 32N 39E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE
11			W2SWSE	12 32N 39E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE
12			S2SW	17 32N 40E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE
13			S2NW	18 32N 40E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14			W2NW	18 32N 40E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE
15			N2SE	18 32N 40E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE
16			NESESE	18 32N 40E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE
17			N2SW	18 32N 40E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE
18			S2NE	20 32N 40E	VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

19	N2NW	20	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
20	N2SEW	20	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
21	N2SEW	20	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
22	S2SW	21	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
23	S2SW	21	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
24	S2SE	21	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
25	N2SW	21	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
26	S2SW	26	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
27	E2NW	27	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
28	N2WNW	27	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
29	N2WSE	27	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				E2SW	01	32N	39E	VALLEY
002	(GDUT)	7		N2E	02	32N	39E	VALLEY
003	(GDUT)	8		N2E	02	32N	39E	VALLEY
004	(GDUT)	9		N2E	02	32N	39E	VALLEY
005	(GDUT)	2		N2E	02	32N	39E	VALLEY
006	(GDUT)	3		N2E	02	32N	39E	VALLEY
007				N2WSE	02	32N	39E	VALLEY
008				W2SWNE	12	32N	39E	VALLEY
009				E2NW	12	32N	39E	VALLEY
010				S2SESE	12	32N	39E	VALLEY
011				W2SWSE	12	32N	39E	VALLEY
012				S2SW	17	32N	40E	VALLEY
013				S2NW	18	32N	40E	VALLEY
014				W2NW	18	32N	40E	VALLEY
015				N2SE	18	32N	40E	VALLEY
016				N2SESE	18	32N	40E	VALLEY
017				N2SESW	18	32N	40E	VALLEY
018				S2NE	20	32N	40E	VALLEY
019				N2NW	20	32N	40E	VALLEY
020				N2SENW	20	32N	40E	VALLEY
021				N2SESE	20	32N	40E	VALLEY
022				S2SWNW	21	32N	40E	VALLEY
023				S2WSE	21	32N	40E	VALLEY
024				S2SE	21	32N	40E	VALLEY
025				N2SW	21	32N	40E	VALLEY
026				S2SW	26	32N	40E	VALLEY
027				E2NW	27	32N	40E	VALLEY
028				N2WNW	27	32N	40E	VALLEY
029				N2WSE	27	32N	40E	VALLEY

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

X THE OWNERSHIP OF THIS RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. PART OF X  
X THE PLACE OF USE APPLARS TO BE ON STATE LAND. X  
X X  
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X X  
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DIVERS: BCD FARMS INC  
PO BOX 412  
SCOBEY MT 59263

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: PORCUPINE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

POINTS OF DIVERSION NO. 17, 18, 19, 24, 25, 26 AND  
27 ARE LOCATED ON PORCUPINE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK.

- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1900  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* 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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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 02 TO DECEMBER 31

- \* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOI	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		SWSW	05	30N	41E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02		E2	06	30N	41E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
03			08	30N	41E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
04		E2NE	17	30N	41E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
05		W2	02	31N	40E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
06			11	31N	40E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
07		SW	13	31N	40E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
08		E2	14	31N	40E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
09			24	31N	40E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
10		NE	25	31N	40E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
11		SW	30	31N	41E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
12		E2	31	31N	41E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
13			04	32N	40E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14		NE	05	32N	40E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
15		NE	09	32N	40E	VALLEY			DIRECT FROM SOURCE

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

16	SW	10	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
17	SE	12	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
18	N2	13	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
19		14	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
20	E2	15	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
21		23	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
22	W2	26	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
23	W2	35	32N	40E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
24	N2NW	04	32N	41E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
25		05	32N	41E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
26	SESE	06	32N	41E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
27	N2	07	32N	41E	VALLEY	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001			SWSW	05	30N	41E	VALLEY	
002			E2	06	30N	41E	VALLEY	
003				08	30N	41E	VALLEY	
004			E2NE	17	30N	41E	VALLEY	
005			W2	02	31N	40E	VALLEY	
006				11	31N	40E	VALLEY	
007			SW	13	31N	40E	VALLEY	
008			E2	14	31N	40E	VALLEY	
009				24	31N	40E	VALLEY	
010			NE	25	31N	40E	VALLEY	
011			SW	30	31N	41E	VALLEY	
012			E2	31	31N	41E	VALLEY	
013				04	32N	40E	VALLEY	
014			NE	05	32N	40E	VALLEY	
015			NE	09	32N	40E	VALLEY	
016			SW	10	32N	40E	VALLEY	
017			SE	12	32N	40E	VALLEY	
018			N2	13	32N	40E	VALLEY	
019				14	32N	40E	VALLEY	
020			E2	15	32N	40E	VALLEY	
021				23	32N	40E	VALLEY	
022			W2	26	32N	40E	VALLEY	
023			W2	35	32N	40E	VALLEY	
024			N2NW	04	32N	41E	VALLEY	
025				05	32N	41E	VALLEY	
026			SESE	06	32N	41E	VALLEY	
027			N2	07	32N	41E	VALLEY	

REMARKS:

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WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN  
RESERVATION.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/21/86.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/24/92.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED \*  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

X THE OWNERSHIP OF THIS RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. PART OF THE PLACE OF USE APPEARS TO BE ON INDIAN LAND.  
X  
X THE OWNERSHIP OF THIS RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. PART OF THE PLACE OF USE APPEARS TO BE ON STATE LAND.  
X  
X THIS CLAIM MAY BE PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT ACCORDING TO ARTICLE III.B.3. OF THE FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE MAY BE REQUIRED BEFORE THIS CLAIM CAN BE DECREED.  
X  
X IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT.  
X  
X THIS CLAIM APPEARS TO BE CLAIMING TWO SEPARATE SOURCES OF WATER. MORE THAN ONE WATER RIGHT MAY BE INVOLVED.  
X  
X  
X  
X

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**OWNERS:** AETNA LIFE INSURANCE CO  
% DORNE-WESTERN CO  
PO BOX 3661  
BOZEMAN MT 59772-3661

**PURPOSE (USE):** STOCK

**SOURCE:** PASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

POINTS OF DIVERSION 5, 6 AND 7 ARE ON AN UNNAMED  
TRIBUTARY OF PORCUPINE CREEK.

- \* **PRIORITY DATE:** DECEMBER 31, 1900  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE
- \* **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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**PERIOD OF USE:** JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

- \* **POINT OF DIVERSION AND TERMS OF DIVERSION:**

	LOI	BLK	QIB	SEC	IWP	BGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		E2SE	08	32N	41E	VALLEY		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02		E2	17	32N	41E	VALLEY		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
03		NE	20	32N	41E	VALLEY		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
04		SW	21	32N	41E	VALLEY		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
05		SWSW	27	32N	41E	VALLEY		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
06			28	32N	41E	VALLEY		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
07		N2	34	32N	41E	VALLEY		DIRECT FROM SOURCE

- \* **PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:**

	ACRES	LOI	BLK	QIB	SEC	IWP	BGE	COUNTY
001		E2SE	08	32N	41E	VALLEY		
002		*	17	32N	41E	VALLEY		

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

003	NE	20	32N	41E	VALLEY
004	SW	21	32N	41E	VALLEY
005	SWSW	27	32N	41E	VALLEY
006		28	32N	41E	VALLEY
007	N2	34	32N	41E	VALLEY

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X THE OWNERSHIP OF THIS RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. PART OF X  
X THE PLACE OF USE APPEARS TO BE ON INDIAN LAND. X  
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X X X X X X X  
X THIS CLAIM MAY BE PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT X  
X ACCORDING TO ARTICLE III.B.3. OF THE FORT X  
X PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE MAY BE X  
X REQUIRED BEFORE THIS CLAIM CAN BE DECREED. X  
X X X X X X X  
X IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED X  
X WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS X  
X DEFINED IN THE 1985 FORT PECK-MONTANA COMPACT. X  
X X X X X X X  
X THIS CLAIM APPEARS TO BE CLAIMING TWO SEPARATE X  
X SOURCES OF WATER. MORE THAN ONE WATER RIGHT MAY BE X  
X INVOLVED. X  
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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 BASINS OR SUBBASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO  
OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT  
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WATERRIGHT#NUMBER#400#-W-202160-00

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OWNER: BCD FARMS INC  
PO BOX 412  
SCOBEY MT 59263

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: DRY FORK CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 13, 1903  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: 10.61 CFS

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.

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 280.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	IMP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		NW	SE	21	32N	40E	VALLEY	DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	IMP	RGE	COUNTY
001	120.00				SE	27	32N	40E VALLEY
002	40.00				NW	27	32N	40E VALLEY
003	120.00				NE	34	32N	40E VALLEY
TOTAL	280.00							

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-202160-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/21/86.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/24/92.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE OWNERSHIP OF THIS RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. PART OF \*  
\* THE PLACE OF USE APPEARS TO BE ON STATE LAND. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE VALLEY COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1969) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO(S). 379-20 DATED 05/22/80 \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
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OWNER: BCD FARMS INC  
PO BOX 412  
SCOBEY MT 59263

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF PORCUPINE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 19, 1904  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

\* VOLUME: 320.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

THE VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN REDUCED TO THE  
2.0 ACRE-FEET PER ACRE GUIDELINE FOR WATER SPREADING.  
THE VOLUME MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

MAXIMUM ACRES: 160.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND BEAMS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- BEAMS -----  
01 NENWSW 03 31N 40E VALLEY DTKE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
001 40.00 SENE 03 31N 40E VALLEY  
002 80.00 E2SE 03 31N 40E VALLEY  
003 40.00 SWSE 03 31N 40E VALLEY  
TOTAL 160.00

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/21/86.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/24/92.

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\* THE OWNERSHIP OF THIS RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. PART OF \*  
\* THE PLACE OF USE APPEARS TO BE ON STATE LAND. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE VALLEY COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1968) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 579-58, DATED 07/03/81, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* IT APPEARS THIS WATER RIGHT MAY NOT HAVE BEEN \*  
\* PERFECTED. THERE APPEARS TO BE NO APPROPRIATION OF \*  
\* WATER. ALL ELEMENTS OF THIS CLAIM ARE QUESTIONABLE. \*  
\* SEE CLAIM FILE FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* VOLUME MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION \*  
\* OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-202162-00

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OWNER: BCD FARMS INC  
PO BOX 412  
SCOBEY MT 59263

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

SOURCE: PORCUPINE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: FEBRUARY 15, 1905  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

\* VOLUME: 1,620.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

THE VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN REDUCED TO THE  
2.0 ACRE-FEET PER ACRE GUIDELINE FOR WATER SPREADING.  
THE VOLUME MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

MAXIMUM ACRES: 810.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NENEW 23 32N 40E VALLEY DIKE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 120.00 W2 02 31N 40E VALLEY  
002 20.00 NE 10 31N 40E VALLEY  
003 150.00 W2 11 32N 40E VALLEY  
004 120.00 W2 23 32N 40E VALLEY  
005 230.00 W2 26 32N 40E VALLEY  
006 170.00 W2 35 32N 40E VALLEY  
TOTAL 810.00

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/21/86.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/24/92.

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x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
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x THE OWNERSHIP OF THIS RIGHT IS QUESTIONABLE. PART OF x  
x THE PLACE OF USE APPEARS TO BE ON STATE LAND. x  
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x THE VALLEY COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1968) x  
x APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. x  
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x USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 379-20, DATED 05/22/80, x  
x APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. x  
x x  
x USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 179-220, DATED 08/17/79, x  
x APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. x  
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x IT APPEARS THIS WATER RIGHT MAY NOT HAVE BEEN x  
x PERFECTED. THERE APPEARS TO BE NO APPROPRIATION OF x  
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x THE MAXIMUM COMBINED ACRES FOR THIS GROUP OF x  
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x RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM IRRIGATED ACRES ISSUE. x  
x x  
x VOLUME MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION x  
x OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. x  
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WATER<sub>2</sub>RIGHT<sub>2</sub>NUMBER<sub>2</sub>400<sub>2</sub>-W-202162-00<sub>2</sub>(CONTINUED)

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400g-W-202163-00

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OWNERS: BGD FARMS INC  
PO BOX 412  
SCOBEY

MT 59263

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF PORCUPINE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1904  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

\* VOLUME: 320.00 AF

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

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2.0 ACRE-FEET PER ACRE GUIDELINE FOR WATER SPREADING.  
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MAXIMUM ACRES: 160.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC IWP ACRE COUNTY -----  
01 SENEW 03 31N 40E ULLLEY DIKE  
02 SESEW 03 31N 40E ULLLEY DIKE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRE ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC IWP ACRE COUNTY -----  
001 120.00 NE 10 31N 40E ULLLEY  
002 90.00 NESE 10 31N 40E ULLLEY  
TOTAL 160.00

REMARKS:

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\* THE MAXIMUM COMBINED ACRES FOR THIS GROUP OF \*  
\* SUPPLEMENTAL CLAIMS MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION PENDING \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM IRRIGATED ACRES ISSUE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* VOLUME MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION \*  
\* OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-W-202164-00

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OWNERS: BCD FARMS INC  
PO BOX 412  
SCOBEY MT 59263

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: WATER SPREADING

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF PORCUPINE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 31, 1900  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE  
CONSISTS OF DIRECT FLOW WATER SPREADING.

\* VOLUME: 380.00 AF

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

THE VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN REDUCED TO THE  
2.0 ACRE-FEET PER ACRE GUIDELINE FOR WATER SPREADING.  
THE VOLUME MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

MAXIMUM ACRES: 190.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01					11	31N	40E VALLEY	DIKE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001						11	31N	40E VALLEY
002						14	31N	40E VALLEY
TOTAL								

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-V-202164-002 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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 OF THE CLAIMANT'S TOTAL 917.09 ACRES. 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.  
W202162-00, W202163-00, W202164-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/21/86.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/24/92.

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X EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN X  
X UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. X  
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X THE VALLEY COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1960) X  
X APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. X  
X X X  
X USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 579-58, DATED 07/03/81, X  
X APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. X  
X X X  
X IT APPEARS THIS WATER RIGHT MAY NOT HAVE BEEN X  
X PERFECTED. THERE APPEARS TO BE NO APPROPRIATION OF X  
X WATER. ALL ELEMENTS OF THIS CLAIM ARE QUESTIONABLE. X  
X SEE CLAIM FILE FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. X  
X X X  
X THE MAXIMUM COMBINED ACRES FOR THIS GROUP OF X  
X SUPPLEMENTAL CLAIMS MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION PENDING X  
X RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM IRRIGATED ACRES ISSUE. X  
X X X  
X VOLUME MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION X  
X OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. X  
X X X  
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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400g-W-210943-00

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OWNERS:	GILBERTSON	DLAF	H
	S MC BOX 305		
	NASHUA	MT	59248
	GILBERTSON	RUTH	A
	S MC BOX 305		
	NASHUA	MT	59248

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

THE SOURCE IS AN UNDEVELOPED SPRING LOCATED IN THE  
SWSESW SEC 22 TWP 28N RGE 41E VALLEY COUNTY

ALSO KNOWN AS NASHUA SPRING

- \* PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 04, 1902  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED
- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR
- \* 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 FREA SERVICED BY  
THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

- \* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LDI\_BLS\_QIR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NNNNNW 27 28N 41E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QIR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
01 DNSTREAM NNNNNW 27 28N 41E VALLEY

- \* PLACE OF USE EOB STOCK:

\* D 11

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4001-W-210943-001 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001						27	28N	41E URLETT

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\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* CLAIM FILED LATE 07/12/83. IN 1992 THE MONTANA \*  
\* SUPREME COURT HELD THAT THE FAILURE TO FILE A WATER \*  
\* RIGHT CLAIM BY APRIL 30, 1982 RESULTED IN THE \*  
\* FORFEITURE OF THE RIGHT. THE 1993 MONTANA LEGISLATURE \*  
\* PROVIDED FOR THE CONDITIONAL REISSUION OF THAT \*  
\* FORFEITURE. THIS CLAIM WILL BE PROCESSED IN \*  
\* ACCORDANCE WITH THE 1993 LEGISLATION. SEE MONTANA \*  
\* CODE ANNOTATED SECTIONS 85-2-213, 85-2-221 AND \*  
\* 85-2-225. OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ON ALL ELEMENTS OF \*  
\* THIS CLAIM. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-W-210944-00

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OWNERS:	GILBERTSON 5 MC BOX 305 NASHUA	DLAF	MT	H 59248
	GILBERTSON 5 MC BOX 305 NASHUA	RUTH	MT	A 59248

**PURPOSE (USE):** STOCK

- \* **SOURCE:** SPRING, TRIB OF ESPEIL COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- \* **PRIORITY DATE:** AUGUST 09, 1896  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED
- \* **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 CONSUMPTUELY 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.

**PERIOD OF USE:** JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* **POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:**

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SESESW 21 28N 41E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* **PLACE OF USE EOB SIDDS:**

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SESESW 21 28N 41E VALLEY

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BASIN 400  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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x EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN x  
x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
x x x  
x CLAIM FILED LATE 07/12/83. IN 1992 THE MONTANA x  
x SUPREME COURT HELD THAT THE FAILURE TO FILE A WATER x  
x RIGHT CLAIM BY APRIL 30, 1992 RESULTED IN THE x  
x FORFEITURE OF THE RIGHT. THE 1993 MONTANA LEGISLATURE x  
x PROVIDED FOR THE CONDITIONAL REMISSION OF THAT x  
x FORFEITURE. THIS CLAIM WILL BE PROCESSED IN x  
x ACCORDANCE WITH THE 1993 LEGISLATION. SEE MONTANA x  
x CODE ANNOTATED SECTIONS 85-2-213, 85-2-221 AND x  
x 85-2-225. OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ON ALL ELEMENTS OF x  
x THIS CLAIM. x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4001-W-211010-00

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OWNERS:	BARNETT	GARY	P
	PO BOX 121		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230
	BARNETT	CHRISTINE	A
	PO BOX 121		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF CHERRY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1900  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* 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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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SWNE 14 29N 39E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SWNE 14 29N 39E VALLEY

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-211010-002 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/14/88.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
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\* \* \* \* \*  
\* CLAIM FILED LATE 10/04/83. IN 1992 THE MONTANA \*  
\* SUPREME COURT HELD THAT THE FAILURE TO FILE A WATER \*  
\* RIGHT CLAIM BY APRIL 30, 1982 RESULTED IN THE \*  
\* FORFEITURE OF THE RIGHT. THE 1993 MONTANA LEGISLATURE \*  
\* PROVIDED FOR THE CONDITIONAL REVISION OF THAT \*  
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MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400z-W-211309-00

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OWNERS: USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR FISH & WILDLIFE SERV)  
DENVER FEDERAL CENTER  
PO BOX 25486  
DENVER CO 80225

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 09, 1951  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

VOLUME: 5.00 AF

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- BEANS -----  
01 S2NWNW 27 26N 39E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
0: ONSTREAM S2NWNW 27 26N 39E VALLEY  
RESERVOIR/LAKE NAME: LEWIS RESERVOIR

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 S2NWNW 27 26N 39E VALLEY

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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-211309-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* \* \* \* \*  
\* CLAIM FILED LATE 06/01/85. IN 1992 THE MONTANA \*  
\* SUPREME COURT HELD THAT THE FAILURE TO FILE A WATER \*  
\* RIGHT CLAIM BY APRIL 30, 1982 RESULTED IN THE \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400g-W-211336-00

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OWNERS: EIDE HAROLD D  
HC 271-1572  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----

01 SWNNW 06 26N 40E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 DNSTREAM SWNNW 06 26N 40E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE EDB STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 SWNNW 05 26N 40E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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\* \* \* \* \*  
\* PROCESSING FEE INSUFFICIENT TO COVER LATE CLAIM. \*  
\* TOTAL AMOUNT DUE \$150.00. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* CLAIM FILED LATE 06/21/85. IN 1992 THE MONTANA \*  
\* SUPREME COURT HELD THAT THE FAILURE TO FILE A WATER \*  
\* RIGHT CLAIM BY APRIL 30, 1982 RESULTED IN THE \*  
\* FORFEITURE OF THE RIGHT. THE 1993 MONTANA LEGISLATURE \*  
\* PROVIDED FOR THE CONDITIONAL REMISSION OF THAT \*  
\* FORFEITURE. THIS CLAIM WILL BE PROCESSED IN \*  
\* ACCORDANCE WITH THE 1993 LEGISLATION. SEE MONTANA \*  
\* CODE ANNOTATED SECTIONS 85-2-213, 85-2-221 AND \*  
\* 85-2-225. OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ON ALL ELEMENTS OF \*  
\* THIS CLAIM. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400 W-211337-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: EIDE HAROLD D  
MC 271-1572  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
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PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE  
CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY  
THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND DEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK Q18 SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 SWNW 07 26N 40E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- Q18 SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 ONSTREAM SWNW 07 26N 40E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 16.0 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: 13 FT SURFACE AREA: 4.00 ACRES

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

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK Q18 SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 SWNW 07 26N 40E VALLEY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4001-V-211338-00

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MC 271-1572  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

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SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LDI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 (GOVT) 3 NWNSW 31 27N 40E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM NWNSW 31 27N 40E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES LDI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 (GOVT) 3 NWNSW 31 27N 40E VALLEY

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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X THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS X  
X EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN X  
X UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. X  
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X PROCESSING FEE INSUFFICIENT TO COVER LATE CLAIM. X  
X TOTAL AMOUNT DUE \$150.00. X  
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X CLAIM FILED LATE 06/21/85. IN 1992 THE MONTANA X  
X SUPREME COURT HELD THAT THE FAILURE TO FILE A WATER X  
X RIGHT CLAIM BY APRIL 30, 1982 RESULTED IN THE X  
X FORFEITURE OF THE RIGHT. THE 1993 MONTANA LEGISLATURE X  
X PROVIDED FOR THE CONDITIONAL REMISSION OF THAT X  
X FORFEITURE. THIS CLAIM WILL BE PROCESSED IN X  
X ACCORDANCE WITH THE 1993 LEGISLATION. SEE MONTANA X  
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X 85-2-225. OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ON ALL ELEMENTS OF X  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-0-211532-00

\*\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*\*

OWNERS: JHNOT JOHN  
PO BOX 254  
MASHUA MT 59248

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION

SOURCE: PORCUPINE CREEK

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

MAXIMUM ACRES:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 (GOUT) 1 MENENE 36 28N 41E VALLEY PUMP

PLACE OF USE (FOR IRRIGATION):

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION  
PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 12/19/94.

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\* THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM MAY NOT HAVE BEEN COMPLETED \*  
\* AS THE CLAIMANT WITHDREW THE CLAIM. \*  
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AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT. (SEE SECTION 85-2-233, MONTANA CODE ANNOTATED.)

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PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING  
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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-211584-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: BORDERVIEW RANCH INC  
PO BOX 54  
OPHEIN MT 59250

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 30.00 GPM ( .07 CFS)

VOLUME: 5.00 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 5.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 MESENE 20 34N 41E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 ----- 5.00 MESENE 20 34N 41E VALLEY  
TOTAL ----- 5.00

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 DECREASES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER W-211584-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

W187249-00, W211584-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/29/94.

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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 4002-D-212091-00

\*\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*\*

OWNERS: BARRETT                      BERNICE                      M  
620 6TH ST N                      MT                      59230  
GLASGOW

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01                      SMMW 28 30N 38E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR SIDING:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN AND  
REPLACED BY WATER RIGHT NO. C035625-00.

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS  
AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 08/24/81.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM MAY NOT HAVE BEEN COMPLETED                      x  
x AS THE CLAIMANT WITHDREW THE CLAIM.                      x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-0-212092-00

\*\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*\*

OWNER: CHRISTENSEN DONNA F  
PO BOX 295  
MINDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 SESENE 04 30M 36E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN AND  
REPLACED BY WATER RIGHT NO. C02B055-00.

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS  
AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 12/13/82.

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\* THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM MAY NOT HAVE BEEN COMPLETED \*  
\* AS THE CLAIMANT WITHDREW THE CLAIM. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4002-0-212093-00

\*\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*\*

OWNERS: CHRISTENSEN DONNA F  
PO BOX 295  
MINSDALE MT 59241

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK Q18 SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

01 SESENE 04 30N 36E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN AND  
REPLACED BY WATER RIGHT NO. C028055-00.

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS  
AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 12/13/82.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-212094-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-D-212096-00

\*\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*\*

OWNERS:	ENKERUD TARPICO RT GLASGOW	ESTHER	E	
		MT	59230	
	ENKERUD MC 271-2153 GLASGOW	OTTO	S	
		MT	59230	

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MILK RIVER

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

_____	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	_____	MEANS
01				SE	NE	25	30N	37E	VALLEY	DAM

RESERVOIR:

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN AND  
REPLACED BY WATER RIGHT NO. P048164-00.

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS  
AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 06/25/82.

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\* AS THE CLAIMANT WITHDREW THE CLAIM. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-0-212097-00

\*\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*\*

OWNER:	FUHRMAN RR BOX 14 LARSLAN	WALTER	P	
		MT	59244	
	FUHRMAN RR BOX 14 LARSLAN	ROXANNA	W	
		MT	59244	

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BECKER SPRING

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY DEANS -----  
01 SENSW 31 33N 41E VALLEY DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN AND  
REPLACED BY WATER RIGHT NO. C050295-00.

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS  
AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 11/01/82.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM MAY NOT HAVE BEEN COMPLETED x  
x AS THE CLAIMANT WITHDREW THE CLAIM. x  
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MILK RIVER BELOW WHITWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-0-212098-00

\*\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*\*

OWNERS: BAOS & BAOS INC  
PO BOX 848  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): COMMERCIAL

SOURCE: WELL

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LDI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 (GOVT) 5 1 11 28N 39E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR COMMERCIAL:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN AND  
REPLACED BY WATER RIGHT NO. C050341-00.

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS  
AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 11/23/82.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM MAY NOT HAVE BEEN COMPLETED x  
x AS THE CLAIMANT WITHDREW THE CLAIM. x  
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BASIN 400  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-0-212099-00

\*\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*\*

OWNERS: HALLOCK EARL M  
PD BOX 7581  
KALISPELL MT 59903

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT 8LK QTB SEC SEC TWP 86E COUNTY

01 (GOUT) 5 S25E 33 29N 39E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN AND  
REPLACED BY WATER RIGHT NO. C050281-00.

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS  
AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 10/14/82.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-0-212100-00

\*\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*\*

OWNERS: KNIERIM                    GEORGE                    S  
         PO BOX 568  
         GLASGOW                    MT                    59230

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 (GOVT) B                    N63W5E 03 28N 39E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN AND  
REPLACED BY WATER RIGHT NO. CD46621-00.

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS  
AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 01/10/83.

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\* AS THE CLAIMANT WITHDREW THE CLAIM. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-O-212101-00

\*\*\*\*\* THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM HAS BEEN TERMINATED \*\*\*\*\*

OWNERS: WITTMAYER GRAZING ASSN  
PO BOX 1168  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 MENESE 26 25N 37E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN WITHDRAWN AND  
REPLACED BY WATER RIGHT NO. P048165-00.

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION PROCESS  
AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 06/28/82.

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\* THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM MAY NOT HAVE BEEN COMPLETED \*  
\* AS THE CLAIMANT WITHDREW THE CLAIM. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-212574-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: NASHUA, TOWN OF  
PO BOX 47  
NASHUA MT 59248

PURPOSE (USE): MUNICIPAL

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 02, 1958  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 500.00 GPM

VOLUME: 300.00 AF

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 6 6 SESESE 36 28N 41E VALLEY

\* PLACE OF USE FOR MUNICIPAL:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 N2NENE 01 27N 41E VALLEY  
002 N2N2NW 06 27N 42E VALLEY  
003 7/8E 36 28N 41E VALLEY  
004 W 31 28N 42E VALLEY

REMARKS:

SUBD: NASHUA, SCHOOL ADDITION

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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WATER<sub>2</sub>RIGHT<sub>2</sub>NUMBER<sub>2</sub>400<sub>2</sub>-W-213968-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS:	COTTON	CHARLES	W
	RT 1 BOX 32		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230
	COTTON	MARVEL	B
	RT 1 BOX 32		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1954  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 8.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- L01 BLK 01B SEC SEC 1WP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 MESWNE 25 29N 38E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- L01 BLK 01B SEC SEC 1WP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 MESWNE 25 29N 38E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THIS IMPLIED CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT  
BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. W152948-00.

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WATER<sub>2</sub>RIGHT<sub>2</sub>NUMBER<sub>2</sub>400<sub>2</sub>-W-213968-00<sub>2</sub>(CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THE RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREASES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.  
W152948-00, W213968-00.

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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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BASIN 400  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4002-W-214072-00

## IMPORTANT NOTICE

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ADDRESSES: PATTISON LEG M  
19 MEADOW COURT  
GLASGOW MT 59230  
PATTISON VERNA E  
19 MEADOW COURT  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1937  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 500.00 GPM

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 72.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_IMP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NESEW 13 30N 37E VALLEY PUMP

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_IMP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
001 4.00 SWSWE 13 30N 37E VALLEY  
002 7.00 ESEW 13 30N 37E VALLEY  
003 38.00 N2SE 13 30N 37E VALLEY  
004 6.00 N2ESE 13 30N 37E VALLEY  
005 17.00 E2NEW 13 30N 37E VALLEY  
TOTAL 72.00

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-M-214072-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THIS IMPLIED CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT  
BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. MO4220-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400g-w-214096-00

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OWNER: WANDALIA RANCH INC  
PO BOX 33  
WANDALIA

MT 59473

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: SPRINKLER

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 30, 1966  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

VOLUME: 1,040.00 AF  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 346.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 10 TO SEPTEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, SEC. IWP, RGE, COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NWSWNE 10 30N 37E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR, SEC, SEC. IWP, RGE, COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM NWSWNE 10 30N 37E VALLEY  
CAPACITY: 116.1 BC-EI DAM HEIGHT: 19.0 EI SURFACE AREA: 29.03 ACRES

THE DAM EXTENDS INTO THE NWSW ELC 10 TWP 30N R1E 37E  
VALLEY COUNTY

THE CAPACITY, DAM HEIGHT, AND SURFACE AREA HAVE BEEN  
ESTIMATED BY THE DNRC

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RESERVOIR CONTINUED:

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001	5.00				NESW	02	30N	37E	VALLEY
002	15.00				NESE	03	30N	37E	VALLEY
003	40.00				SESE	03	30N	37E	VALLEY
004	5.00				SWSE	03	30N	37E	VALLEY
005	15.00				NWSW	03	30N	37E	VALLEY
006	40.00				SWSW	03	30N	37E	VALLEY
007	15.00				NENE	10	30N	37E	VALLEY
008	8.00				NESE	10	30N	37E	VALLEY
009	8.00				NWSE	10	30N	37E	VALLEY
010	30.00				SESE	10	30N	37E	VALLEY
011	35.00				SWSE	10	30N	37E	VALLEY
012	10.00				NESW	10	30N	37E	VALLEY
013	40.00				SESW	10	30N	37E	VALLEY
014	5.00				SWSW	10	30N	37E	VALLEY
015	15.00				NWNW	11	30N	37E	VALLEY
016	8.00				SWSW	11	30N	37E	VALLEY
017	22.00				NWNE	15	30N	37E	VALLEY
018	28.00				NENW	15	30N	37E	VALLEY
019	2.00				NWNW	15	30N	37E	VALLEY
TOTAL	346.00								

REMARKS:

THIS IMPLIED CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT  
BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. W002404-00.

THE WATER RIGHTS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE SUPPLE-  
MENTAL WHICH MEANS THE RIGHTS HAVE OVERLAPPING PLACES  
OF USE. THE RIGHTS CAN BE COMBINED TO IRRIGATE ONLY  
OVERLAPPING PARCELS OF THE CLAIMANT'S TOTAL 346.00  
ACRES. 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.  
W002404-00, W002405-00, W002408-00, W214096-00.

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* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN  *
* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED.                          *
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* CLAIM FORM NOT SIGNED OR NOTARIZED.                              *
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* THE CLAIMED VOLUME APPEARS TO BE EXCESSIVE FOR THE              *
* CLAIMED PURPOSE. THE CLAIMED VOLUME EQUALS 8.9 TIMES            *
* THE CAPACITY OF THE RESERVOIR.                                   *
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-214096-00 (CONTINUED)

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WATER\_RIGHT\_NUMBER: 4003-W-214209-00

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OWNERS: USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR FISH & WILDLIFE SERV)  
DENVER FEDERAL CENTER  
PO BOX 25486  
DENVER CO 80225

PURPOSE (USE): WILDLIFE

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JULY 31, 1953  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

VOLUME: 15.00 AF

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOI\_BLS\_QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_IWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEMNS -----  
01 MEMENE 33 26N 39E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_IWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM MEMENE 33 26N 39E VALLEY

RESERVOIR/LAKE NAME: DUCK CREEK RETENTION RESERVOIR  
CAPACITY: 15.0 ACRES DAM HEIGHT: 9 FEET SURFACE AREA: 6.74 ACRES

SEE THE RESERVOIR WORKSHEET IN THE CLAIM FILE FOR  
ADDITIONAL RESERVOIR DATA.

THE DAM HEIGHT AND SURFACE AREA HAVE BEEN ESTIMATED  
BY DNRC.

PLACE OF USE FOR WILDLIFE:

----- ACRES ----- LOI\_BLS\_QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_IWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
001 MEMENE 33 26N 39E VALLEY

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
MILK RIVER BELOW WHITEWATER CREEK INCLUDING PORCUPINE CREEK  
BASIN 4000  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4000-W-214209-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

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NW 34 26N 39E VALLEY

REMARKS:

THIS IMPLIED CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT  
BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. W183159-00.

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MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THE RIGHT  
FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF  
THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREASES THE RIGHT TO  
ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER  
IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.  
W183159-00, W214209-00.

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* THERE IS A QUESTION AS TO THE VALIDITY OF THIS *
* CLAIMED RIGHT. IN THE MATTER OF THE DEARBORN DRAINAGE *
* AREA, 234 MONT. 343 (1988) (THE BEAR LAKE CASE) THE *
* MONTANA SUPREME COURT STATED: "IT IS CLEAR THEREFORE *
* THAT UNDER MONTANA LAW BEFORE 1973, NO APPROPRIATION *
* RIGHT WAS RECOGNIZED FOR RECREATION, FISH AND *
* WILDLIFE, EXCEPT THROUGH A MURPHY RIGHT STATUTE." *
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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 400-W-214210-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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DENVER FEDERAL CENTER  
PO BOX 25486  
DENVER CO 80225

PURPOSE (USE): WILDLIFE

SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF WILLOW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 10, 1953  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS ONSTREAM RESERVOIR.

VOLUME: .50 AF

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LDI BLK QIR SEC SEC IMP BGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SESWSW 21 26N 39E VALLEY PIT

RESERVOIR:

----- QIR SEC SEC IMP BGE COUNTY -----  
01 ONSTREAM SESWSW 21 26N 39E VALLEY

THE PIT IS LOCATED WITHIN THE WILLOW FLAT DETENTION  
RESERVOIR

PLACE OF USE FOR WILDLIFE:

----- ACRES ----- LDI BLK QIR SEC SEC IMP BGE COUNTY -----  
001 SESWSW 21 26N 39E VALLEY

REMARKS:

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BASIN 400  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER  
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W183161-00, W214210-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-214221-00

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OWNERS:	VEGGE	THELMA	N
	812 2ND AVE S		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230
	VEGGE	ARTHUR	N
	812 2ND AVE S		
	GLASGOW	MT	59230

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1925  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 5.00 GPM

\* 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION:

-----LOI\_BLK\_QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_IVP\_BGE\_COUNTY-----

01 (GOVT) 1 NENEME 01 34N 40E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

-----BCECS-----LOI\_BLK\_QIB\_SEC\_SEC\_IVP\_BGE\_COUNTY-----

001 (GOVT) 1 NENEME 01 34N 40E VALLEY

REMARKS

THIS IMPLIED CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT  
BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. W152974-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER W-214221-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W152974-00, W214221-00.

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OWNERS: ALDEN GERALD L  
MC 67 BOX 119  
LARSLAN MT 59244

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BOG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1948  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM  
THIS DNSTREAM RESERVOIR.

\* VOLUME: THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIUELY 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.

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 NESENE 32 34N 41E VALLEY DAM

RESERVOIR:

----- QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 DNSTREAM NESENE 32 34N 41E VALLEY

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NESENE 32 34N 41E VALLEY

REMARKS:

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BASIN 400  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400-W-21422-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THIS IMPLIED CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400s-U-214236-00

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OWNER: KITTLESON DORVAL  
FORT PECK RT BOX 1550  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: PETERMAN COULEE  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

THE SOURCE INCLUDES UNNAMED TRIBUTARIES OF DOGIE CREEK.

PRIORITY DATE: NOVEMBER 29, 1909  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

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: 2

MAXIMUM SCRES: 480.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		N4SEW	17	27N	40E	VALLEY			DIKE
02		W4NESE	17	27N	40E	VALLEY			DIKE
03		S4WSEW	17	27N	40E	VALLEY			DIKE
04		E2W2	17	27N	40E	VALLEY			DIKE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	320.00			N2	17	27N	40E	VALLEY	
002	160.00			N252	17	27N	40E	VALLEY	
TOTAL	480.00								

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 400 W-214236-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THIS IMPLIED CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT  
BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. W170763-00.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE MEANS OF DIVERSION APPEARS TO BE INCORRECT. SEE \*  
\* CLAIM FILE FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION \*  
\* OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE CLAIMED PERIOD OF USE EXCEEDS THE USUAL GROWING \*  
\* SEASON FOR THIS CLIMATIC AREA WHICH IS APRIL 1 TO \*  
\* OCTOBER 31. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 179-220, DATED 08/17/79, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE TYPE OF IRRIGATION CANNOT BE CONFIRMED. THE TYPE \*  
\* OF HISTORICAL IRRIGATION APPEARS TO BE A NATURAL \*  
\* OVERFLOW SYSTEM. SEE CLAIM FILE FOR FURTHER \*  
\* INFORMATION. \*  
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1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO  
P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.



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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-214268-002 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THIS IMPLIED CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT  
BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. W152268-00.

THE WATER RIGHTS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE SUPPLE-  
MENTAL WHICH MEANS THE RIGHTS HAVE OVERLAPPING PLACES  
OF USE. THE RIGHTS CAN BE COMBINED TO IRRIGATE ONLY  
OVERLAPPING PARCELS OF THE CLAIMANT'S TOTAL 87.00  
ACRES. 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.  
W152268-00, W214268-00.

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X THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DMRC DURING ITS X  
X EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN X  
X UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. X

X  
X FILING FEE INSUFFICIENT TO COVER IMPLIED CLAIM. TOTAL X  
X AMOUNT DUE \$40.00. X

X THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE IS 20.69 GPM PER ACRE. THE X  
X CLAIMED FLOW RATE CANNOT BE SUBSTANTIATED. X

X CLAIM FORM NOT SIGNED OR NOTARIZED. X  
X  
X  
X  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 4003-W-214269-00

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 DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNRC) DURING THE EXAMINATION PROCESS. THESE CHANGES ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE MONTANA WATER COURT OR THE WATER RIGHT CLAIM EXAMINATION RULES AS ADOPTED BY THE MONTANA SUPREME COURT.

OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." UNLESS OBJECTED TO OR CALLED IN ON MOTION OF THE MONTANA WATER COURT IN THIS DECREE, THE ELEMENTS OF THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT WILL APPEAR IN THE FINAL DECREE AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT. (SEE SECTION 85-2-233, MONTANA CODE ANNOTATED.)

OWNER: MEADOWLARK LAND & CATTLE CO  
PO BOX 646  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MILK RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 27, 1949  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 3,000.00 GPM

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 296.80

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

- \* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LDT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	(GOUT)	16	NWSESE	32	29N	39E	VALLEY	PUMP

- \* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LDT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	24.90	(GOUT)	4			NWNE	02	28N 39E VALLEY
002	34.70	(GOUT)	1			NENE	03	28N 39E VALLEY
003	40.00					SENE	03	28N 39E VALLEY
004	14.80	(GOUT)	16			SESE	32	29N 39E VALLEY
005	10.00					SWSENE	33	29N 39E VALLEY
006	27.00					SWNW	33	29N 39E VALLEY
007	145.90					SW	33	29N 39E VALLEY
TOTAL	296.80							

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THIS IMPLIED CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT  
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AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.  
W152269-00, W168556-00, W214269-00.

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x THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS x  
x EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN x  
x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
x x x x x x x  
x THE CLAIMED PERIOD OF USE EXCEEDS THE USUAL GROWING x  
x SEASON FOR THIS CLIMATIC AREA WHICH IS APRIL 1 TO x  
x OCTOBER 31. x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 4002-W-214655-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: BUGGY CREEK LIVESTOCK CO  
PO BOX 1031  
GLASGOW MT 59230

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: BUGGY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: NOVEMBER 03, 1901  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

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

MAXIMUM ACRES: 20.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 NWSENE 29 30N 38E VALLEY HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----

001 20.00 W2SWSE 29 30N 38E VALLEY  
TOTAL 20.00

REMARKS:

THIS IMPLIED CLAIM WAS AUTHORIZED BY THE WATER COURT  
BASED ON INFORMATION IN CLAIM NO. W166110-00.

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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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