

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-033657-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNER: RATCHESON PEGGY S  
2871 ATTLEBORO RD OH 44120  
SHAKER HEIGHTS

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

SOURCE: CAMAS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1884  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 1.50 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

WATER RIGHT ACRES: 40.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO SEPTEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SWSSEW 25 05N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 40.00  
TOTAL 40.00 SESEW 25 05N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 06/08/95.

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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. W033656-00, W033657-00.

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 40.00 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. W033657-00, W214804-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 06/15/89.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/07/89.

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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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\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
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\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NOCSJ, 179-72, DATED 08/02/79, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 28.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A \*  
\* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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\* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 28.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A \*  
\* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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\* THE MAXIMUM COMBINED ACRES FOR THIS GROUP OF \*  
\* SUPPLEMENTAL CLAIMS MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION PENDING \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM IRRIGATED ACRES ISSUE. \*  
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2412 CHIEF VICTOR CAMP RD  
VICTOR MT 59875

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% H JAMES THAYER  
2412 CHIEF VICTOR CAMP RD  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: SWERTHOUSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1877  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 930.00 GPM ( .74 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: 5.93

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 28 TO AUGUST 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LDI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SENWSE 25 08N 21W RAUALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: TOWN DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LDI BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 5.93  
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REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/29/87.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 06/07/88.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 12/05/90.

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\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 123 MINER'S INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1011, RAVALLI COUNTY. W000843-00, W019963-00, W039660-00, W044329-00, W10235-00, W105319-00, W111261-00, W118405-00, W149346-00, W150763-00. \*  
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THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE EXCEEDS THE 17 GPM PER ACRE GUIDELINE AND CANNOT BE CONFIRMED DUE TO LACK OF DATA. THE FLOW RATE EQUALS 55.64 GPM PER ACRE. \*  
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VICTOR MT 59875  
  
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% H JAMES THAYER  
2412 CHIEF VICTOR CAMP RD  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: SWEATHOUSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXISTENCE DATE: APRIL 01, 1873  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW BASIS: 110.00 GPM ( .25 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: 5.93

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 28 TO AUGUST 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SENWSE 25 08N 21W RAUALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: TOWN DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

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TOTAL 5.93

REMARKS:

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\* N JAMES THAYER  
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VICTOR MT 59875  
MCCARTY MARIE E  
\* N JAMES THAYER  
2412 CHIEF VICTOR CAMP RD  
VICTOR MT 59875

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SWEATHOUSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1879  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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 28 TO AUGUST 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS

01 SENWSE 25 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: TOWN DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 176H W-0393662-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 06/07/88.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 12/05/90.

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VICTOR

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% H JAMES THAYER  
2412 CHIEF VICTOR CAMP RD MT 59875  
VICTOR

EMBRDSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SWERTHOUSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1877  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* ELDW\_RRG: 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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DITCH NAME: TOWN DITCH

\* PLACE\_OF\_USE\_FOR\_STOCK:

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DWNS: JORDAN LAWRENCE C  
1146 GARDEN PL  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
JORDAN DENISE R  
1146 GARDEN PL  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: MILL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1899  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 194.64 GPM ( .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: 20.00

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 NNNNE 04 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: WALDHERR-MOORE-HINRICKS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 20.00 NNNNE 34 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 20.00

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H W-033665-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W033665-00, W033667-00.

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. W033665-00, W033666-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/18/90.

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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 WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE X  
X FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE X  
X SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 66.56 X  
X NINETY-FIVE INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 565, RAVALLI X  
X COUNTY. W028951-00, W033665-00, W049023-00, X  
X W103420-00, W104646-00, W150914-00, W151237-00, X  
X W214184-00 X

X FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON X  
X RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. X  
X X

X THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) X  
X APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. X  
X X

X USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 179-68, DATED 08/02/79, X  
X APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. 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

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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-039665-00 (CONTINUED)

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."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-566-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-093666-00

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."

OWNERS: JORDAN LAWRENCE C  
1146 GARDEN PL  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
JORDAN DENISE R  
1146 GARDEN PL  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: MILL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1884  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 89.76 GPM C .20 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 15 TO OCTOBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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

01 NWNNE 04 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: WALDHERR-MOORE-HINRICKS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

00: 20.00 NWNNE 34 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL: 20.00

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-U-033666-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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.  
W033666-00, W033668-00.

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.  
W033665-00, W033666-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/18/90.

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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 WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 44.44 \*  
\* MINER'S INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 565, RAVALLI \*  
\* COUNTY. W026950-00, W033666-00, W103419-00, \*  
\* W104647-00, W104935-00, W150913-00, W151236-00, \*  
\* W214186-00. \*  
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\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
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\* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1950) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
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\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 179-68, DATED 08/02/79, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
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\* THE MAXIMUM COMBINED ACRES FOR THIS GROUP OF \*  
\* SUPPLEMENTAL CLAIMS MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION PENDING \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM IRRIGATED ACRES ISSUE. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-093666-00 (CONTINUED)

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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 75H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-03667-00

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."

OWNERS: JORDAN LAWRENCE C  
1146 GARDEN PL  
HAMILTON MT 59840

JORDAN DENISE R  
1146 GARDEN PL  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MILL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 N2W9NE 04 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: WALDHERR-MOORE-HINRICKS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 N2W9NE 34 07N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76Hx-W-039667-00 (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. W039665-00, W039667-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/18/90.

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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-033668-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS:	JORDAN	LAWRENCE	C
	1146 GARDEN PL.		
	HAMILTON	MT	59940
	JORDAN	DENISE	R
	1146 GARDEN PL.		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MILL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

2810101Y DATE: APRIL 01, 1884  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 N4W4NE 04 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: WALDHERR-MOODRE-HINRICKS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 N2W4NE 34 07N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-033668-00 (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. W033666-00, W033668-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/18/90.

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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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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-033669-00

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."

OWNER: GARDNER KENNETH E  
PO BOX 452  
HAMILTON MT 59840

EWROUSE\_USE: STOCK

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1896  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 15 TO OCTOBER 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS

01 SWSEW 21 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: PUTHAM DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 SWNWSE 21 06N 21W RAVALLI

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 76H-W-033669-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

W033669-00, W033670-00.

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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  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76Hx-W-033670-00

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YOUR WATER RIGHT AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT MAY HAVE CHANGES FROM YOUR WATER RIGHT AS CLAIMED OR AMENDED. AN ASTERISK (\*) HAS BEEN PLACED NEXT TO EACH ITEM CHANGED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION (DNCR) 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."

OWNERS: GARDNER KENNETH E  
PO BOX 452  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1896  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 112.00 GPM ( .25 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: 3.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK. AIR SEC. SEC. TWP. RGE. COUNTY MEANS

01 SWSEW 21 06N 21W RAULLI DISTRICT

DITCH NAME: PUTNAM DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 3.00 SWNWSE 21 06N 21W RAULLI  
TOTAL 3.00

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

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
ABSTRACT OF LATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H3-U-035670-00 (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. W033669-00, W035670-00.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE EXCEEDS THE 17 GPM PER ACRE \*  
\* GUIDELINE AND CANNOT BE CONFIRMED DUE TO LACK OF DATA. \*  
\* THE FLOW RATE EQUALS 37.39 GPM PER ACRE. \*  
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-093671-00

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2297 MIDDLE BEAR CREEK RD  
VECTOR HT 59875  
GOLDER HELEN I  
2297 MIDDLE BEAR CREEK RD  
VECTOR HT 59875

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

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1899  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 1.41 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: 80.38

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 176H-033671-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
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W033671-00, W033674-00.

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W033671-00, W033672-00, W033673-00.

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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 FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE x  
x SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 75 MINER'S x  
x INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1937, RAVALLI COUNTY. x  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

12/18/97  
PAGE 2,447

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-033672-00

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VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

ESTABLISH DATE: SEPTEMBER 01, 1877  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 1.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 80.38

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 19

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LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		SE	SW	03	07N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: NO. 2 DITCH

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ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	40.02							
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REMARKS:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-033672-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 80 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1337, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W021209-00, W033672-00. \*  
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\* THIS CLAIM IS BASED UPON THE R.G. YOUNG DECREED RIGHT \*  
\* CASE NO. 1337, RAVALLI COUNTY. THE R.G. YOUNG RIGHT \*  
\* WAS ORIGINALLY DECREED TO THE S2SE SEC 36 TWP 08 R0E \*  
\* 21W RAVALLI COUNTY. HOWEVER INFORMATION IN THE CLAIM \*  
\* FILE INDICATES THIS WATER RIGHT WAS TRANSFERRED TO THE \*  
\* CLAIMED PLACE OF USE. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 15, 1883  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 50.49 GPM ( .11 CFS)

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

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-033674-00

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GOLDER DONALD J  
2297 MIDDLE BEAR CREEK RD  
VICTOR MT 59875

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1899  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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 19

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01 SE6SW6 03 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: NO. 2 DITCH

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-033674-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-033675-00

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PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 15, 1883  
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DITCH NAME: NO. 2 DITCH

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-V-033675-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-033676-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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DWELLS: GOLDER DONALD J  
297 MIDDLE BEAR CREEK RD  
VICTOR MT 59875  
  
GOLDER HELEN I  
297 MIDDLE BEAR CREEK RD  
VICTOR MT 59875

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 01, 1877  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SESWSE 03 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: NO. 2 DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 (GOUT) 1 NENE 02 07N 21W RAVALLI  
002 (GOUT) 2 NENE 02 07N 21W RAVALLI  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76A-W-039676-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W039676-00, W039676-00.

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X TWP 04N RGE 21W, RAUALLI COUNTY. HOWEVER INFORMATION IN X  
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X TO THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE. X  
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-033681-00

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."

OWNERS:	HENDRICKSON	REX	E
	PO BOX 309		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840
	HENDRICKSON	CARLA	G
	PO BOX 309		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 30, 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: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				NWNE	19	07N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02				E2ENEW	19	07N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				NWNE	19	07N	20W	RAVALLI	
002				E2ENEW	19	07N	20W	RAVALLI	

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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  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-4-033682-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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			NT	59840
	HENDRICKSON PO BOX 309 HAMILTON	CARLA	G	
			NT	59840

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
 SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1882  
 TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREEED 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				NE	19	07N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02				SENE	19	07N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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

001				NE	19	07N	20W	RAVALLI
002				SENE	19	07N	20W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE  
RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF  
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-033683-00

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	PO BOX 309			
	HAMILTON		MT	59840
	HENDRICKSON	CARLA	G	
	PO BOX 309			
	HAMILTON		MT	59840

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

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIP OF FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 30, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: 340.00 GPM ( .76 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: 20.00

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		N	W	N	19	07	N	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
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TOTAL	20.00											

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-093683-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
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\* A FIELD INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED ON 08/21/90 FOUND \*  
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\* TOTAL HISTORICALLY IRRIGATED ACRES AND LAST YEAR OF \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-093684-00

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OWNERS: HENDRICKSON CARLA G  
PO BOX 309  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
HENDRICKSON REX E  
PO BOX 309  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1882  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 2.50 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 75.00

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									
02									

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
THOMPSON DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	40.00								
002	20.00								
003	5.00								
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-033684-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 100.00 \*  
\* MINER'S INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 724, RAVALLI \*  
\* COUNTY. W033684-00, W099822-00, W128470-00. \*  
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\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
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\* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 6.50 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
\* A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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\* A FIELD INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED ON 08/21/90 FOUND \*  
\* REMNANTS OF A DITCH SERVING THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE. \*  
\* TOTAL HISTORICALLY IRRIGATED ACRES AND LAST YEAR OF \*  
\* OPERATION WERE NOT DETERMINABLE. SEE CLAIM FILE FOR \*  
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OWNERS: LINGEL EDWARD W  
372 N KOOTENAI CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

LINGEL JEANETTE L  
372 N KOOTENAI CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: KOOTENAI CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1899  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 130.15 GPM ( .29 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: 11.61

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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

01 NW1/4 17 09N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: NO. 5 DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W033708-00, W033709-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/23/92.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
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\* THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 150 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1569, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W009776-00, W009860-00, W012056-00, W033708-00, \*  
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372 N KOOTENAI CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
LINGEL JEANNETTE L  
372 N KOOTENAI CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: KOOTENAI CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXISTENCE DATE: MAY 01, 1892  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREE 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 NWNWSE 17 09N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: NO. 5 DITCH

- \* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/23/92.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-U-033711-00

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OWNERS: MARSHALL MARILOU M  
5 MOUNTAIN VIEW DR  
VICTOR MT 59875  
  
MARSHALL HAROLD O  
5 MOUNTAIN VIEW DR  
VICTOR MT 59875

USE: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: SPRINKLER

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

ESTABLISHMENT DATE: JUNE 15, 1973  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: 85.00 GPM (.19 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: 5.00

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
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PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 5.00 ----- SESENE 30 08N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 5.00 -----

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OWNERS:	BAUGHN, JR	LAWRENCE	L
	383 MARIN LN		
	FLORENCE	MT	59893-6806
	BAUGHN	MARY	N
	383 MARIN LN		
	FLORENCE	MT	59893-6806

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SWEENEY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1871  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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

01 SENESW 21 10N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: HENDRICKSON DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-4-039736-00

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OWNERS: MILLS WILLIAM S  
360 FLEET ST  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
MILLS JOHNN  
360 FLEET ST  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: HAVES CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 23, 1937  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 170.00 GPM ( .98 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: 12.25

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SWNESE 05 04N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

THE NORTH FORK OF HAVES CREEK IS USED AS A NATURAL CARRIER TO CONVEY WATER DIVERTED FROM HAVES CREEK TO A SECONDARY POINT OF DIVERSION, WHICH IS THE DAVIS DITCH.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 10.60 E2NESE 04 04N 21W RAVALLI  
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TOTAL 12.25

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE PLACE OF USE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
04/12/93.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS \*  
\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
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\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
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\* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 4.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A \*  
\* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NOCS): 178-74, DATED 08/02/79, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 8.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A \*  
\* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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\* THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS \*  
\* FOR A FILED APPROPRIATION ON HAVES CREEK WITH A \*  
\* PRIORITY DATE POSTDATING CASE NO. 2269, RAVALLI \*  
\* COUNTY. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-D33743-00

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OWNER: PARKER MARVIN  
426 RICKETTS RD MT 59840  
HAMILTON

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

SOURCE: BLODGETT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXISTENCE DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 1.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 40.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK PTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SWSWE 16 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: FOURTH RIGHT DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK PTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 40.00 SESE 15 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 40.00

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/01/94.

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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-033744-00

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OWNERS: PARKER MARVIN  
426 RICKETTS RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE/USE: STOCK

\* SOURCE: WASTE & SEEPAGE, TRIB OF BITTERROOT RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 07, 1961  
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: OCTOBER 01 TO APRIL 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 S2E5E 15 06N 21W RAVALLI DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 S2E5E 15 06N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/01/94.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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OWNERS: OLSON CECEIL M  
PO BOX 1525  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1896  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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

- \* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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

01 SWS5W 21 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: PUTNAM DITCH

- \* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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

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REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

W033745-00, W033746-00.

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OWNERS: OLSON CECEIL M  
PO BOX 1525  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EFFICIENCY DATE: JUNE 01, 1896  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 112.00 GPM (.25 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: 3.00

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 SWSSEW 21 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: PUTNAM DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 3.00 SENWSE 21 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 3.00

REMARKS:

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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.  
W033745-00, W033746-00.

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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 FLOW RATE EXCEEDS THE 17 GPM PER ACRE \*  
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\* THE FLOW RATE EQUALS 37.33 GPM PER ACRE. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-033770-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

LOT BLK QTR SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS

01 SENEWE 01 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: NO. 1 DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

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TOTAL	10.83					

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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 10.83 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. W033770-00, W033773-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 07/21/86.  
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WATERRIGHT#NUMBER#76#-W-039772-00

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OWNER:	ARMSTRONG BETTY	L	
	1198 WESTLUND DR		
	LAS VEGAS	NU	89102
	ARMSTRONG JOHN	E	
	1198 WESTLUND DR		
	LAS VEGAS	NU	89102
	GAUDIN MELVIN	J	
	2429 PLEASANT VIEW DR		
	VICTOR	MT	59875
	GAUDIN EARLENE	R	
	2429 PLEASANT VIEW DR		
	VICTOR	MT	59875
	LAPINSKI MICHAEL		
	PO BOX 874		
	VICTOR	MT	59875
	LAPINSKI AGNES		
	PO BOX 874		
	VICTOR	MT	59875

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE OWNERSHIPS AFTER FINAL DECREE.

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1873  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 04

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SENEWE 01 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: NO. 1 DITCH

\* ELBCE DE USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 W2N2NW 31 08N 20W RAVALLI  
002 E2N2NW 31 08N 20W RAVALLI

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	LAS VEGAS		NU	89102
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PURPOSE USE: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1973  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 56.10 GPM ( .12 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: 10.83

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 04

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

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

----- LDI BLK DTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01                    GENWNE 01 07N 21W RAVALLI                    HEADGATE  
DITCH NAME: NO. 1 DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LDI BLK DTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001                    5.40                    W2NENW 31 08N 20W RAVALLI  
002                    5.43                    E2NWNW 31 08N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL                10.83

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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 10.83 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. W033770-00, W033773-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 07/21/86.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 07/27/89.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/05/92.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/28/96.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/21/96.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-039774-00

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OWNERS: BERK, II A DAVID  
411 BEAR CREEK RD  
VICTOR MT 59875

BERK KIMBERLY S  
411 BEAR CREEK RD  
VICTOR MT 59875

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1989  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 DIR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SWSNE 15 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: BLAIR DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK DIR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 E2NWN 19 07N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
01/05/82.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/28/94.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-033775-00

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OWNERS: BERK, II R DAVID  
411 BEAR CREEK RD MT 59975  
VICTOR  
BERK KIMBERLY S  
411 BEAR CREEK RD MT 59875  
VICTOR

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

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1883  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 112.20 GPM ( .25 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 SWSWNE 15 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: BLAIR DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 20.00 E2NWNW 13 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 20.00

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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01/05/82.

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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.  
W033774-00, W033775-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/28/94.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-033785-00

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OWNERS: WILLIAMS MICHAEL J  
RT 1 RIPPLING WOODS  
VICTOR MT 59075

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

SOURCE: BIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 01, 1882  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 79.70 GPM ( .18 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: 10.50

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO SEPTEMBER 24

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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

01 12 N2SWNE 18 08N 20W RAVALLI PUMP

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 10.50 12 N2SWNE 18 08N 20W RAVALLI

TOTAL ----- 10.50

REMARKS:

SUBD: RIPPLING WOODS

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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 THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE x  
x FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE x  
x SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 145 MINERS' x  
x INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1071, RAVALLI COUNTY. x  
x W004850-00, W009851-00, W026931-00, W030364-00, x  
x W033643-00, W033785-00, W045373-00, W045550-00, x  
x W147820-00, W147903-00, W177857-00, W177860-00. x  
x  
x FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON x  
x RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. x  
x  
x AS OF 05/17/95, THIS WATER RIGHT APPEARS TO BE OWNED x  
x BY THOMAS AND LINDA HEYES, 12 RIPPLING WOODS, VICTOR, x  
x MT 59675. 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. W004850-00, W004851-00, W009849-00, x  
x W009850-00, W009851-00, W030364-00, W033643-00, x  
x W033785-00, W045373-00, W045549-00, W045550-00, x  
x W115309-00, W147820-00, W147903-00, W177857-00, x  
x W177858-00, W177859-00, W177860-00, W151998-00, x  
x W151999-00, W152000-00. x  
x  
x THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) x  
x APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. x  
x  
x USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 179-124, DATED 08/02/79, x  
x APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036183-00

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OWNERS: BALDWIN CARL W  
 3529 SALISH TRAIL  
 STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
 BALDWIN CHERYL J  
 3529 SALISH TRAIL  
 STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
 SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1882  
 TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 2.50 CFS

\* VOLUME: THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.  
 CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 240.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		SENWNW	01	09N	21W		RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: LOWELL-BALDWIN A DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	160.00			SE	31	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	80.00			ESW	31	09N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	240.00							

REMARKS:

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026921	F 04	027630	D 07	028571	I 11
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036183-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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.  
W036183-00, W036198-00.

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 240.00 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.  
W036183-00, W036185-00, W036186-00, W036187-00, W036188-00.

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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 PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS \*  
\* FOR A FILED APPROPRIATION ON MCCALLA CREEK WITH A \*  
\* PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO. 971, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
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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 76H-U-036184-00

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."

OWNERS:	BALDWIN	CARL	W
	3529 SALISH TRAIL		
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870
	BALDWIN	RYAN	A
	3529 SALISH TRAIL		
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870
	BALDWIN	CHERYL	J
	3529 SALISH TRAIL		
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870

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

SOURCE: SKAGGS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 15, 1864  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: 340.00 GPM ( .76 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: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 20.00

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 N4W4SE 32 09N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 20.00 N4W4SE 32 09N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 20.00

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT, RATHER IT DECREASES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES. W036184-00, W036202-00.

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/28/93.

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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 76H-W-096185-00

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."

OWNERS: BALDWIN CARL W  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
BALDWIN CHERYL J  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: SPRING CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: OCTOBER 11, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 2.50 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 240.00

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 HWENW 01 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: LOWELL-BALDWIN A DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 160.00 SE 31 09N 20W RAVALLI  
002 80.00 E2SW 31 09N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 240.00

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE PERIOD OF USE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
10/23/95.

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.  
W036185-00, W036197-00.

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 240.00  
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.  
W036183-00, W036185-00, W036186-00, W036187-00,  
W036188-00.

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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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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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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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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 1-406-566-4364, OR BY WRITING TO  
P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036186-00

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."

OWNERS:	BALDWIN	CARL	W
	3529 SALISH TRAIL		
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870
	BALDWIN	CHERYL	J
	3529 SALISH TRAIL		
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870

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

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 01, 1887  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 224.40 GPM ( .50 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: 80.00

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					SENWNE	01	09N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: LOWELL-BALDWIN B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY		
001						S25E	31	09N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	80.00									

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 10/23/95: POINT OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE, MAXIMUM ACRES.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036187-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: BALDWIN CARL W  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
BALOWIN CHERYL J  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PERIOD OF ENTRY: MAY 01, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 1.50 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 80.00

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 SENWNE 01 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: LOWELL-BALOWIN B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 80.00 52SE 31 09N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 80.00

REMARKS:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 10/23/95: POINT OF DIVERSION, MAXIMUM ACRES AND PLACE OF USE.

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. W036187-00, W036195-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036100-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: BALDWIN CARL W  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
BALDWIN CHERYL J  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 01, 1887  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREEED

FLOW RATE: 2.50 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 76.00

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 SENVNE 01 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: LOWELL-BALDWIN B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 76.00 NESE 31 09N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 76.00

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036188-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 10/23/95: POINT OF DIVERSION, MAXIMUM ACRES AND PLACE OF USE.

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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 240.00 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. W036183-00, W036185-00, W036186-00, W036187-00, W036188-00.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76HX-W-036189-00

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3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
BALDWIN CHERYL J  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1883  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 1.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 40.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

PERIOD OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SENWNE 01 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: LOWELL-BALDWIN B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 40.00 ----- N2SW 32 09N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 40.00

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-096189-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 10/23/95: MAXIMUM ACRES AND PLACE OF USE.

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W096189-00, W096193-00.

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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  
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W096189-00, W096190-00.

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x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036190-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
BALDWIN CHERYL J  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 3.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 40.00

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 SENWNE 01 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: LOWELL-BALDWIN B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 40.00 ----- N25W 32 09N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 40.00

REMARKS:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W036190-00, W036192-00.

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W036189-00, W036190-00.

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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-U-096191-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS:	BALDWIN	CARL	W	
	3529 SALISH TRAIL			
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870	
	BALDWIN	RYAN	A	
	3529 SALISH TRAIL			
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870	
	BALDWIN	CHERYL	J	
	3529 SALISH TRAIL			
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870	

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

SOURCE: SILVERTHORN CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 15, 1864  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: 1.52 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: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 40.00

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						SESENW	32	09N	20W	RAUALLI	HEADGATE
02						SWSWE	32	09N	20W	RAUALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
FOUST A DITCH

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
FOUST B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	RANGE	TWP	S&E	COUNTY
001	20.00				S25WNE	34	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	20.00				N25WSE	34	09N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	40.00								

REMARKS:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/28/93.

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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036192-00

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3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
BALDWIN CHERYL J  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE USE: STOCK

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXISTENCE DATE: JUNE 01, 1989  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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					SENWNE	01	09N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: LOWELL-BALDWIN 8 DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY		
001						N2SW	32	09N	20W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE PLACE OF USE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
10/23/95.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H1-W-036192-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H3-W-036193-00

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STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
  
BALDWIN CHERYL J  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1883  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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 SEVNE 01 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: LOWELL-BALDWIN S DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 N2SW 32 09N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE PLACE OF USE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
10/23/95.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036193-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

12/18/97  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-036194-00

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."

OWNERS: BALDWIN CARL W  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
  
BALDWIN CHERYL J  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 01, 1887  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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 SENWNE 01 09N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: LOWELL-BALDWIN B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 N2SE 31 09N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 10/23/95: POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036194-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W036188-00, W036194-00.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

12/18/97  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036195-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS:	BALDWIN	CARL	W
	3529 SALISH TRAIL		
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870
	BALDWIN	CHERYL	J
	3529 SALISH TRAIL		
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1883  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

- \* 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 SENWNE 01 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: LOWELL-BALDWIN B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 525E 31 09N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 10/23/95: POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036195-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76HX-U-036196-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNER: BALDWIN CARL W  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
BALDWIN CHERYL J  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 01, 1897  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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 SENEWE 01 08N 21W RAVALLI HERDGRATE

DITCH NAME: LOWELL-BALDWIN B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 S2SE 31 09N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 10/25/95: POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLCE OF USE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036196-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036197-00

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3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
BALDWIN CHERYL J  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SPRING CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: OCTOBER 11, 1895  
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: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

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LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 NWENW 01 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: LOWELL-BALDWIN A DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 SE 31 09N 20W RAVALLI  
002 E25W 31 09N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036197-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

12/18/97  
PAGE 2,532

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-036198-00

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OWNERS: BALDWIN CARL W  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

BALDWIN CHERYL J  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1892  
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: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

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----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SENWNW 01 08N 21W R9VALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: LOWELL-BALDWIN A DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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

001 SE 31 09N 20W R9VALLI  
002 E2SW 31 09N 20W R9VALLI

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036198-00 (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. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS \*  
\* FOR A FILED RIGHT ON MCCALLA CREEK WITH A PRIORITY \*  
\* DATE PREDATING CASE NO. 971, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-096201-00

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OWNERS:	BALDWIN	CARL	W
	3529 SALISH TRAIL		
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870
	BALDWIN	RYAN	A
	3529 SALISH TRAIL		
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870
	BALDWIN	CHERYL	J
	3529 SALISH TRAIL		
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SILVERTHORN CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 15, 1864  
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				SE	SE	NW	32	09N 20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				S	S	W	32	09N 20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
FOUST A DITCH

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
FOUST B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036201-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

001	S25WNE	32	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	NENWSE	32	09N	20W	RAVALLI

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/26/93.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-096202-00

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OWNERS:	BALDWIN	CARL	W
	3529 SALISH TRAIL		
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870
	BALDWIN	RYAN	A
	3529 SALISH TRAIL		
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870
	BALDWIN	CHERYL	J
	3529 SALISH TRAIL		
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870

BUREAU USE: STOCK

SOURCE: SKAGGS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 15, 1864  
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 SURROUNDING THIS WATER SOURCE.

RESIDU DE USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

\_\_\_\_\_ LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MEANS \_\_\_\_\_  
01 N2NWSE 32 09N 20W RAVALLI DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

\_\_\_\_\_ ACRES \_\_\_\_\_ LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_  
001 N2NWSE 32 09N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/28/93.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036203-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: BAERTSCH JUDITH  
5131 SOMERS POINT RD  
MAYS LANDING NJ 08330-1696

BALDWIN PAMELA A  
270 KINGSWOOD AVE NW  
SALEM OR 97304

BALDWIN FLORENCE M  
\*\*\*DECEASED\*\*\*  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 00000

BALDWIN CARL W  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: SHARROTT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 11, 1902  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 8.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 631.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 15

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK Q18 SEC SEC TWO RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SENESW 19 09N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE  
02 SENESW 19 09N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
KENNEDY A DITCH

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
KENNEDY B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	35.00			SNW	29	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	320.00			SE	29	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003	231.00				30	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004	45.00			N2NE	32	09N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	631.00							

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 11/14/95: MAXIMUM ACRES AND PLACE OF USE.

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THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.  
W036203-00, W036212-00.

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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 835.00  
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  
W009740-00, W036203-00, W036205-00, W036206-00,  
W036207-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/15/87.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-U-036204-00

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OWNERS: BAERTSCH JUDITH  
5131 SOMERS POINT RD NJ 08330-1696  
MAYS LANDING

BALDWIN PAMELA A  
270 KINGSWOOD AVE NW OR 97304  
SALEM

BALDWIN FLORENCE M  
\*\*\*DECEASED\*\*\*  
3529 SALISH TRAIL MT 00000  
STEVENSVILLE

BALDWIN CARL W  
3529 SALISH TRAIL MT 59870  
STEVENSVILLE

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

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 17, 1896  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 151.47 GPM ( .34 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: 9.00

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 SENWNE 01 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: LOVELL-BALDWIN B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

001	3.00	SWSENE	31	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	5.00	SESWNE	31	09N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	9.00					

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 10/29/95: PLACE OF USE, FLOW RATE, MAXIMUM ACRES.

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W036204-00, W036210-00.

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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 PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS \*  
\* FOR A FILED APPROPRIATION ON MCCALLA CREEK WITH A \*  
\* PRIORITY DATE PREDATING CASE NO. 971, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BACIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-4-096205-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: BAERTSCH JUDITH  
5131 SOMERS POINT RD NJ 08330-1696  
MAYS LAND\*NG

BALDWIN PAMELA A  
270 KINGSWOOD AVE NW 97304  
SALEM OR

BALDWIN FLORENCE M  
\*\*\*DECREASED\*\*\*  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 00000

BALDWIN CARL W  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

\* SOURCE: KENNEDY GULCH  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 29, 1898  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: 1.25 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: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 33.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LDT BLK QIR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SESESW 32 09N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE  
02 NENENW 29 09N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
KENNEDY NO. 1 DITCH

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
KENNEDY NO. 2 DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	6.00		S25E5W	29	09N	20W	RAUALLI
002	12.00		W2NWE	32	09N	20W	RAUALLI
003	15.00		E2NENW	32	09N	20W	RAUALLI
TOTAL	33.00						

REMARKS:

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ON 12/23/95: PLACE OF USE AND MAXIMUM ACRES.

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W036205-00, W036211-00.

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ACRES. EACH RIGHT IS LIMITED TO THE FLOW RATE AND  
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W009740-00, W036203-00, W036205-00, W036206-00,  
W036207-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/15/87.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-U-036206-00

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OWNERS:

BAERTSCH	JUDITH		
5131 SOMERS POINT RD			
WAYS LANDING	NJ	08330-1696	
BALDWIN	PAMELA	A	
270 KINGSWOOD AVE NW			
SALEM	OR	97304	
BALDWIN	FLORENCE	M	
***DECEASED***			
3529 SALISH TRAIL			
STEVENSVILLE	MT	00000	
BALDWIN	CARL	W	
3529 SALISH TRAIL			
STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870	
BALDWIN	CHERYL	J	
3529 SALISH TRAIL			
STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870	

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

SOURCE: SILVERTHORN CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PROBABLE DATE: FEBRUARY 23, 1884  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 4.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 298.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK Q18 SEC 31 T2P RGE COUNTY MEANS -----

01	NWNNE	31	09N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02	NESNW	32	09N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
KENNEDY A DITCH

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
KENNEDY B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	80.00				N2NE	32	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	134.00				NW	32	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003	20.00				NESW	32	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004	4.00				NENSW	32	09N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	238.00								

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 02-07-91: MAXIMUM ACRES, PLACE OF USE.

THIS WATER RIGHT IS ASSOCIATED WITH WATER RIGHT NO. P077204-00. A PORTION OF THE PLACE OF USE OVERLAPS.

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/15/87.

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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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SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-8270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76Hx-W-036207-00

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 (CONRC) 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."

OWNERS:	BAERTSCH	JUDITH		
	5131 SOMERS POINT RD		NJ	08330-1696
	MAYS LANDING			
	BALDWIN	PAMELA	A	
	270 KINGSWOOD AVE NW		OR	97304
	SALEM			
	BALDWIN	CARL	W	
	3529 SALISH TRAIL		MT	59870
	STEVENSVILLE			
	BALDWIN	FLORENCE	M	
	***DECEASED***			
	3529 SALISH TRAIL		MT	00000
	STEVENSVILLE			

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

SOURCE: SHARROTT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1888  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 2.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 524.00

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			SENESEW	19	09N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02			SENESEW	19	09N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
KENNEDY A DITCH

\* B 04

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
KENNEDY B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001	34.00				S2N4	29	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	313.00							20W	RAVALLI
003	134.00				E2	30	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004	43.00				N2NE	32	09N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	524.00								

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 11/14/95; MAXIMUM ACRES AND PLACE OF USE.

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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.  
W036207-00, W036208-00.

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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 835.00  
ACRES. EACH RIGHT IS LIMITED TO THE FLOW RATE AND  
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AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.  
W009740-00, W036203-00, W036205-00, W036206-00,  
W036207-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/15/87.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT  
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SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: BAERTSCH JUDITH  
5131 SOMERS POINT RD  
MAYS LANDING NJ 08330-1696

BALDWIN PAMELA A  
270 KINGSWOOD AVE NW  
SALEM OR 97304

BALDWIN FLORENCE M  
\*\*\*DECREASED\*\*\*  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 00000

BALDWIN CARL W  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SHARROTT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1988  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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				SE	SW	19	09N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SE	SW	19	09N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
KENNEDY A DITCH

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
KENNEDY B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

-----ACRES-----	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				52N	29	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002				52	29	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003				50	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
004				N2NE	32	09N	20W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE PLACE OF USE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
11/14/95.

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W036207-00, W03620B-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/15/87.

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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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	5131 SOMERS POINT RD			
	MAYS LANDING	NJ		08330-1696
	BALDWIN	PAMELA	A	
	270 KINGSWOOD AVE NW			
	SALEM	OR		97304
	BALDWIN	FLORENCE	M	
	***DECEASED***			
	3529 SALISH TRAIL			
	STEVENSVILLE	MT		00000
	BALDWIN	CARL	W	
	3529 SALISH TRAIL			
	STEVENSVILLE	MT		59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SILVERTHORN CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: FEBRUARY 23, 1884  
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 SERVED 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				N4W	31	09N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				N4SW	32	09N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
KENNEDY A DITCH

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
KENNELLY B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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

001			N2NE	32	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002			E2NW	32	09N	20W	RAVALLI

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/15/87.

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OWNERS: BAERTSCH JUDITH  
5131 SOMERS POINT RD  
MAYS LANDING NJ 08330-1696

BALDWIN PAMELA \*

270 KINGSWOOD AVE NW  
SALEM OR 97304

BALDWIN FLORENCE M

\*\*\*DECEASED\*\*\*  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 00000

BALDWIN CARL W

3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

- \* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 17, 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 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 SENWNE 01 08N 21W RAUALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: LOWELL-BALDWIN B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76HX-U-036211-00

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MAYS LANDING NJ 08330-1696

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SALEM OR 97304

BALDWIN FLORENCE M  
\*\*\*DECEASED\*\*\*  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 00000

BALDWIN CARL W  
3529 SALISH TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

- \* SOURCE: KENNEDY GULCH  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 29, 1898  
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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	LOT BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01			SESEW	29	09N	20W	RAUALLI	HEADGATE
02			NENEW	32	09N	20W	RAUALLI	HEADGATE

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KENNEDY NO. 1 DITCH

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
KENNEDY NO. 2 DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	ROE	COUNTY
001				S2S6W	29	09N	20W		RAVALLI
002				W2N4E	32	09N	20W		RAVALLI
003				E2N4W	32	09N	20W		RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/15/87.

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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  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

12/18/97  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-036212-00

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."

OWNERS:	BAERTSCH	JUDITH		
	5131 SOMERS POINT RD			
	MAYS LANDING	NJ	08330-1696	
	BALDWIN	PAMELA	A	
	270 KINGSWOOD AVE NW	OR	97304	
	SALEM			
	BALDWIN	FLORENCE	M	
	***DECEASED***			
	3529 SALISH TRAIL	MT	00000	
	STEVENSVILLE			
	BALDWIN	CARL	W	
	3529 SALISH TRAIL	MT	59870	
	STEVENSVILLE			

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SHARROTT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 11, 1902  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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	OTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01						SENESW 19 09N 20W RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02						SENESW 19 09N 20W RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
KENNEDY A DITCH

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-V-036212-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
KENNEDY B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001			S2NW	29	09N	20W		RAVALLI
002			S2	29	09N	20W		RAVALLI
003			E2	30	09N	20W		RAVALLI
004			N2NE	32	09N	20W		RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE PLACE OF USE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
11/14/95.

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RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF  
THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.  
W036203-00, W036212-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/15/87.

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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

12/18/97  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-036215-00

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 (DNCR) 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."

OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
298 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1898  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* ELW BASE: 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			SWSWSW	32 10N	20W	RAUALLI		HEADGATE
02			SWSWSW	32 10N	20W	RAUALLI		HEADGATE
03			SESWSW	32 10N	20W	RAUALLI		HEADGATE
04			SESESE	32 10N	20W	RAUALLI		HEADGATE
05			SWSWSW	33 10N	20W	RAUALLI		HEADGATE
06			NESESW	33 10N	20W	RAUALLI		HEADGATE
07			NESESW	33 10N	20W	RAUALLI		HEADGATE
08			SESESE	33 10N	20W	RAUALLI		HEADGATE
09			SEMSW	34 10N	20W	RAUALLI		HEADGATE
10			NESESW	34 10N	20W	RAUALLI		HEADGATE
11			SWSWSE	34 10N	20W	RAUALLI		HEADGATE
12			SWSWSW	35 10N	20W	RAUALLI		HEADGATE
13			ESESE	33 10N	20W	RAUALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14			SW	34 10N	20W	RAUALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
15			SWSWSE	34 10N	20W	RAUALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76A-W-036215-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
CANYON DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
WINNETT DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
THOMPSON RUFFATO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
O'HARE DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
MCNICH DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
FERONATO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
JOHNSON A DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
JOHNSON B DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
CRUMP DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
LUBY (GRASS CREEK) DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001					NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002					NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003					NWNESE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004					NWSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005					SWSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006					WSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007					N2	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008					SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009					SESW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010					E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
011					NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
012					E2NW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
013					N2NE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
014					N2NW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
015					NE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
016					SENW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
017					E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
018					SESENE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
019					NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
020					E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
021					S2SE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
022					SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
023					S2NW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
024					N2SW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
025					N2SWSW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 11/08/95: POINTS OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036215-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 06/10/97; DECREED RIGHT AND FLOW RATE.

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THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.  
W036215-00, W036225-00.

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x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036216-00

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OWNERS: PUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1983  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREEED 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			SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02			SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03			SESESW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04			SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05			SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06			NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
07			NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
08			SESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
09			SESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
10			NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
11			SESESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
12			SWSWNW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
13			ESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14			SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
15			SWE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036216-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
CANYON DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
WIMMETT DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
THOMPSON RUFFATO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
D'HARE DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
MCINCH DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
FERONATO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
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PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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001					NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002					NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003					NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004					NWNESEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005					SWSESW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006					W2SW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007					NE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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009					S2SW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010					E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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013					NENE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
014					N2NW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
015					NE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
016					SE2W	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
017					E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
018					SESENE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
019					NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
020					E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
021					S2SE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
022					SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
023					SE2W	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
024					NE2W	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
025					N2SW2W	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 11/08/95: POINT OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-1-W-036216-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 764  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

12/18/97  
PAGE 2,568

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 764-W-036217-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 23, 1902  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
02	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
03	SESWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
04	SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
05	SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
06	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
07	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
08	SENESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
09	SEWSWS	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
10	NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
11	SWSESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
12	SWSWSW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
13	E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI				DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14	SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI				DIRECT FROM SOURCE
15	SWSE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI				DIRECT FROM SOURCE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
 MCWINDH DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
 FERONATO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
 JOHNSON A DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (GRASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001					NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002					NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003					NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004					NWSESW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005					SWSESW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006					W2SW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007					N2	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008					SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009					SESW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010					E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
011					NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
012					E2NW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
013					N2NE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
014					N2NW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
015					NE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
016					SENW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
017					E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
018					SESENE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
019					NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
020					E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
021					SESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
022					SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
023					SE2NW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
024					N2SW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
025					N2SWSW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
 ON 11/08/95: POINT OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-036217-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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.  
W036217-00, W036228-00.

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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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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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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 59711-0879.

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-036218-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

YOUR WATER RIGHT AS SHOWN ON THIS ABSTRACT MAY HAVE CHANGED 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 (DNCR) 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."

OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
230 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 20, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREEED

\* ELOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREEED 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	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
02	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
03	SESESW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
04	SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
05	SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
06	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
07	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
08	SESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
09	SESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
10	NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
11	SWESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
12	SWSWSW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
13	E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14	SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
15	SWESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI			DIRECT FROM SOURCE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-18-036218-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
 MCINCH DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
 FERNATO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
 JOHNSON A DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001					NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002					NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003					NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004					NWSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005					SWSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006					W2SW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007					N2	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008					SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009					S2SW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010					E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
011					NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
012					E2NW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
013					N2NE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
014					N2NW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
015					NE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
016					S2NW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
017					E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
018					SESENE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
019					NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
020					E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
021					S2SE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
022					SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
023					S2NW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
024					N2SW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
025					N2SWSW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
 ON 11/08/95: POINTS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036218-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W036218-00, W036229-00.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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WATER\*RIGHT\*NUMBER\*76H\*-W-036219-00

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."

OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 05, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREE 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				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03				SESWSE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05				SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
07				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
08				SENESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
09				SESWSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
10				NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
11				SWSESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
12				SWSWSW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
13				E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14				SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
15				SWSE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-4-096215-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WINNETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
 MCNINCH DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
 FERRARATO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
 JOHNSON A DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BRASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				NWNE	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
002				NWNE	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
003				NW	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
004				NWNESW	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
005				SWSW	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
006				WESW	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
007				N2	04	09N	20W RAVALLI
008				SE	04	09N	20W RAVALLI
009				S2SW	04	09N	20W RAVALLI
010				E2	05	09N	20W RAVALLI
011				NE	05	09N	20W RAVALLI
012				E2NW	08	09N	20W RAVALLI
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015				NE	33	10N	20W RAVALLI
016				S2NW	33	10N	20W RAVALLI
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REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
 ON 11/08/95: POINTS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036219-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W036219-00, W036231-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-036220-00

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."

OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXISTING DATE: SEPTEMBER 20, 1863  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREEED 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 CAPRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVED 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			SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02			SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03			SESWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04			SESSES	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05			SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06			NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
07			NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
08			SESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
09			SENWSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
10			NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
11			SWSSES	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
12			SWSWNW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
13			ESES	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14			SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036220-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
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 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003				NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004				NWNESE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005				SWSESW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006				W2SW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007				NE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008				SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009				S2SW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010				E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
011				NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
012				E2NW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
013				N2NE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
014				N2NW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
015				NE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
016				S2NW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
017				E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
018				SESENE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
019				NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
020				E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
021				S2SE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
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REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
 ON 11/08/95: POINTS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-036220-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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.  
W036220-00, W036230-00.

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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER\_RIGHT\_NUMBER\_76H\_0-036221-00

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

OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
239 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE\_USE: STOCK

SOURCE: KOOTENAI CREEK

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LDT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP BSE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 NWNWSW 17 09N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION  
PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 11/08/95.

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

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-03622-00

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."

OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 20, 1893  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* ELWD RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM.

\* VOLUDE: 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.

REBIDD DE USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01			SWSWSW	32 10N 20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
02			SWSWSW	32 10N 20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
03			SESESW	32 10N 20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
04			SESESE	32 10N 20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
05			SWSWSW	33 10N 20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
06			NESESW	33 10N 20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
07			NESESW	33 10N 20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
08			SESESE	33 10N 20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
09			SESWSW	34 10N 20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
10			NESESW	34 10N 20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
11			SWSWSW	34 10N 20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
12			SWSWNW	35 10N 20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
13			ERSE	33 10N 20W	RAVALLI			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14			SW	34 10N 20W	RAVALLI			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
15			SWSW	34 10N 20W	RAVALLI			DIRECT FROM SOURCE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
 BASIN 76H  
 ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-096222-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
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 FERONATO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
 JOHNSON A DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	SGE	COUNTY	
001					NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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003					NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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007					N2	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008					SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009					SESW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010					E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
011					NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
012					E2NW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
013					N2NE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
014					N2NW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
015					NE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
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018					SESENE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
019					NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
020					E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
021					SESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
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REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
 ON 11/08/95: POINTS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 764  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 764-W-036222-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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.  
W036222-00, W036233-00.

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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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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-036223-00

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."

OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 10, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREEED

- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREEED 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	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
02		SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
03		SESESW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
04		SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
05		SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
 BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036223-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
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PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
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002				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003				NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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005				SWSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006				WSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007				N2	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008				SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009				SESW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010				E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-036223-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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.  
W036223-00, W036234-00.

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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 THIS CLAIM APPEARS TO BE DUPLICATED BY CLAIM NO. x  
x W102197-00 WHICH IS BASED ON THE SAME DECREE RIGHT. x  
x IT APPEARS ONLY ONE WATER RIGHT IS INVOLVED. x  
x x  
x \*\*\*\*\*

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTEFROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036224-00

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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."

**OWNER:** RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
298 BASS CREEK RD MT 59870  
STEVENSVILLE

**EMBEDDING USE:** STOCK

**SOURCE:** BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

**PRIORITY DATE:** MAY 10, 1883  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* **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	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
02	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
03	SESESW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
04	SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
05	SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
06	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
07	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
08	SESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
09	SESWSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
10	NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
11	SWSESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
12	SWSWSW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
13	E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI				DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14	SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI				DIRECT FROM SOURCE
15	SWSE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI				DIRECT FROM SOURCE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
 MCNINCH DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
 FERONATO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
 JOHNSON A DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BRASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIV	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001			NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002			NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003			NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004			NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005			SWSE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006			W2SW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007			N2	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008			SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009			SESE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010			E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
011			NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
012			E2NW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
013			N2NE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
014			N2NW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
015			NE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
016			S2NW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
017			E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
018			SESENE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
019			NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
020			E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
021			SESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
022			SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
023			S2NW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
024			N2SW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
025			N2SW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
 ON 11/08/95: POINTS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-V-036224-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W036224-00, W036235-00.

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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 76H-W-036225-00

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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OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PROBRIY DATE: APRIL 01, 1898  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 336.60 GPM ( .75 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: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 19

POINTS OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
02		SWSWSU	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
03		SESESW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
04		SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
05		SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
06		NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
07		NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
08		SESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
09		SEWSWS	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
10		NENESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
11		SSESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
12		SWSWNW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
CANYON DITCH

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-036225-002 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
 MCNINCH DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
 FERONATO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
 JOHNSON A DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE EGR INSTALLATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QT	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	19.00			NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	35.00			NENW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003	40.00			NWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004	24.00			SENE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005	40.00			SWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006	1.00			NWNESEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007	28.00			NWSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008	1.00			SWSESEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009	35.00			SWSW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010	160.00			NE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
011	160.00			NW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
012	157.00			SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
013	80.00			SESW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
014	308.00			E	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
015	160.00			NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
016	21.00			NENW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
017	22.00			SENE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
018	80.00			NENE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
019	26.00			NENW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
020	40.00			NWNW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
021	36.00			NENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
022	40.00			NWNE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
023	80.00			SENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
024	40.00			SENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
025	32.00			SWNW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
026	36.00			NESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
027	40.00			SESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
028	80.00			EENE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
029	38.00			NWNW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
030	40.00			SWNW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
031	1.00			EENESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
032	19.00			SWSE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
033	40.00			NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
034	38.00			SESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
035	80.00			WSEW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
036	14.00			SESENE	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI

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SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4964, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036227-00

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."

OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXIGENCY DATE: APRIL 01, 1863  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 1.45 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: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03				SESESW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05				SWSWSW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
07				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
08				SENESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
09				SENWSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
10				NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
11				SWESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
12				SWSWNW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
CANYON DITCH

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H W-036227-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMET DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
 MCNICH DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
 FERONATO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
 JOHNSON A DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

TRANSITORY PUMP IS SECONDARY MEANS OF DIVERSION.

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	19.00		NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
002	35.00		NENW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
003	40.00		NWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
004	24.00		SENW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
005	40.00		SWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
006	1.00		NWNESEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
007	28.00		NWSW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
008	3		SWSSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
009	35.00		SWSW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
010	160.00		NE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
011	160.00		NW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
012	157.00		SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
013	80.00		S2SW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
014	308.00		E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
015	160.00		NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
016	21.00		NENW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
017	22.00		SENW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
018	80.00		NENE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
019	26.00		NENW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
020	40.00		NWNW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
021	36.00		NENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
022	40.00		NWNE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
023	80.00		SENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
024	40.00		SENW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
025	32.00		SWNW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
026	36.00		NESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
027	40.00		SESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

035	80.00	W25W	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
036	14.00	S25NW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
037	29.00	NW5W	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	2,122.00					

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 11/08/95: POINTS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE, MAXIMUM ACRES, PERIOD OF USE, VOLUME.

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. W036216-00, W036227-00.

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 2,217.00 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. W036225-00, W036227-00, W036228-00, W036229-00, W036230-00, W036231-00, W036233-00, W036234-00, W036235-00, W049635-00, W049637-00, W049638-00, W049639-00, W049640-00, W049641-00, W049642-00, W049643-00, W049644-00, W049645-00, W049646-00, W049647-00, W049648-00, W049649-00, W049650-00, W049651-00, W102204-00, W102207-00, W102208-00, W102209-00, W102210-00, W102211-00, W102212-00, W107917-00, W107918-00, W107919-00, W107920-00, W107921-00.

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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\_76H-W-036228-00

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OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY\_DATE: AUGUST 23, 1902  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW\_RATE: 2.73 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: 2,217.00

PERIOD\_OF\_USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT\_OF\_DIVERSION\_AND\_MEANS\_OF\_DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03				SESWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-036228-002 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
 MCINCH DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
 FERONATO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
 JOHNSON A DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	19.00			NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	35.00			NENW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003	40.00			NWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004	24.00			SENE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005	40.00			SWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006	1.00			NWNESE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007	28.00			NWSW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008	3.00			SUSESW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009	35.00			SUSW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010	160.00			NE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
011	160.00			NW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
012	157.00			SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
013	80.00			S2SW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
014	308.00			E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
015	44.00			E2NW	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
016	51.00			E2SW	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
017	160.00			NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
018	21.00			NENW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
019	22.00			SENE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
020	80.00			N2NE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
021	26.00			NENW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
022	40.00			NWNW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
023	36.00			NENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
024	40.00			NWNE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
025	80.00			S2NE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
026	40.00			SENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
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032	38.00			NWNW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
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034	19.00			SWSE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
035	40.00			NESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
036	38.00			SESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

037	80.00	W25W	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
038	14.00	S25WNW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
039	29.00	NWSW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	2,217.00					

REMARKS:

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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036229-00

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."

OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
239 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 20, 1883  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 3.50 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: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03				SESWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05				SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036229-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WINNETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
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 LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
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PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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001	19.00			NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H2-W-036229-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

Q37 ----- 23.00 NWSW 35 10N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 2,122.00

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W036225-00, W036227-00, W036228-00, W036229-00,  
W036230-00, W036231-00, W036233-00, W036234-00,  
W036235-00, W049635-00, W049637-00, W049638-00,  
W049639-00, W049640-00, W049641-00, W049642-00,  
W049643-00, W049645-00, W049646-00,  
W049647-00, W049648-00, W049649-00, W049650-00,  
W049651-00, W102204-00, W102207-00, W102208-00,  
W102209-00, W102210-00, W102211-00, W102212-00,  
W107917-00, W107918-00, W107919-00, W107920-00,  
W107921-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036230-00

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."

OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE\_USE: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 20, 1883  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 1.75 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03				SESESW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05				SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
07				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
08				SESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
09				SESNWS	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
10				NENESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
11				SWSESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
12				SWSWNW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
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 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76A-U-036230-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
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PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	19.00			NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	35.00			NENW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003	40.00			NWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004	24.00			SENE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005	40.00			SWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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007	28.00			NWSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008	3.00			SWSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009	35.00			SWSW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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020	40.00			NWNW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
021	36.00			NENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
022	40.00			NWNE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
023	80.00			S2NE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
024	40.00			SENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
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029	38.00			NWNW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
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034	38.00			SESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
035	80.00			W2SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
036	14.00			S2SW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-096230-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

037	29.00	NWSW	35	10H	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	2,122.00					

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036231-00

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OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59670

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 05, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 394.94 GPM ( .88 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: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
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03	SESESW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
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06	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
07	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

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001	19.00				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	35.00				NENW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003	40.00				NWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004	24.00				SEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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017	22.00				SEW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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027	40.00				SESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
028	80.00				E2NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
029	38.00				NWNW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
030	40.00				SWNW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
031	1.00				E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
032	19.00				SESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
033	40.00				NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
034	38.00				SESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
035	80.00				W2SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
036	14.00				S2SW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036231-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

037	29.00	NWSW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	2,122.00					

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-D-096232-00

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

OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION

SOURCE: KOOTENAI CREEK

EXPIRY DATE:

ELOW RATE:

VOLUME:

MAXIMUM ACRES:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 NWNW 17 09N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION  
PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 11/08/95.

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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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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036233-00

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238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 20, 1883  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 1.75 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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03	SESWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			
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07	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
 BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036293-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-036233-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

037 29.00  
TOTAL 2,122.00

NWSW 35 10N 20W RAVALLI

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036234-00

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OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
239 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 10, 1883  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 112.20 GPM ( .25 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: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE		
02	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE		
03	SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE		
04	SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE		
05	SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE		
06	NESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE		
07	NESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE		
08	SESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE		
09	SWSWSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE		
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11	SWSESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE		
12	SWSWNW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE		

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
CANYON DITCH

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
WIMMETT DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
O'HARE DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
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CRUMP DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
LUBY (BRASS CREEK) DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001	19.00				NONE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	35.00				NENE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003	40.00				NUNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004	24.00				SENE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005	40.00				SWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006	1.00				NWNESE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007	28.00				NWSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008	3.00				SWSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009	35.00				SWSW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010	160.00				NE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
011	160.00				NW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
012	157.00				SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
013	80.00				S2SW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
014	308.00				E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
015	160.00				NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
016	21.00				NENW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
017	22.00				SENE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
018	80.00				NENE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
019	26.00				NENW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
020	40.00				NUNW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
021	36.00				NENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
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023	80.00				SENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
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025	32.00				SWNW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
026	36.00				NESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
027	40.00				SESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
028	80.00				E2NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
029	38.00				NUNW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
030	40.00				SWNW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
031	1.00				E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
032	19.00				SWSE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
033	40.00				NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
034	38.00				SESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
035	80.00				W2SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
036	14.00				S2SW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

037 ----- 29.00 NWSW 35 10N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 2,122.00

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 11/08/95: POINTS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE, MAXIMUM ACRES.

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. W036223-00, W036234-00.

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 2,217.00 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.  
W036225-00, W036227-00, W036228-00, W036229-00,  
W036230-00, W036231-00, W036232-00, W036233-00,  
W036234-00, W036235-00, W049635-00, W049637-00, W049638-00,  
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W049651-00, W102204-00, W102207-00, W102208-00,  
W102209-00, W102210-00, W102211-00, W102212-00,  
W107917-00, W107918-00, W107919-00, W107920-00,  
W107921-00.

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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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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 76H2-W-036235-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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239 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 10, 1883  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 3.58 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: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03				SESWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05				SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
07				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
08				SENESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
09				SENWSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
10				NENESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
11				SWSSEW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
12				SWSWNW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
CANYON DITCH

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036235-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
WIMMETT DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
O'HARE DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
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FERONATO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
JOHNSON A DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
JOHNSON B DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
CRUMP DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
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	ACRES	LOT	BLK	TR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
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002	35.00				NENW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003	40.00				NWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

037 ----- 29.00  
TOTAL -- 2,122.00

NWSW 35 10N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
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MAXIMUM ACRES, PERIOD OF USE, VOLUME.

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W036224-00, W036235-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H3-W-036271-00

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OWNERS: CHAMPLIN MALCOM E  
6229 E 24TH ST OK 74114  
TULSA

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

SOURCE: WASTE & SEEPAGE, TRIB OF BITTERROOT RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 10, 1920  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: 28.90 GPM (.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: 1.70

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 SWSE 23 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 1.70 SWSWSW 24 06N 21W RAVALLI

TOTAL 1.70

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-C36273-00

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OWNER: FITE MARABETH A  
309 FITE LN  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
FITE VIRGIL L  
309 FITE LN  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE [USE]: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1872  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 157.08 GPM ( .95 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: 40.00

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									
02									

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
DOWNING A DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	40.00 (GOUT)								
TOTAL	40.00								

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036273-00 (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 40.00 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.  
W036273-00, W104576-00.

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

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 079, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-V-036280-00

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."

OWNERS: GREER CASSIE A  
RT 1 BOX 67K  
VICTOR MT 59875

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SHEAFMAN CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1885  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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 NENWNW 28 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

READ SPRINGS IS USED AS A NATURAL CARRIER TO CONVEY WATER DIVERTED FROM SHEAFMAN CREEK TO A SECONDARY POINT OF DIVERSION IN THE NENENE OF SEC 28 TWP 07N RGE 21W, RAVALLI COUNTY.

DITCH NAME: NO. 3 AND NO. 5 DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 SWSWSE 22 07N 21W RAVALLI  
002 SESESW 22 07N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036280-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W036280-00, W036281-00.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036281-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: GREER CASSIE A  
RT 1 BOX 67K  
VICTOR MT 59075

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

SOURCE: SHEAFMAN CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1885  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 40.39 GPM ( .09 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: 6.80

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 NENNW 28 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

READ SPRINGS IS USED AS A NATURAL CARRIER TO CONVEY WATER DIVERTED FROM SHEAFMAN CREEK TO A SECONDARY POINT OF DIVERSION IN THE NENENE OF SEC 28 TWP 07N RGE 21W, RAVALLI COUNTY.

DITCH NAME: NO. 3 AND NO. 5 DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 3.40 SWSSE 22 07N 21W RAVALLI  
002 3.40 SESESW 22 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 6.80

REMARKS:

\* C 09

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-036281-00 (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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-V-096282-00

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."

OWNERS:	BERGESON	KENNETH	L
	BOX 44		
	FLORENCE	MT	59833
	BERGESON	CINDY	S
	BOX 44		
	FLORENCE	MT	59833

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

\* SOURCE: LARRY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1880  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 56.10 GPM ( .12 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: 5.00

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						33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: PETERS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

-----	ACRES	-----	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	-----	
001	5.00							SUNNISE	27	10N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	5.00											

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H1-W-036282-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 12/03/90.

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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 WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 51 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 306, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W005611-00, W017870-00, W025708-00, W150827-00, \*  
\* W036282-00, W0493175-00, W147278-00, W147584-00, \*  
\* W149861-00, W150106-00. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-038469-00

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."

OWNER: BITTERROOT PRECUT INC  
PO BOX 1510  
HAMILTON MT 59840-1510

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

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXPIRIETY DATE: APRIL 01, 1985  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 95.97 GPM (.21 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: 25.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 20 TO OCTOBER 24

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				SENEW	31	08N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SWNNE	06	07N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
KEHDE B DITCH

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
KUSTER B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	25.00				SWSE	31	08N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	25.00								

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-038469-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W038469-00, W038471-00.

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/18/87.

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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H3-V-038470-00

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OWNERS: BITTERROOT PRECUT INC  
PO BOX 1510  
HAMILTON MT 59840-1510

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

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXPIRY DATE: APRIL 01, 1880  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 224.40 GPM (.50 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: 25.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 20 TO OCTOBER 24

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	SENESW	31	08N	20W				RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02	SUNWNE	06	07N	20W				RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
KEHOE B DITCH

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
KUSTER B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	25.00								
TOTAL	25.00								SWSE 31 08N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-038470-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/18/87.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-098471-00

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."

OWNER: BITTERROOT PRECUT INC  
PO BOX 1510  
HAMILTON MT 59840-1510

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EFFICIENCY DATE: APRIL 01, 1885  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 YEARS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01						31	08N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02						30N	07N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
KENDE B DITCH

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
KUSTER B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001							31	08N	20W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATERRIGHTNUMBER#76H#-W-038471-00#(CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/18/87.

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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-038472-00

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ADDRES: BITTERROOT PRECUT INC  
PO BOX 1510  
HAMILTON MT 59840-1510

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EFFICIENCY DATE: APRIL 01, 1980  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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				SENESEW	31	08N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SWNWE	06	07N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
KEHDE B DITCH

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
KUSTER B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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

001				SWSE	31	08N	20W	RAVALLI	
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-040200-00

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."

OWNER: HAYNE L RICHARD  
35 PEAR COURT HILLSBOROUGH CA 94010  
HAYNE CINDI D  
35 PEAR COURT HILLSBOROUGH CA 94010

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

SOURCE: SWEENEY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1885  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 1.25 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 89.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SESE 20 10N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: DINSMORE DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	67.00				S29E	21	10N	20W	RAVALLI
002	22.00				SE9W	21	10N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	89.00								

REMARKS:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
07/05/95.

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  
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THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.  
W040200-00, W040202-00.

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MENTAL WHICH MEANS THE RIGHTS HAVE OVERLAPPING PLACES  
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OVERLAPPING PARCELS OF THE CLAIMANT'S TOTAL 89.00  
ACRES. EACH RIGHT IS LIMITED TO THE FLOW RATE AND  
PLACE OF USE OF THAT INDIVIDUAL RIGHT. THE SUM TOTAL  
VOLUME THESE WATER RIGHTS SHALL EXCEED THE  
AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.  
W040200-00, W040201-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/15/88.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/01/85.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/25/95.

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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 WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 50 W/NER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 933, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W025738-00, W040200-00. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-040201-00

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OWNERS: HAYNE L RICHARD  
35 PEAR COURT  
HILLSBOROUGH CA 94010  
HAYNE CINDI D  
35 PEAR COURT  
HILLSBOROUGH CA 94010

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

SOURCE: SWEENEY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1882  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 1.15 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: 89.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		SENESE	20	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: DINSMORE DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	67.00		S2SE	21	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
002	22.00		SESW	21	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
TOTAL	89.00							

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76A-U-040201-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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07/05/95.

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W040201-00, W040203-00.

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W040200-00, W040201-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/15/82.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/01/85.  
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X SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE SO MINER'S  
X INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 939, RAVALLI COUNTY.  
X W025740-00, W040201-00, W107657-00.  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-040202-00

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35 PEAR COURT  
HILLSBOROUGH CA 94010  
HAYNE CINDI D  
35 PEAR COURT  
HILLSBOROUGH CA 94010

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SWEENEY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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 NOVEMBER 04

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LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 GENESE 20 10N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE  
DITCH NAME: DINSMORE DITCH

- \* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 SWSWSE 21 10N 20W RAVALLI  
002 SESW 21 10N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-040202-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76Hx-W-040203-00

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."

OWNERS: HAYNE L RICHARD  
35 PEAR COURT  
HILLSBOROUGH CA 94010  
HAYNE CINDI D  
35 PEAR COURT  
HILLSBOROUGH CA 94010

PURPOSE [USE]: STOCK

SOURCE: SWEENEY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1882  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 NOVEMBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK DTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SENESE 20 10N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: DINSMORE DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK DTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SVSWSE 21 10N 20W RAVALLI  
002 SESW 21 10N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-040203-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W040201-00, W040203-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/15/82.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/01/85.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/25/95.

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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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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."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-040291-00

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."

OWNERS: BLUE JIM  
258 SHEAFMAN CREEK RD  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 15, 1899  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 112.20 GPM (.25 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: 10.00

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 NWNEW 24 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: THOMPSON DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 4.00 SESUSE 24 07N 21W RAVALLI  
002 6.00 SWSUSE 24 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 10.00

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

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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.  
W040291-00, W040292-00.

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 10.00  
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.  
W040291-00, W040293-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/29/85.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/08/92.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/14/93.

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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 RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) \*  
\* INDICATES THE THOMPSON DITCH DOES NOT REACH THE \*  
\* CLAIMED PLACE OF USE. \*  
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\* THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 10.00 \*  
\* MINER'S INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 724, RAVALLI \*  
\* COUNTY. W040291-00, W136895-00. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 179-120, DATED 08/02/79, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 2.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
\* A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY FIELD NOTES \*  
\* (1957) APPEAR TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED BY \*  
\* THIS RIGHT. THE FIELD NOTES INDICATE THAT THE JONAS \*  
\* JOHNSON DECREED RIGHT OUT OF FRED BURR CREEK. (RAVALLI \*  
\* COUNTY CASE NO. 724) WAS NOT IN USE AT THE TIME OF THE \*  
\* SURVEY. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE MAXIMUM COMBINED ACRES FOR THIS GROUP OF \*  
\* SUPPLEMENTAL CLAIMS MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION PENDING \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM IRRIGATED ACRES ISSUE. \*  
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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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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: BLUE JIM  
258 SHEAFMAN CREEK RD  
VICTOR MT 59875

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 15, 1893  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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 NWNW 24 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: THOMPSON DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 S2SW 24 07N 21W RAVALLI

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-040292-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

W040291-00, W040292-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/29/85.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/08/92.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-V-040293-00

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OWNERS: BLUE JIM  
259 SHEAFMAN CREEK RD  
VICTOR MT 59075

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

SOURCE: BOURNE GULCH  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1892  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: 170.00 GPM ( .98 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: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01				SESWSW	24	07N	21W	RAVALLI	PUMP
02				SESESW	24	07N	21W	RAVALLI	PUMP

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
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001	4.00				SESWSW	24	07N	21W	RAVALLI
002	6.00				SESESW	24	07N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	10.00								

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W040291-00, W040293-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/29/85.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/08/92.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/14/93.

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\* \* \* \* \*  
\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 179-120, DATED 08/02/79, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 5.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
\* A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 5.00 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 \*  
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WATER\_RIGHT\_NUMBER\_76H-W-040349-00

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."

OWNERS:	RAUCH	MARY	H
	662 BEAR CREEK RD		
	VICTOR	MT	59875
	ODMARK CO		
	1010 UNIVERSITY AVE SUITE 201	CA	92103
	SAN DIEGO		
	MARKETTE	DAVID	T
	PO BOX 939		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840
	MARKETTE	DEIDRA	C
	PO BOX 939		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE OWNERSHIPS AFTER FINAL DECREE.

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

SOURCE: CROOKED CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY\_DATE: MAY 14, 1887  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW\_RATE: 3.30 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: 132.00

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 NUNWSE 10 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

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BASIN 76H  
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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME: L. BISHOP B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	52.00				E2SE	10	07N	21W	RAVALLI
002	80.00				W2SW	11	07N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	132.00								

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 132.00 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. W040349-00, W136828-00, W148186-00, W148187-00, W148188-00, B214871-00, B215902-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/15/87.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/10/92.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/19/94.

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 \* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
 \* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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 \* USE OF THE L BISHOP B DITCH TO CONVEY WATER TO THE \*  
 \* PLACE OF USE IS QUESTIONABLE. THE RAVALLI COUNTY \*  
 \* WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) DOES NOT SHOW THIS DITCH \*  
 \* EXTENDING TO THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE. \*  
 \* \* \* \* \*  
 \* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON \*  
 \* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
 \* \* \* \* \*  
 \* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 179-66, DATED 08/02/79, \*  
 \* APPEARS TO INDICATE 92.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A \*  
 \* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
 \* \* \* \* \*  
 \* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) \*  
 \* APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED BY WATER FROM \*  
 \* THE CLAIMED SOURCE. \*  
 \* \* \* \* \*  
 \* 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 76H3-W-040590-00

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OWNERS:	H AUGAN	JOHN	F	
	312 W HASTINGS RD			
	SPOKANE	WA	99218	
	H AUGAN	RUBY	E	
	312 W HASTINGS RD			
	SPOKANE	WA	99218	
	HAYNE	L RICHARD		
	35 PEAR COURT			
	HILLSBOROUGH	CA	94010	
	HAYNE	CINDI	D	
	35 PEAR COURT			
	HILLSBOROUGH	CA	94010	
	JACOBSON	DEWAYNE		
	619 DOUBLE EAGLE RD			
	FLORENCE	MT	59833-6724	
	JACOBSON	SHIRLEY	A	
	619 DOUBLE EAGLE RD			
	FLORENCE	MT	59833-6724	

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE OWNERSHIPS AFTER FINAL DECREE.

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

SOURCE: SWEENEY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 15, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 1.25 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 50.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION: \* C 11

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01				SENESE	21	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SENESE	21	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03				SENESE	21	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
HOLDEN-BOLTZ DITCH

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
HENDRICKSON DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY		
001				3.00		NESE	21	10N	20W	RAVALLI
002				25.00		NWSE	21	10N	20W	RAVALLI
003				18.00		NESE	21	10N	20W	RAVALLI
004				4.00		NWSE	21	10N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL				50.00						

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/27/94.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/25/95.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO(S) 179-128, DATED 08/02/79, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 39.90 ACRES IRRIGATED. A \*  
\* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1950) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 20.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A \*  
\* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-040530-00 (CONTINUED)

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WATER\_RIGHT\_NUMBER: 76A-B-040734-00

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OWNERS: KELLEHER FAMILY TRUST  
% DONALD J & DONNA B KELLEHER  
1543 5TH AVE  
SAN RAFAEL CA 94901

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

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BITTERROOT RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 15, 1951  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

CLAIM FILED LATE 04/22/83. THIS CLAIM IS SUBORDINATE  
TO ALL FEDERAL AND INDIAN RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND  
ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW.

FLOW RATE: 600.00 GPM

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 140.00

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO DECEMBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01								NESESW 24 10N 20W RAVALLI	DIKE
02								NENESW 24 10N 20W RAVALLI	PUMP

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	40.00							SWNW 24 10N 20W RAVALLI	
002	100.00							SW 24 10N 20W RAVALLI	
TOTAL	140.00								

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS ASSOCIATED WITH WATER RIGHT NO.  
POB7709-00. THEY HAVE OVERLAPPING PLACES OF USE.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/28/90.

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\* 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. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* CLAIM FILED LATE 04/22/89. IN ADDITION TO BEING \*  
\* SUBORDINATE TO ALL FEDERAL AND INDIAN RESERVED RIGHTS \*  
\* AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW, \*  
\* THIS CLAIM MAY ALSO BE SUBORDINATE TO CERTAIN PERMITS \*  
\* AND RESERVATIONS OF WATER. SEE SECTION 85-2-221 \*  
\* MONTANA CODE ANNOTATED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NOCS). 179-134 DATED 08/02/79 \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 76.90 ACRES IRRIGATED. A \*  
\* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-043175-00

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OWNER: POLLEY CLAUDE  
492 WHISPERING PINE RD  
FLORENCE MT 59033

POLLEY BETTY J  
492 WHISPERING PINE RD  
FLORENCE MT 59033

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

\* SOURCE: LARRY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1880  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 56.10 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: 5.00

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 NENENE 33 10N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: PETERS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 5.00 6A SWNWSE 27 10N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 5.00

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76K-W-043176-00

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OWNERS: ATWOOD LILLIAN  
2029 MERIDIAN RD MT 59875  
VICTOR  
ATWOOD MANUEL F  
2029 MERIDIAN RD MT 59875  
VICTOR

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

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, SOUTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1887  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 215.99 GPM (.48 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: 19.25

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 SWSWSW 06 07N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: BLAIR DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 19.25  
TOTAL ----- 19.25 E2SW 06 07N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
11/02/81.

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 19.25 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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\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 40 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1337, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W000849-00, W021161-00, W043176-00, W043247-00, \*  
\* W149977-00, W150091-00. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 576H2-W-043177-00

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DWERS:	ATWOOD	LILLIAN		
	2029 MERIDIAN RD		MT	59875
	VICTOR			
	ATWOOD	MANUEL	F	
	2029 MERIDIAN RD		MT	59875
	VICTOR			

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

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, SOUTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1904  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 215.99 GPM ( .48 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: 19.25

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			SWSW	06	07N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: BLAIR DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001	19.25					E2SW	06	07N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	19.25									

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
11/02/81.

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W043176-00, W043177-00.

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\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1327, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W021162-00, W043177-00, W043246-00, W149978-00. \*  
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OWNERS: BELEW ANITA L  
PO BOX 1402  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
BELEW CLIFFORD N  
PO BOX 1402  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: ROARING LION CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1897  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 108.00 GPM (.24 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: 9.78

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 SENENE 16 05N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: DECKER DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 9.78 SWW 14 05N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 5.78

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-X-U-043176-00 (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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\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH (NCCS). 179-72, DATED 08/02/79, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 4.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A \*  
\* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-V-049181-00

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OWNERS: MACKAY-MEAD      MARILYN      E  
         224 CATTLE DR  
         VICTOR                              MT      59875  
  
         MEAD                              DAVID      J  
         224 CATTLE DR  
         VICTOR                              MT      59875

PURPOSE USE: IRRIGATION  
                 TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE:                      MCCALLA CREEK  
                 SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXISTENCE DATE: APRIL 01, 1880  
                 TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE:                      62.89 GPM ( .14 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:                      8.00

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                                      N59NE 01 08N 21W RAVALLI                                      HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: DAUENPORT DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001                                      8.00                                      S44NW5E 06 08N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL                                      8.00

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-043181-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W043181-00, W043184-00.

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 8.00 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. W043181-00, W043182-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/21/90.

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X 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. X

X THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT WERE FILED BY DIFFERENT PARTIES WHO CLAIM OVERLAPPING PLACES OF USE. W043181-00, W043182-00, W043183-00, W043184-00, W151475-00, W151476-00, W153874-00, W153875-00, W169813-00, W181914-00. X

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76K2-W-043182-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNER:	MACKAY-MEAD	MARILYN	E
	224 CATTLE DR		
	VICTOR	MT	59875
	MEAD	DAVID	J
	224 CATTLE DR		
	VICTOR	MT	59875

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

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1876  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREEED

FLOW RATE: 13.46 GPM ( .03 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: 8.00

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						01	08N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: DRAVENPORT DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

-----	ACRES	-----	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	-----
001	8.00							06	08N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	8.00										

REMARKS:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-043189-00

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OWNERS:	MACKAY-MEAD	MARILYN	E
	224 CATTLE DR		
	VICTOR	MT	59875
	MEAD	DAVID	J
	224 CATTLE DR		
	VICTOR	MT	59875

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1876  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 NWSENE 01 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: DAVENPORT DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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

001 SWNWSE 06 06N 20W RAVALLI

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-043183-00 (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.  
W043182-00, W043183-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/21/90.

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\* PLACES OF USE. W043181-00, W043182-00, W043183-00, \*  
\* W043184-00, W151475-00, W151476-00, W153874-00, \*  
\* W153875-00, W169813-00, W181914-00. \*  
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-043184-00

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OWNERS: MACKAY-MEAD MARILYN E  
224 CATTLE DR MT 59875  
MEAD DAVID J  
224 CATTLE DR MT 59875  
VICTOR

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXISTING DATE: APRIL 01, 1880  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS  
01 NWSENE 01 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SWNWSE 06 08N 20W RAVALLI

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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.  
W043181-00, W043184-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/21/90.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-043186-00

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OWNERS:	KOEPPEN DONALD	B
	406 KOOTENAI CREEK RD	
	STEVENSVILLE	MT 59870
	KOEPPEN GRACE	E
	406 KOOTENAI CREEK RD	
	STEVENSVILLE	MT 59870
	LARSON CREEK WATER USERS ASSN	
	625 TIMBER CREEK TRAIL	
	STEVENSVILLE	MT 59870
	SKILES DEBORAH	K
	3431 207TH AVE SE	
	ISSAQUAH	WA 98029
	SMITH JAMES	H
	3431 207TH AVE SE	
	ISSAQUAH	WA 98029

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE OWNERSHIPS AFTER FINAL DECREE.

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

SOURCE: SHARROTT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 421.87 GPM ( .94 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: 40.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO NOVEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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

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SENESEW 19 09N 20W RAVALL K 12 HEADGATE

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-043186-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME: BOSCKIS DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	20.00			SESW	17	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	20.00			E2SW	17	09N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	40.00							

THE 20 ACRES IN THE SESW, SEC 17, TWP 09N, RGE 20W ALSO RECEIVES WATER FROM KOOTENAI CREEK UNDER WATER RIGHT NO. W009844-00 ADMINISTERED BY TIFFIN TRACTS WATER USER'S ASSOCIATION.

REMARKS:

AUTHORIZATION TO CHANGE THE PLACE OF USE ISSUED 10/28/93. NOTICE OF COMPLETION DUE 12/31/94.  
76H-GCW043186-00

AUTHORIZATION TO CHANGE THE PLACE OF USE ISSUED 03/15/95. NOTICE OF COMPLETION DUE 12/31/97. SEE 76H-GCW043186-01.

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W043186-00, W043189-00.

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W043186-00, W103818-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/27/89.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/24/92.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/06/93.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 07/19/96.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H2-W-043187-00

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OWNERS:	EATON	DAVID		
	411 KOOTENAI CREEK RD			
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870	
	EATON	KAREN	E	
	411 KOOTENAI CREEK RD			
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870	
	MILLS	SCOTTY	L	
	411 KOOTENAI CREEK RD			
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870	
	MILLS	KATHERYN		
	411 KOOTENAI CREEK RD			
	STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870	

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

SOURCE: SHARROTT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 19, 1881  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 22.44 GPM (.05 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: 2.00

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 SENESW 19 09N 20W RAULLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: LATTA DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 2.00 WNW 20 09N 20 RAULLI

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

TOTAL ----- 2.00

REMARKS:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/01/89.

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\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
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\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 75 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 3451, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W001778-00, W043187-00, W151753-00. \*  
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OWNERS: EATON DAVID  
411 KOOTENAI CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
EATON KAREN E  
411 KOOTENAI CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
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411 KOOTENAI CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
MILLS KATHERYN  
411 KOOTENAI CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE USE: STOCK

SOURCE: SHARROTT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

- \* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 19, 1881  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE
- \* 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 NOVEMBER 04

- \* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SENEW 19 03N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: LATTA DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 NWNE 20 AD 1 15 RAVALLI

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/01/89.

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BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-043189-00

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OWNER:	KOEPPEN DONALD	B
	406 KOOTENAI CREEK RD	
	STEVENSVILLE MT	53B70
	KOEPPEN GRACE	E
	406 KOOTENAI CREEK RD	
	STEVENSVILLE MT	59B70

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SHARRETT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1935  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 COMSUMPTIVELY 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 NOVEMBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				SESW	19	09N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: BOSCKIS DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				SESW	17	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
002				E2SW	17	09N	20W	RAVALLI	

THE 20 ACRES IN THE SESW SEC 17, TWP 09N, RGE 20W, ALSO RECEIVES WATER FROM KOOTENAI CREEK UNDER WATER RIGHT NO. W009844-00 ADMINISTERED BY TIFFIN TRACTS

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

WATER USERS ASSOCIATION.

REMARKS:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
01/16/96.

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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  
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W043186-00, W043189-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/27/89.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-049203-00

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OWNERS: FRUGOLI VICTOR L  
340 EAGLE FEATHER LN  
VICTOR MT 59875  
  
FRUGOLI ANNE E  
340 EAGLE FEATHER LN  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1976  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 224.40 GPM ( .50 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: MARCH 01 TO OCTOBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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

01 SESWSE 03 07N 21W RAUALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: NO. 2 DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 20.00  
TOTAL 20.00 E2SESW 36 08N 21W RAUALLI

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 92 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1397, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W009814-00, W043203-00, W105306-00, W109011-00, \*  
\* W109631-00, W125138-00. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-043204-00

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\* OWNERS: FARRENKOPF LYNN I  
1991 RED CROW RD MT 59875  
VICTOR  
FARRENKOPF THOMAS H  
1991 RED CROW RD MT 59875  
VICTOR

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF BEAR CREEK, SOUTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 15, 1892  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 35.00 GPM ( .08 CFS)

VOLUME: 2.50 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 2 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: .25

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						NWENE	10	07N	21W	RAVALLI	PIPELINE

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY		
001	.25						NWENE	10	07N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	.25										

REMARKS:

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
07/11/94.

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
06/23/88.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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OWNER: MCAFFEE DONN J  
348 BLAIR LN MT 59875  
VICTOR

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

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1871  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 2.01 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: 99.00

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 SWSWNE 15 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: BLAIR DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 99.00 SWNE 13 07N 21W RAVALLI  
002 20.00 S2NEW 13 07N 21W RAVALLI  
003 40.00 SENW 13 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 99.00

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 07/27/99.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76M  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-043213-00 (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 WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 130.00 \*  
\* MINER'S INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 724, RAVALLI \*  
\* COUNTY. W043213-00, W103870-00, W103873-00, \*  
\* W131627-00. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049214-00

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OWNERS: MCAFFEE DONN J  
348 BLAIR LN  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1885  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 125.66 GPM ( .28 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: 15.10

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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

C1 SWSWNE 15 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: BLAIR DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 15.10 SWSWNE 15 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 15.10

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 07/27/99.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/28/94.

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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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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."

OWNERS: HARRIS OTIS L  
5199 KOCH LN  
FLORENCE MT 59833  
HARRIS GLENNA JO  
5199 KOCH LN  
FLORENCE MT 59833

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

SOURCE: SWEENEY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1878  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 43.76 GPM (.10 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: 3.90

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NWNWSW 22 10N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: SIMPSON DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 3.10 MENENE 22 10N 20W RAVALLI  
002 .80 NWNWSW 23 10N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 3.90

REMARKS:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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.  
W043216-00, W045425-00.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 80 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 939, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W043216-00, W045456-00, W104919-00, W107525-00, \*  
\* W124216-00, W150093-00. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-049217-00

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."

\* OWNERS: BICKISH EDITH C  
BOX 1471 HAMILTON MT 59840  
BICKISH DAVID  
BOX 1471 HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: SHEAFMAN CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 116.00 GPM ( .26 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: 12.50

REBIDD. DATE: APRIL 01 TO SEPTEMBER 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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

01 NESENE 28 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: SOUTH TALBOT DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 12.50  
TOTAL 12.50 E25WNW 27 07N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 04/15/91: POINT OF DIVERSION, MAXIMUM ACRES.

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE  
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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.  
W043217-00, W049041-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/29/86.

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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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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-043236-00

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OWNERS: VAUGHN RICK  
PD BOX 447  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1896  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 20.00 GPM (.04 CFS)

VOLUME: 2.25 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 NWSESE 02 06N 21W RAVALLI

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

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

001 ----- .50 NWSESE 02 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- .50

REMARKS:

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W043236-00, W043237-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-043236-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/16/89.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/01/94.

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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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OWNER: WAUGHN RICK  
PO BOX 447  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1896  
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: JULY 01 TO JUNE 30

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT 9LK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 NW5E5E 02 06N 21W RAVALLI

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT 9LK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 NW5E5E 02 06N 21W RAVALLI

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W043236-00, W043237-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/16/89.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-043237-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/01/94.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-043243-00

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DWSESS:	OSTER	LLOYD	J
	280 INDIAN PRAIRIE LOOP		
	VICTOR	MT	59875
	OSTER	CAROL	J
	280 INDIAN PRAIRIE LOOP		
	VICTOR	MT	59875
	FLEAK	VIRGINIA	S
	318 BEAR CREEK RD		
	VICTOR	MT	59875
	FLEAK	LARRIE	L
	318 BEAR CREEK RD		
	VICTOR	MT	59875

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, SOUTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1880  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN OFFERED 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 SWSSE 02 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: NO. 4 DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 ~~W2SE~~ 12 07N 21W RAVALLI

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-043243-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

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NESW 12 07N 21W RAVALLI

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. W043243-00, W045490-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/06/90.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/14/90.

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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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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 76H2-V-043244-00

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."

\* OWNERS: SOURBRINE BARBARA A  
2019 MERIDIAN RD  
VICTOR MT 59875  
SOURBRINE RICHARD L  
2019 MERIDIAN RD  
VICTOR MT 59875

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, SOUTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1904  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 SESESW 06 07N 20W RAVALLI DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SESESW 06 07N 20W RAVALLI

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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.  
W043244-00, W043246-00.

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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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1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO  
P. O. BOX 875, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0875.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-043245-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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\* OWNER: SOURBRINE BARBARA A  
2019 MERIDIAN RD MT 59875  
VICTOR  
SOURBRINE RICHARD L  
2019 MERIDIAN RD MT 59875  
VICTOR

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, SOUTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1887  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 SESESW 06 07N 20W RAVALLI DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SESESW 06 07N 20W RAVALLI

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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.  
W043245-00, W043247-00.

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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  
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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-043246-00

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."

\* OWNERS: SOURBRINE BARBARA A  
2019 MERIDIAN RD  
VICTOR MT 59875  
  
SOURBRINE RICHARD L  
2019 MERIDIAN RD  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, SOUTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXISTENCE DATE: APRIL 01, 1904  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 14.50 DPM ( .03 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: 1.30

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 SESESW 06 07N 20W RAVALLI PUMP

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 1.30 SESESW 06 07N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 1.30

REMARKS:

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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. W043244-00, W043246-00.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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\* THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 40 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1337, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W021162-00, W043177-00, W043246-00, W149978-00. \*  
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\* OWNERS: SOURBRINE BARBARA A  
2019 MERIDIAN RD MT 59875  
SOURBRINE RICHARD L  
2019 MERIDIAN RD MT 59875  
VICTOR

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

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, SOUTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1887  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 14.59 GPM ( .03 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: 1.30

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 SESE6W 06 07N 20W RAVALLI PUMP

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

DD1 ----- 1.30 SESE6W 06 07N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 1.30

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 40 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1397, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W000849-00, W021161-00, W043176-00, W043247-00, \*  
\* W149977-00, W150091-00. \*  
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H5-W-044301-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS:	IMDE	BRIAN	
	481 RUFF RD		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840
	IMDE	WENDY	Z
	481 RUFF RD		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840
	FONTE	JOHN	
	444 E TUJUNGA AVE APT 205		
	BURBANK	CA	91501
	FONTE	UICKIE	
	444 E TUJUNGA AVE APT 205		
	BURBANK	CA	91501
	BUHR	GREG	
	315 BEDFORD		
	BISMARCK	ND	58504
	BUHR	JODEE	M
	315 BEDFORD		
	BISMARCK	ND	58504
	ANDERSON	CYNTHIA	A
	114 ROARING LION RD		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840
	ANDERSON	WAYNE	W
	114 ROARING LION RD		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840
	KIMBALL	GLENN	
	2804 COLLEGE AVE		
	MODESTO	CA	95350
	KIMBALL	PAULETTE	
	2804 COLLEGE AVE		
	MODESTO	CA	95350

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE OWNERSHIPS AFTER FINAL DECREE.

OWNER WAYNE & CYNTHIA ANDERSON RETAINED. CONTRACT FOR DEED INTEREST.

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: \*LOOD A 15

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-044301-00 (CONTINUED)

SOURCE CONTINUED:

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1991  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 94.00 GPM ( .21 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: 8.50

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LDT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 S2SESW 21 06N 21W RAUALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: BARLEY DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LDT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 8.50  
TOTAL 8.50 S2SESW 23 06N 21W RAUALLI

REMARKS:

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W044301-00, W148012-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/16/89.  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-044301-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

X THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE X  
X FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE X  
X SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 30 MINER'S X  
X INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1509, RAVALLI COUNTY. X  
X W044301-00, W146845-00, W147821-00, W149857-00. X  
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X \*\*\*\*\*

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-044302-00

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."

OWNER:	MARRIOTT	JANE	C
	3177 MITTOWER RD		
	VICTOR	MT	59875
	BROOKS	BETSY	V
	PO BOX 2109		
	SUN VALLEY	ID	83353
	BROOKS	ALFRED	A
	PO BOX 2109		
	SUN VALLEY	ID	83353

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1871  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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			SENWSE	11	08N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: BIG DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY		
001						NE	07	08N	20W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-044302-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W044302-00, W044303-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/05/94.

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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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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76A-W-044303-00

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."

OWNERS:	MARRIOTT	JANE	C
	3177 MITTOWER RD		
	VICTOR	MT	59875
	BROOKS	BETSY	W
	PO BOX 2109		
	SUN VALLEY	ID	83353
	BROOKS	ALFRED	A
	PO BOX 2109		
	SUN VALLEY	ID	83353

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

SOURCE: BIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1971  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

ELDW RATE: 3.30 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: 156.00

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 SENUSE 11 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: BIG DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 156.00 ----- NE 07 08N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 156.00

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-044303-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W044302-00, W044303-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/05/94.

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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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* THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE
* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE
* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 200 INCHES*
* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1071, RAVALLI COUNTY.
* W002670-00, W017126-00, W022988-00, W044303-00.
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-044304-00

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."

OWNERS: MCDONALD ROLAND E  
PO BOX 2036  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
SCHNELLER-MCDONALD, KAREN  
PO BOX 2036  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: SAWTOOTH CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1887  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 58.00 GPM ( .13 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: 5.21

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SESESW 03 05N 21W RAUALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: JACOBSEN DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 5.21 13 SENWNE 03 05N 21W RAUALLI  
TOTAL 5.21

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTON ROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-044304-002 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

SUBD: SAWTOOTH CREEK RANCH

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
03/29/94.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/04/97.

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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  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-044310-00

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."

OWNERS: ELDRIDGE JAMES F  
461 HUDSON LN  
VICTOR MT 59875  
ELDRIDGE VALENE  
461 HUDSON LN  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 01, 1897  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 71.81 GPM ( .16 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: 10.00

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 SENWSE 16 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: SCHWARTZ-WETZSTEON-WINSHIP DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 10.00 SESWNE 29 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 10.00

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-044310-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W044310-00, W044311-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 07/01/85.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/10/95.

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\* THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DWR 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 ARE FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 160.00 MINER'S INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 724, RAVALLI COUNTY. W004742-00, W004635-00, W004857-00, W015403-00, W025736-00, W044310-00, W103817-00, W104994-00, W105288-00, W108757-00, W147836-00, W148135-00, W148228-00, W150272-00, W151198-00, W162948-00, W211754-00.

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT WERE FILED BY DIFFERENT PARTIES WHO CLAIM OVERLAPPING PLACES OF USE. W107392-00, W107393-00, W151197-00, W151196-00, W004067-00, W128498-00, W003904-00, W108741-00, W104926-00, W004905-00, W147834-00, W147835-00, W148134-00, W148135-00, W044310-00, W151196-00, W104994-00, W045371-00, W045372-00, W103816-00, W103817-00, W025735-00, W108758-00, W108757-00, W211754-00, W211755-00, W147497-00, W150272-00, W015403-00, W148116-00, W148117-00, W148118-00, W147836-00, W162947-00, W162948-00, W150156-00, W150155-00, W108756-00, W147839-00, W147498-00, W148122-00, W151456-00, W162950-00, W004068-00, W148120-00, W013272-00, W147839-00, W151455-00, W148175-00, W015271-00, W150141-00, W150142-00, W162949-00, W150274-00, W148176-00, W148136-00, W147837-00, W108755-00, W104933-00, W015404-00, W025735-00, W044311-00, W148121-00, W108740-00.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-044310-00 (CONTINUED)

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76N  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H2-W-044311-00

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."

OWNERS:	ELDRIDGE	JAMES	F
	461 HUDSON LN		
	VICTOR	MT	59875
	ELDRIDGE	VALENE	
	461 HUDSON LN		
	VICTOR	MT	59875

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 01, 1897  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREEED 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 SENWSE 16 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE  
DITCH NAME: SCHWARTZ-WETZSTEON-WINSHIP DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SENWNE 29 07N 21W RAVALLI

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

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-044311-00 (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.  
W044310-00, W044311-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 07/01/85.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/10/95.

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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 THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT WERE X  
X FILED BY DIFFERENT PARTIES WHO CLAIM OVERLAPPING X  
X PLACES OF USE. W107392-00, W107393-00, W151197-00, X  
X W151198-00, W004067-00, W128498-00, W003904-00, X  
X W108741-00, W104926-00, W004905-00, W147834-00, X  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATERRIGHT#NUMBER#76H#-W-044320-00

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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."

\* OWNERS: HINMAN STEVE  
805 SHEAFMAN CREEK RD MT 59840  
HAMILTON  
HINMAN DEBBIE  
805 SHEAFMAN CREEK RD MT 59840  
HAMILTON

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1890  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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 90 GALLONS PER 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 SESWSE 09 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: NO. 2 DITCH

PLACE OF USE EDR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NESENE 02 07N 21W RAVALLI  
002 NWSENE 02 07N 21W RAVALLI  
003 NESWNE 02 07N 21W RAVALLI  
004 SESWNE 02 07N 21W RAVALLI  
005 WESWNE 02 07N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-1-U-044320-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W044320-00, W044322-00.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76A W-044321-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

005	5.00	NWNESE	02	07N	21W	RAVALLI
006	18.00	N2WSE	02	07N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	66.00					

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-V-044322-00

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OWNERS: HINMAN STEVE  
805 SHEAFMAN CREEK RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840

HINMAN DEBBIE  
805 SHEAFMAN CREEK RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1890  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* FLOW RATE: 1.25 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 37.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO SEPTEMBER 09

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- NEBNS  
01 SESWSE 03 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: NO. 2 DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	9.00				NESENE	02	07N	21W RAVALLI
002	10.00				NE5WNE	02	07N	21W RAVALLI
003	10.00				N5WNE	02	07N	21W RAVALLI
004	1.00				SE5WNE	02	07N	21W RAVALLI
005	7.00				S5WNE	02	07N	21W RAVALLI
TOTAL	37.00							

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-044322-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/05/91.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-4-044323-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: MAREK JOHN D  
2377 MITTLE BEAR CREEK  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1900  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREEED

FLOW RATE: 2.25 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 63.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO SEPTEMBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SWNESW 02 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: MIZE DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	37.00			NESE	02	07N	21W	RAVALLI
002	6.00			N2NWSE	02	07N	21W	RAVALLI
003	20.00			S2NWSE	02	07N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	63.00							

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-044326-00

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."

OWNERS: PERKINS WYATT JB  
623 S 4TH ST  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
PERKINS JUDITH A  
623 S 4TH ST  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SWEATHOUSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 20, 1991  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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 SERVED 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		SE	SW 27 08N 21W	RAVALLI PUMP
02		SE	SW 27 08N 21W	RAVALLI DIRECT FROM SOURCE

- \* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				SE	SW 27	08N	21W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-044326-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE  
RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF  
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W044326-00, W044327-00.

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OWNERS:	PERKINS 623 S 4TH ST HAMILTON	WYATT JB	MT 59840
	PERKINS 623 S 4TH ST HAMILTON	JUDITH A	MT 59840

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

SOURCE: SWEATHOUSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 20, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 224.40 GPM ( .50 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: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC. SEC. TWP. RGE. COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SESWSW 27 08N 21W RAVALLI PUMP

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 20.00 SESWSW 27 08N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 20.00

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF  
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W044326-00, W044327-00.

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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 WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 160 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1011, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W019689-00, W044327-00, W107670-00, W133468-00. \*  
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\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH (NDCS). 179-66 DATED 08/02/79 \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 3.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A \*  
\* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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\* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) \*  
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\* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-044328-00

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OWNERS: SIZER GEORGIA W  
PO BOX 53  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: SWEATHOUSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1873  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 2.81 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: .25

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 SENSW 25 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: TOWN DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 .25 NESWSW 30 08N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL .25

THE PLACE OF USE INCLUDES LOTS 1, 2, 3, 4 AND 5, BLOCK 8, VICTOR TOWNSITE.

REMARKS:

SUBD: VICTOR TOWNSITE

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-044328-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W044328-00, W044329-00.

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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 WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 21 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1011, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W001994-00, W003605-00, W008942-00, W019984-00, \*  
\* W033661-00, W044328-00, W105254-00, W105312-00, \*  
\* W111260-00, W118406-00, W146887-00, W149347-00, \*  
\* W150762-00, W215093-00. \*  
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-044329-00

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OWNERS: SIZER GEORGIA W  
PO BOX 53  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: SWEATHOUSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1877  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 7.29 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: .25

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 \_\_\_\_\_ SENWSE 25 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: TOWN DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

\_\_\_\_\_ ACRES \_\_\_\_\_ LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 \_\_\_\_\_ .25 NESWSW 30 08N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_ .25

THE PLACE OF USE INCLUDES LOTS 1, 2, 3, 4, AND 5,  
BLOCK 8, VICTOR TOWNSITE.

REMARKS:

SUBD: VICTOR TOWNSITE

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W044329-00, W044329-00.

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\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 123 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1011, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W000843-00, W019983-00, W033660-00, W044329-00, \*  
\* W105255-00, W105313-00, W111261-00, W118405-00, \*  
\* W149346-00, W150763-00. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-044931-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

X THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE X  
X FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE X  
X SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 115 MINER'S X  
X INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1569, RAVALLI COUNTY. X  
X U003677-00, W044931-00, W116774-00. X  
X  
X FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON X  
X RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. X  
X  
X THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY FIELD NOTES X  
X (1958) APPEAR TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED BY X  
X WATER DIVERTED FROM KOOTENAI CREEK. X  
X  
X USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 179-126, DATED 09/02/79, X  
X APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. X  
X  
X  
X

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TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING BASINS OR SUBBASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO  
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"NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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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  
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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-044336-00

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OWNER: WEST MICHAEL H  
NW 529 BLODGETT CAMP RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
WEST KARLA J  
NW 529 BLODGETT CAMP RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1896  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 58.00 GPM ( .19 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: 5.00

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 SWSESW 21 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: PUTNAM DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 5.00 1 1 EWNENE 21 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 5.00

REMARKS:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 75H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-044336-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

SUBD: PARADISE HEIGHTS

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.  
W044336-00, W107534-00.

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W044336-00, W045552-00.

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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

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 50 MINER'S INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1503, RAVALLI COUNTY.  
W020090-00, W023789-00, W044336-00, W047458-00,  
W109010-00, W021217-00.

FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE.

THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED.

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 76H1-W-044397-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS:	WEST	KARLA	J
	NW 529 BLODGETT CAMP RD		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840
	WEST	MICHAEL	H
	NW 529 BLODGETT CAMP RD		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840

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

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1896  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 112.00 GPM ( .25 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: 5.00

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 SWSSEW 21 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: PUTNAM DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 5.00 SENWSE 21 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 5.00

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-044337-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE PLACE OF USE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
08/26/93.

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.  
W044337-00, W107535-00.

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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: 76A-W-045127-00

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OWNERS:	GEER	JANICE	L
	N 8615 KELLY COURT		
	SPOKANE	WA	99208
	GEER	JOHN	M
	N 8615 KELLY COURT		
	SPOKANE	WA	99208
	PETERS	REBECCA	F
	6105 N FELTS		
	SPOKANE	WA	99207
	PETERS	J WILLIAM	
	6105 N FELTS		
	SPOKANE	WA	99207

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

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1896  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 11.22 GPM ( .02 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: 1.00

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			SWS	EW	21	06N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: PUTNAM DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001			1.00			SWS	EW	21 06N 21W	RAVALLI

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-045127-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

TOTAL 1.00

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 11/29/93: FLOW RATE, PLACE OF USE.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 07/19/93.

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\* THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76A-W-045364-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNER: BAIRD BILLIE A  
PO BOX 1039  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE USE: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: BLODGETT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXISTENCE DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 2.87 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 15 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT\_BLK QTR\_SEC SEC TWP\_RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 SWSWE 16 06N 21W RAUALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: FOURTH RIGHT DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK QTR\_SEC SEC TWP\_RGE COUNTY -----

001 ----- 20.00 S2ENE 22 06N 21W RAUALLI  
TOTAL ----- 20.00

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 03/23/93: PLACE OF USE, MAXIMUM ACRES.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76M  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-U-045365-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: MOORE KAREN  
1482 S REMFORD DR CA 90035  
LOS ANGELES

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

SOURCE: BLODGETT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 135.00 GPM ( .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: 25.00

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 SWSWE 16 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: FOURTH RIGHT DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001	5.00	SWNENW	24	06N	21W	RAVALLI
002	20.00	SENWNW	24	06N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	25.00					

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 07/20/90.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/13/90.

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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045365-00 (CONTINUED)

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045369-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: FENNER RONALD C  
54 DEER RUN TRAIL  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE USE: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: SPRINKLER

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

EXISTENT DATE: MARCH 31, 1960  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 450.00 GPM

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 36.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP R5E COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SENWSE 28 09N 20W RAVALLI PUMP

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP R5E COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 36.00 NWSE 28 09N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 36.00

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 08/18/94: POINT OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE AND MAXIMUM ACRES.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045369-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

OVERLAPPING PARCELS OF THE CLAIMANT'S TOTAL 36.00  
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.  
W045369-00, B214560-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/26/88.

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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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OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT  
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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATERRIGHTNUMBER: 76H2-W-045371-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: ROUNDS ANNE M  
511 HUDSON LANE  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 28, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 44.88 GPM ( .10 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: 10.02

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 SE9SW 16 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE  
DITCH NAME: SCHWARTZ-WETZSTEON-WINSHIP DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 10.02 SE9SW 23 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 10.02

REMARKS:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-045371-00 (CONTINUED)

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-045372-00

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OWNER: ROUNDS ANNE M  
511 HUDSON LANE  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 07, 1888  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 67.92 GPM ( .15 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: 10.02

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 SE9SEW 16 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: SCHWARTZ-WETZSTEON-WINSHIP DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 10.02 SE9SEW 23 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 10.02

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76#  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER#RIGHT#NUMBER#76#-W-045372-00#(CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

OVERLAPPING PARCELS OF THE CLAIMANT'S TOTAL 10.02  
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.  
W045371-00, W045372-00, W103816-00, W103817-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/05/90.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/01/93.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/29/94.

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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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USE OF THE SCHWARTZ-WETZSTEON-WINSHIP DITCH TO CONVEY  
WATER TO THE PLACE OF USE IS QUESTIONABLE. THE  
RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY FIELD NOTES  
(1957) INDICATES THAT THE W.J. STEPHENS RIGHT WAS  
CONVEYED EXCLUSIVELY BY THE GRAHAM DITCH.

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE  
FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE  
SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 158.66  
CFS INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 764, RAVALLI  
COUNTY. W003304-00, W004067-00, W007766-00,  
W045372-00, W107392-00, W107393-00, W108741-00,  
W128498-00, W148117-00, W151197-00.

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT WERE  
FILED BY DIFFERENT PARTIES WHO CLAIM OVERLAPPING  
PLACES OF USE. W107092-00, W107393-00, W151197-00,  
W151196-00, W004067-00, W128498-00, W003304-00,  
W108741-00, W104926-00, W004905-00, W147834-00,  
W147835-00, W148134-00, W148135-00, W044310-00,  
W151198-00, W104934-00, W045371-00, W045372-00,  
W103816-00, W103817-00, W025796-00, W108758-00,  
W108757-00, W211754-00, W211755-00, W147487-00,  
W150272-00, W015403-00, W148116-00, W148117-00,  
W148118-00, W147836-00, W162947-00, W162948-00,  
W150156-00, W150155-00, W108756-00, W147838-00,  
W147498-00, W148122-00, W151456-00, W162950-00,  
W004068-00, W148120-00, W013272-00, W147839-00,  
W151455-00, W148175-00, W013271-00, W150141-00,  
W150142-00, W162949-00, W150274-00, W148176-00,  
W148136-00, W147837-00, W108755-00, W104933-00,  
W151404-00, W025735-00, W044311-00, W148121-00,  
W108740-00.

THIS CLAIM DOES NOT APPEAR TO REFLECT THE WATER RIGHT  
AS IT WAS BEFORE JULY 1, 1973. INFORMATION AVAILABLE  
INDICATES A POST-JUNE 30, 1973 CHANGE IN PLACE OF USE.

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-04597E-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

X THE PRIORITY DATE IS QUESTIONABLE. THE PLACE OF USE X  
X DESCRIBED IN CASE NO. 724, RAVALLI COUNTY, IS X  
X INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE. X  
X X  
X X  
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERRCOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045373-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: GIBSON THOMAS B  
PO BOX 490  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
GIBSON MARILYN W  
PO BOX 490  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 01, 1882  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 79.70 GPM (.18 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: 10.70

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO SEPTEMBER 24

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01		N	W	N	18	08N	20W	RAVALLI	PUMP

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	10.70							
TOTAL	10.70							

REMARKS:

SUBD: RIBBLING WOODS

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045373-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/08/89.

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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 ARE  
FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE  
SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 145 MINER\*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1071, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W004850-00, W009851-00, W026931-00, W030364-00, \*  
\* W033643-00, W033785-00, W045373-00, W045550-00, \*  
\* W147820-00, W147903-00, W177857-00, W177860-00. \*  
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FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON  
RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE.

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT WERE  
FILED BY DIFFERENT PARTIES WHO CLAIM OVERLAPPING  
PLACES OF USE. W004850-00, W004851-00, W009849-00,  
\* W009850-00, W009851-00, W030364-00, W033643-00, \*  
\* W033785-00, W045373-00, W045549-00, W045550-00, \*  
\* W115309-00, W147820-00, W147903-00, W177857-00, \*  
\* W177858-00, W177859-00, W177860-00, W151998-00, \*  
\* W151999-00, W152000-00. \*  
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THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1959)  
APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED.

USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 179-124, DATED 08/02/79,  
APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED.

INFORMATION INDICATES THE WATER RIGHT MAY HAVE BEEN  
SEVERED FROM THE LAND IN 1972. SEE MEMO IN CLAIM FILE  
FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

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YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES,  
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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  
TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 7th  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H3-W-045374-00

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."

OWNER:	ALEXANDER	ARTHUR		
	204 VIEWMONT LN		MT	59840
	HAMILTON			
	ALEXANDER	YVONNE		
	204 VIEWMONT LN		MT	59840
	HAMILTON			
	MARSHALL	JOHN	L	
	211 VIEWMONT LANE		MT	59840
	HAMILTON			
	MARSHALL	ANGELA		
	350 E 500 N		IN	46725
	COLUMBIA CITY			

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT  
WILL BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE OWNERSHIPS AFTER FINAL  
DECREE.

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

SOURCE: BLODGETT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 224.40 GPM ( .50 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: 19.92

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LDT. BLK. QTR. SEC. SEC. TWP. RGE. COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 MESWHE 15 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-V-045374-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME: THIRD RIGHT DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	ROE	COUNTY
001	10.19	1	1		E25WNW	14	06N	21W RAVALLI
002	9.73	2	1		E25WNW	14	06N	21W RAVALLI
TOTAL	19.92							

REMARKS:

SUBD: MINNEISKA FRUIT FARM

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/04/90.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/23/90.

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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 ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 50 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 857, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W007753-00, W026946-00, W031046-00, W045374-00, \*  
\* W105318-00, W147902-00, W151333-00. \*  
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\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
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\* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 13.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A \*  
\* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH (NCS). 179-70, DATED 08/02/79, \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 764  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 764-W-045374-00 (CONTINUED)

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045375-00

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."

OWNERS: LEE LAND & LUMBER INC  
DORRELL LEE  
PO BOX 1193  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF JUDD CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1966  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 30.00 GPM (.07 CFS)

VOLUME: 1.50 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

RESID. OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SWSWE 14 05N 21W RAVALLI UNDEVELOPED SPRING

\* PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 SWSWE 14 05N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/19/86.

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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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BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-V-045375-00 (CONTINUED)

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-045377-00

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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."

OWNERS:	LAY	RONDEY	E
	PO BOX 426		
	FLORENCE	MT	59833
	LAY	TONI	M
	PO BOX 426		
	FLORENCE	MT	59833

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SWEENEY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 01, 1882  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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 SERVED 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					N49E	22	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: MILES DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY		
001						SENE	22	10N	20W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

AUTHORIZATION TO CHANGE THE PLACE OF USE, PLACE OF STORAGE AND PURPOSE OF USE COMPLETED 07/19/94. FILE REFLECTS RIGHT AS IT EXISTED PRIOR TO JULY 1973.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

APPROVED CHANGES WILL BE RECORDED AFTER FINAL DECREE.  
SEE 76H-0045377-00.

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.  
W045377-00, W045380-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 07/03/06.

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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 76A-W-045390-00

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OWNERS: LAY RONDEY E  
PO BOX 426  
FLORENCE MT 59833  
LAY TONI M  
PO BOX 426  
FLORENCE MT 59833

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

SOURCE: SWEENEY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 01, 1882  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 169.30 GPM ( .37 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: 15.00

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 NWSEW 22 10N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: MILES DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 6.00 NESENE 22 10N 20W RAVALLI  
002 9.00 NWSENE 22 10N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 15.00

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045380-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THIS WATER RIGHT IS ASSOCIATED WITH WATER RIGHT NO. C023662-00. THEY HAVE OVERLAPPING PLACES OF USE.

AUTHORIZATION TO CHANGE THE PLACE OF USE, PLACE OF STORAGE AND PURPOSE OF USE COMPLETED 07/19/94. FILE REFLECTS RIGHT AS IT EXISTED PRIOR TO JULY 1973. APPROVED CHANGES WILL BE RECORDED AFTER FINAL DECREE. SEE 76H-5045377-00.

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. W045377-00, W045380-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 07/03/86.

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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 76H-W-045381-00

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OWNERS: REYNOLDS HARVIN P  
5110 HOBLITT LN  
FLORENCE MT 59833

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SWEENEY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1871  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS

01 NWNESE 22 10N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: AGARS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 N2NWSW 23 10N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

AUTHORIZATION TO CHANGE THE POINT OF DIVERSION COMPLETED 07/13/93. FILE REFLECTS RIGHT AS IT EXISTED PRIOR TO JULY 1973. APPROVED CHANGES WILL BE RECORDED AFTER FINAL DECREE. SEE GCWJ045381-00 .

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H2-W-045381-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 06/21/91.

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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: 76H-4-045982-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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x OWNERS: REYNOLDS MARVIN P  
5110 HOBLITT LN  
FLORENCE MT 59833

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

SOURCE: SWEENEY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1871  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 209.14 GPM (.47 CFS)

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 18.64

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 NWNESE 22 10N 20W RAVALLI HERD GATE

DITCH NAME: AGARS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 18.64 N2NWSW 23 10N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 18.64

REMARKS:

AUTHORIZATION TO CHANGE THE POINT OF DIVERSION  
COMPLETED 07/13/83. FILE REFLECTS RIGHT AS IT  
EXISTED PRIOR TO JULY 1973. APPROVED CHANGES WILL BE

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-045382-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

RECORDED AFTER FINAL DECREE. SEE DCW045381-00 .

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. NEITHER IT DECREASES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND ENLARGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES. W045381-00, W045382-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 06/21/91.

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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 WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 20 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 939, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W045382-00, W150845-00. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-0459B3-00 (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 A DECLARATION OF VESTED GROUNDWATER RIGHTS (FORM GW4) X  
X WAS FILED AND SUBMITTED WITH THIS CLAIM AS A NOTICE X  
X OF COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER APPROPRIATION FORM GW2. X  
X X X  
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045394-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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**OWNERS:**

ERICKSON PO BOX 206 RANCHO MIRAGE	LESLIE CA	S 92270
ERICKSON NW 370 BLODGETT CAMP RD HAMILTON	KIRBY MT	C 59840
ERICKSON PO BOX 206 RANCHO MIRAGE	ROSS CA	92270
ERICKSON PO BOX 206 RANCHO MIRAGE	BRENT CA	R 92270
ERICKSON PO BOX 206 RANCHO MIRAGE	MARGARET CA	92270
ERICKSON NW 370 BLODGETT CAMP RD HAMILTON	PAMELA MT	D 59840

**PURPOSE USE:** IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

**SOURCE:** CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

**PRIORITY DATE:** JUNE 01, 1887  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

**FLOW RATE:** 395.00 GPM ( .88 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:** 35.00

**PERIOD OF USE:** APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 04

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

----- LOT BLK. 018 SEC. SEC. 17W RGE. COUNTY ----- MEANS  
01 SWS5W 21 06N 21W RAVALLI 19 HEADGATE

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045394-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

02 SWSSEW 21 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
BELL-LEWIS DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
BARLEY DITCH

\* PLACE DE USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	35.00								
TOTAL	35.00								

REMARKS:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
09/28/93.

AUTHORIZATION TO CHANGE THE POINT OF DIVERSION  
COMPLETED 10/28/96. FILE REFLECTS RIGHT AS IT  
EXISTED PRIOR TO JULY 1979. APPROVED CHANGES WILL BE  
RECORDED AFTER FINAL DECREE.

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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.  
W045394-00, W045395-00.

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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 THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE                x
x FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE                x
x SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 120 MINER'S              x
x INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1503, RAVALLI COUNTY.                   x
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OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT  
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CAN BE RETRIEVED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED  
"NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-045394-00 (CONTINUED)

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045395-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS:	ERICKSON PO BOX 206 RANCHO MIRAGE	LESLIE	S	
		CA	92270	
	ERICKSON PO BOX 206 RANCHO MIRAGE	BRENT	R	
		CA	92270	
	ERICKSON PO BOX 206 RANCHO MIRAGE	ROSS		
		CA	92270	
	ERICKSON NW 370 BLODGETT HAMILTON	PAMELA	D	
		MT	59840	
	ERICKSON NW 370 BLODGETT HAMILTON	KIRBY	C	
		MT	59840	
	ERICKSON PO BOX 206 RANCHO MIRAGE	MARGARET		
		CA	92270	

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1987  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

- \* 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 DTB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MEANS \_\_\_\_\_

01 SWSEW 21 06N 21W **M 19** HEADGATE

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045395-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

02 SWSESW 21 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
BELL-LEWIS DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
BARLEY DITCH

PLACE OF USE EDB STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 S2SWSE 22 06N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMFND BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
09/28/93.

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RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF  
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W045394-00, W045395-00.

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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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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-045396-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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\* OWNERS: FARRENKOPF LYNN I  
1991 RED CROW RD MT 59875  
VICTOR  
FARRENKOPF THOMAS H  
1991 RED CROW RD MT 59875  
VICTOR

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, SOUTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREEED 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 QIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 NWNEW 10 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: STAHL DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NWNEW 10 07N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS  
RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE

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WATER#RIGHT#NUMBER#76H#-W-045396-00#(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.  
W045396-00, W045398-00.

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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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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-4-045997-00

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\* OWNERS: FARRENKOPF LYNN I  
1991 RED CROW RD  
VICTOR MT 59875  
  
FARRENKOPF THOMAS H  
1991 RED CROW RD  
VICTOR MT 59875

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF BEAR CREEK, SOUTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 15, 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.

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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 NWNENE 10 07N 21W RAUALLI DITCH

BLADE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NENENE 10 07N 21W RAUALLI

REMARKS:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
06/23/88.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-045397-00 (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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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045398-00

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\* OWNERS: FARRENKOPF LYNN I  
1991 RED CROW RD MT 59875  
VICTOR  
FARRENKOPF THOMAS H  
1991 RED CROW RD MT 59875  
VICTOR

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

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, SOUTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1991  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 112.20 GPM ( .25 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: 7.00

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 NWNEW 10 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: STAHL DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 7.00 NENENE 10 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 7.00

REMARKS:

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ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045398-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W045396-00, W045398-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-045399-00

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OWNERS: FARRENKOPF LYNN I  
1991 RED CROW RD  
VICTOR MT 59875  
  
FARRENKOPF THOMAS H  
1991 RED CROW RD  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF BEAR CREEK, SOUTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 15, 1892  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* FLOW RATE: 119.00 GPM ( .27 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: 7.00

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 NENENE 10 07N 21W RAVALLI DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 7.00 NENENE 10 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 7.00

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
06/23/88.

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.  
W045204-00, W045397-00, W045399-00.

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MENTAL WHICH MEANS THE RIGHTS HAVE OVERLAPPING PLACES  
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OVERLAPPING PARCELS OF THE CLAIMANT'S TOTAL 7.00  
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.  
W045398-00, W045399-00.

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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 1-406-566-4364, OR BY WRITING TO  
P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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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.  
W045410-00, W045417-00.

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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-45411-00

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OWNER: GROFF PHYLLIS A  
PO BOX 190  
VICTOR MT 59875  
GROFF WILLIAM A  
PO BOX 190  
VICTOR MT 59875

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SWEATHOUSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 01, 1888  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SWNEW 35 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: POWELL DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 NESE 26 08N 21W RAVALLI  
002 SESE 26 08N 21W RAVALLI

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-U-045412-00

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OWNERS: GROFF WILLIAM A  
 PO BOX 190 MT 59875  
 VICTOR  
 GROFF PHYLLIS A  
 PO BOX 190 MT 59875  
 VICTOR

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

SOURCE: SWEATHOUSE CREEK  
 SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXISTENCE DATE: APRIL 01, 1869  
 TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 3.78 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: 151.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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

01	SWMNE	35	08N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02	NESEW	25	08N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03	NESEW	25	08N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
 BLAKE (GROFF) DITCH

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 GROFF DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001	80.00	S2NE	25	08N	21W	RAVALLI
002	71.00	NESE	25	08N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	151.00	*				

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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OWNERS: GROFF WILLIAM A  
PO BOX 190 MT 59875  
VICTOR  
GROFF PHYLLIS A  
PO BOX 190 MT 59875  
VICTOR

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

SOURCE: SWEATHOUSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 01, 1867  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 447.79 GPM (1.00 CFS)

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 80.00

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 SWNWE 35 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: BLAKE (GROFF) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 80.00 N25W 25 08N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 80.00

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 06/23/97

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W045413-00, W045414-00.

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OWNERS: GROFF PHYLLIS A  
PO BOX 190  
VICTOR MT 59875  
GROFF WILLIAM A  
PO BOX 190  
VICTOR MT 59875

EMBRPOSE USE: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: SWEATHOUSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1870  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 138.01 GPM ( .31 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: 80.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 09

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
01 SW/4 35 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: BLAKE (GROFF) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 80.00  
TOTAL 80.00 N2SW 25 08N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045414-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 06/23/97

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 80.00 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. W045413-00, W045414-00.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045415-00

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."

OWNERS: GROFF PHYLLIS A  
PO BOX 190  
VICTOR MT 59875  
GROFF WILLIAM A  
PO BOX 190  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: GASH CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1870  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 996.60 GPM ( .75 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: 40.00

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 NWSNW 35 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: GASH CREEK DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 40.00 N2N2W 36 08N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 40.00

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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OWNERS: GROFF WILLIAM A  
PO BOX 190 MT 59875  
VICTOR  
GROFF PHYLLIS A  
PO BOX 190 MT 59875  
VICTOR

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

SOURCE: GASH CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1870  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 336.60 GPM (.75 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: 60.00

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 N45WNW 35 08N 21W RAUALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: GASH CREEK DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 10.00 SESESE 26 08N 21W RAUALLI  
002 50.00 N2NE 35 08N 21W RAUALLI  
TOTAL 60.00

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045416-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 05/09/96: MAXIMUM ACRES AND PLACE OF USE.

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 358.00 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.  
W045416-00, W045416-00, W045418-00, W112595-00,  
W114357-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045417-00

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."

OWNERS: GROSS WILLIAM A  
PO BOX 190 MT 59875  
VICTOR  
GROSS PHYLLIS A  
PO BOX 190 MT 59875  
VICTOR

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

SOURCE: GASH CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1988  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 1.75 CFS

\* VOLUME: THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE  
AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.  
CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 70.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01									SUNNYS 34 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE
02									NUNSE 34 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
MARTENS DITCH

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
MILLER (CHINMAN) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	70.00						SE	34 08N 21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	70.00								

REMARKS: \* G 21

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-M-045417-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 05/09/96: MAXIMUM ACRES AND PLACE OF USE.

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE  
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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.  
W045410-00, W045417-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-045418-00

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OWNERS: GROFF WILLIAM A  
PO BOX 190 MT 59875  
VICTOR  
GROFF PHYLLIS A  
PO BOX 190 MT 59875  
VICTOR

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

SOURCE: SWEATHOUSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1894  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 269.28 GPM ( .60 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: 24.00

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 SESESE 26 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: BLAKE-TOWN DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 24.00 N252SE 25 08N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 24.00

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045418-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W045412-00, W045416-00, W045418-00, W112595-00,  
W114357-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-g-W-045425-00

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OWNERS: HARRIS DTIS L  
5199 KOCH LN  
FLORENCE MT 59833  
HARRIS GLENNA JO  
5199 KOCH LN  
FLORENCE MT 59833

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SWEENEY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1878  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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.

BEHOLD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 19

- \* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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

01 NWNWSW 22 10N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: SIMPSON DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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

001 NENENE 22 10N 20W RAVALLI  
002 NWNWNW 23 10N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER W-045425-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W043216-00, W045425-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-045490-00

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OWNERS: THOMAS MICHAEL B  
835 ORCHARD DR  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
THOMAS KIMBERLY A  
835 ORCHARD DR  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: MILL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1883  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 224.40 GPM ( .10 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 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SWSENE 02 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: RIDDLE DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 20.00 NESESW 01 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 20.00

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045430-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/12/91.

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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 76H-W-045431-00

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."

OWNERS: THOMAS MICHAEL B  
835 ORCHARD DR  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
THOMAS KIMBERLY A  
835 ORCHARD DR  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MILL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1883  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 DECEMBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SWSNE 02 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE  
DITCH NAME: RIDDLE DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 N2SESW 01 06N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-045431-00 (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.  
W045430-00, W045431-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/12/91.

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OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT  
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1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO  
P.O. BOX 373, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0873.

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-045445-00

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."

OWNERS:	ROWLES	RICK		
	800 SPRINGHILL RD			
	HAMILTON	MT	59840	
	ROWLES	JULIE		
	800 SPRINGHILL RD			
	HAMILTON	MT	59840	
	FIELDS	LLOYD	A	
	PO BOX 1043			
	HAMILTON	MT	59840	
	FIELDS	LIZZIE		
	PO BOX 1043			
	HAMILTON	MT	59840	

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE OWNERSHIPS AFTER FINAL DECREE.

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

SOURCE: ROARING LION CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1897  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 90.00 GPM ( .20 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: 8.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:  
----- LOT BLK 91R SEC 22 T2W R9E COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SENENE 16 05N 21W RAUALLI HEADGATE

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-1-V-045445-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME: DECKER DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE: EDR IRRIGATION

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
OO1	2.00						W2S	N14	E21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	2.00									

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/28/92.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/24/94.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 12/27/94.

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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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 \* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON \*  
 \* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
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 \* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH (N0CS). 179-72, DATED 08/02/79, \*  
 \* APPEARS TO INDICATE 2.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A \*  
 \* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045455-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS:	MILLER	STEVEN	H
	5217 KOCH LN		
	FLORENCE	MT	59833
	MILLER	DESIREE	
	5217 KOCH LN		
	FLORENCE	MT	59833

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SWEENEY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1878  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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 19

- \* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS		
01						N44W	22	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: SIMPSON DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY		
001							S44W	23	10N	20W	RAVALLI

THE PLACE OF USE INCLUDES PARCEL B-2 OF COS NO. 1799.

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045455-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/02/90.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/03/93.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045456-00

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."

OWNERS: MILLER STEVEN H  
5217 KOCH LN  
FLORENCE MT 59833  
MILLER DESIREE  
5217 KOCH LN  
FLORENCE MT 59833

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

SOURCE: SWEENEY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1878  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 24.95 GPM ( .05 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: 2.17

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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

01 N4NW4 22 10N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: SIMPSON DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 2.17 SWNW4 23 10N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 2.17

THE PLACE OF USE INCLUDES PARCEL 8-2 OF COS NO. 1799.

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H1-W-045477-00

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."

OWNERS: FOUCH GARY D  
2698 IROQUOIS TRAIL  
VICTOR MT 59875

FOUCH M DIANE  
2698 IROQUOIS TRAIL  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

\* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BITTERROOT RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1898  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 95.90 GPM (.08 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: 10.00

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 SEWNE 11 08N 21W RAVALLI DITCH

DITCH NAME: BLAIR DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 10.00 N2NESE 24 08N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 10.00

REMARKS:

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BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045477-00 (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 10.00 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.  
W045477-00, W045478-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/07/90.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/02/90.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-V-045470-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: FOUCH GARY D  
2698 IROQUOIS TRAIL  
VICTOR MT 59875  
  
FOUCH M DIANE  
2698 IROQUOIS TRAIL  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: BIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: NOVEMBER 01, 1899  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 112.20 GPM ( .25 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: 10.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NESVGE 11 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: CLARK-MCCUNE DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 -----10.00  
TOTAL -----10.00 N2NESE 24 08N 21W RAVALLI

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BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-04547B-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 30.00 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.  
W045477-00, W045478-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/07/90.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045479-00

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OWNER: WAUGHN RICK  
PO BOX 447  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: MILL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXISTENCE DATE: APRIL 01, 1880  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 224.40 GPM (.50 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: 26.50

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 NESENE 03 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: SANDERS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 26.50 SESE 02 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 26.50

REMARKS:

THE WATER RIGHTS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE SUPPLEMENTAL WHICH MEANS THE RIGHTS HAVE OVERLAPPING PLACES OF USE. THE RIGHTS CAN BE COMBINED TO IRRIGATE ONLY

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045479-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

OVERLAPPING PARCELS OF THE CLAIMANT'S TOTAL 26.50  
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.  
W045479-00, W045481-00, W105324-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/16/89.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/01/94.

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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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\* THIS CLAIM IS BASED UPON THE AUGUST CHRISTIAN DECREE \*  
\* RIGHT CASE NO. 565, RAVALLI COUNTY. THE AUGUST \*  
\* CHRISTIAN RIGHT WAS ORIGINALLY DECREEED TO THE NE OF \*  
\* SEC 01 TWP 06N R6E 21W, RAVALLI COUNTY. HOWEVER, \*  
\* DOCUMENTATION INDICATES THAT A PORTION OF THIS RIGHT \*  
\* WAS SEVERED FROM ITS DECREEED PLACE OF USE AND \*  
\* SUBSEQUENTLY RELOCATED TO THE SESE OF SEC 02 TWP 06N \*  
\* R6E 21W, RAVALLI COUNTY. THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE LIES \*  
\* WITHIN A PORTION OF THE RELOCATED PLACE OF USE. \*  
\* SEE CLAIM FILE FOR DOCUMENTATION. \*  
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045480-00

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."

OWNERS: AUGUSTINE LEON J  
1011 HONEY HOUSE LN  
CORVALLIS MT 59828  
AUGUSTINE MAUREEN  
1011 HONEY HOUSE LN  
CORVALLIS MT 59828

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

SOURCE: MILL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1882  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 1.71 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: 80.00

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 NESENE 03 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: SANDERS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001	40.00	NENE	11	06N	21W	RAVALLI
002	40.00	NWNW	12	06N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	80.00					

REMARKS:

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BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-045480-00 (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 80.00 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.  
W045480-00, W105325-00, W105326-00, W105327-00,  
W105328-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/01/92.

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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  
X UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. X  
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X THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE X  
X FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE X  
X SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 148.50 X  
X NINER'S INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 565, RAVALLI X  
X COUNTY. W007752-00, W015992-00, W045480-00, X  
X W099951-00, W103821-00, W105074-00, W105187-00, X  
X W107380-00, W107810-00, W107815-00, W107908-00, X  
X W10536-00, W124225-00, W128491-00, W147468-00, X  
X W147971-00, W147974-00, W147982-00, W147999-00, X  
X W150854-00, W150942-00, W150980-00, W152005-00, X  
X W153868-00, W211767-00, W211791-00, W214045-00. X  
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X THIS CLAIM IS BASED UPON THE GEORGE CHRISTY DECREED X  
X RIGHT CASE NO. 565, RAVALLI COUNTY. THE GEORGE CHRISTY X  
X RIGHT WAS ORIGINALLY DECREED TO THE NENE AND SEHW OF X  
X SEC 30 TWP 07N RGE 20W AND THE NENE OF SEC 25 TWP 07N X  
X RGE 21W, RAVALLI COUNTY. HOWEVER, DOCUMENTATION X  
X INDICATES THAT A PORTION OF THIS RIGHT WAS SEVERED X  
X FROM ITS HISTORIC PLACE OF USE AND SUBSEQUENTLY X  
X RELOCATED TO THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE IN THE NENE OF X  
X SEC 11 AND THE NENE OF SEC 12 TWP 06N RGE 21W, RAVALLI X  
X COUNTY. SEE CLAIM FILE FOR DOCUMENTATION. X  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045480-00 (CONTINUED)

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-0454B1-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: VAUGHN RICK  
PD BOX 447  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE [USE]: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MILL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 01, 1892  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 175.03 GPM (.39 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: 26.50

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NESENE 03 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: SANDERS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 26.50 ----- SESE 02 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 26.50 -----

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BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-045481-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

OVERLAPPING PARCELS OF THE CLAIMANT'S TOTAL 26.50  
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.  
W045479-00, W045481-00, W105924-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/16/89.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/01/94.

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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 76H-045482-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS:

RUNNING E T RANCH INC 380 INDIAN PRAIRIE LOOP VICTOR	MT	59875
BATISTA, JAMES A & JANET L TRUST 296 INDIAN PRAIRIE LOOP VICTOR	MT	59875
MARTHENS, KIMBERLY A TRUST *KIMBERLY A MARHENS, TRUSTEE 378 MARHOT LN STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870
MARTHENS, PHILIP M TRUST *PHILIP M MARHENS, TRUSTEE 378 MARHOT LN STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870
DEBLASE ROBERT PO BOX 942 VICTOR	MT	59875
DEBLASE DONNA PO BOX 942 VICTOR	MT	59875

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE OWNERSHIPS AFTER FINAL DECREE.

PURPOSE USE: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXISTING DATE: APRIL 01, 1868  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 224.40 GPM ( .50 CFS)

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

ADDITIONAL ACRES: 198.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 10 TO OCTOBER 14

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-045482-00 (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 76H-W-045483-00

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OWNERS: RUNNING E T RANCH INC  
380 INDIAN PRAIRIE LOOP  
VICTOR MT 59875

MARTHENS, PHILIP M TRUST  
\*PHILIP M MARTHENS, TRUSTEE  
378 MARMOT LN  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

MARTHENS, KIMBERLY A TRUST  
\*KIMBERLY A MARTHENS, TRUSTEE  
378 MARMOT LN  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

BATISTA, JAMES A & JANET L TRUST  
295 INDIAN PRAIRIE LOOP  
VICTOR MT 59875

DEBLASE ROBERT  
PO BOX 942  
VICTOR MT 59875

DEBLASE CONNA  
PO BOX 942  
VICTOR MT 59875

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT  
WILL BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE OWNERSHIPS AFTER FINAL  
DECREE.

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

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1888  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 1.50 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 198.00

REPIDD\_DE\_USE: APRIL 10 TO AUGUST 24

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 75H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 75H-W-045483-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

x INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 971, RAVALLI COUNTY. x  
x W045483-00, W125106-00, W146778-00. x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045484-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: RUNNING E T RANCH INC  
380 INDIAN PRAIRIE LOOP  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: WASTE & SEEPAGE, TRIB OF BITTERROOT RIVER  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

THE SOURCE IS WASTE WATER COLLECTED IN A DITCH.

PRIORITY DATE: FEBRUARY 21, 1962  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE:  
ENTIRE FLOW OF THE SOURCE.

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 30.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 10 TO OCTOBER 14

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SWSSE 01 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: BIG DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 20.00 E2ENE 12 08N 21W RAVALLI  
002 10.00 NESENE 12 08N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 30.00

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045484-00 (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 154.00 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. W001930-00, W045484-00.

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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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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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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045485-00

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."

OWNERS: RUNNING E T RANCH INC  
300 INDIAN PRAIRIE LOOP  
VICTOR MT 59075

EMERGENCY USE: STOCK

SOURCE: BIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1871  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREE 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 SENWSE 11 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: BIG DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 SENW 07 08N 20W RAVALLI  
002 E2NE 12 08N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-V-045485-00 (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.  
W001930-00, W045485-00.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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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 1-406-596-4364, OR BY WRITING TO  
P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045486-00

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."

OWNERS:

RUNNING E T RANCH INC 380 INDIAN PRAIRIE LOOP VICTOR	MT	59875
MARTHENS, KIMBERLY A TRUST *KIMBERLY A MARTHENS, TRUSTEE 376 MARMOT LN STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870
MARTHENS, PHILIP M TRUST *PHILIP M MARTHENS, TRUSTEE 378 MARMOT LN STEVENSVILLE	MT	59870
DEBLASE ROBERT PO BOX 942 VICTOR	MT	59875
DEBLASE DONNA PO BOX 942 VICTOR	MT	59875
BATISTA, JAMES A & JANET L TRUST 296 INDIAN PRAIRIE LOOP VICTOR	MT	59875

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE OWNERSHIPS AFTER FINAL DECREE.

ENBRDSE\_CASE: STOCK

SOURCE: MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY\_DATE: APRIL 01, 1888  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 \* N 23



PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76A-W-045427-00

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."

OWNERS: SCHRAM N D  
1443 MERIDIAN RD  
VICTOR MT 59975  
  
SCHRAM MPRY E  
1443 MERIDIAN RD  
VICTOR MT 59675

PURPOSE [USE]: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

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

\* PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1951  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: 2.27 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: 60.00

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 NESWSE 24 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 5.00 N2NESE 24 07N 21W RAVALLI  
002 19.00 S2NESE 24 07N 21W RAVALLI  
003 19.50 N2SESE 24 07N 21W RAVALLI  
004 1.50 S2SESE 24 07N 21W RAVALLI  
005 1.00 E2W2SE 24 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 60.00

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN #1  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-U-045487-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

REMARKS:

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W02002-00, W02003-00, W02004-00, W028604-00,  
W045487-00, W107432-00.

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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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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045490-00

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OWNERS:	OSTER	LLOYD	J
	280 INDIAN PRAIRIE LOOP	MT	59875
	VICTOR		
	OSTER	CAROL	J
	280 INDIAN PRAIRIE LOOP	MT	59875
	VICTOR		
	FLEAK	VIRGINIA	S
	318 BEAR CREEK RD	MT	59875
	VICTOR		
	FLEAK	LARRIE	L
	318 BEAR CREEK RD	MT	59875
	VICTOR		

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE OWNERSHIPS AFTER FINAL DECREE.

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

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, SOUTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1880  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 2.50 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 100.00

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 SUSVSE 02 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 764  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 764-W-045490-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME: NO. 4 DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	67.50				W2E	12	07N	21W	RAVALLI
002	32.50				NESW	12	07N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	100.00								

REMARKS:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/06/90.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/14/90.

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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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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H- W-045515-00

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."

OWNERS: TRONE CAROLYN S  
733 NW ORCHARD DR  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
TRONE WILLIAM E  
733 NW ORCHARD DR  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MILL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 01, 1872  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01								NEBENE 03 06N 21W RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02								SENEW 03 06N 21W RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SANDERS DITCH

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
BLODGETT DITCH

- \* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001								SESENEW 12 06N 21W RAVALLI	

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-V-045515-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W045515-00, W104656-00.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045549-00

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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."

OWNERS: WALLACE JAMES D  
3595 BLACKHAWK DR  
WEST VALLEY CITY UT 84120  
WALLACE BEVERLY J  
3595 BLACKHAWK DR  
WEST VALLEY CITY UT 84120

PURPOSE USE: STOCK

SOURCE: BIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 01, 1882  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 79.70 GPM (.18 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 SWSESE 12 08N 21W RAUALLI PUMP

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SESESE 12 08N 20W RAUALLI  
002 NENENE 13 08N 20W RAUALLI

REMARKS:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045549-00 (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.  
W045549-00, W045550-00.

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\* 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 \*  
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\* THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT WERE \*  
\* FILED BY DIFFERENT PARTIES WHO CLAIM OVERLAPPING \*  
\* PLACES OF USE. W004850-00, W004851-00, W009849-00, \*  
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\* W177858-00, W177859-00, W177860-00, W151998-00, \*  
\* W151999-00, W152000-00. \*  
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\* INFORMATION INDICATES THE WATER RIGHT MAY HAVE BEEN \*  
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\* FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. \*  
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A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING  
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FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT  
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OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT  
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COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC EXAMINATION RESULTS AND RELATED MATERIALS  
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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 59771-0879.

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045550-00

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."

OWNERS: WALLACE JAMES D  
3595 BLACKHAWK DR  
WEST VALLEY CITY UT 84120  
WALLACE BEVERLY J  
3595 BLACKHAWK DR  
WEST VALLEY CITY UT 84120

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

SOURCE: BIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 01, 1882  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 79.70 GPM ( .18 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: 10.11

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO SEPTEMBER 24

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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

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\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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TOTAL 10.11

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045550-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 145 MINER'S  
INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1071, RAVALLI COUNTY,  
W004850-00, W009851-00, W026931-00, W030364-00,  
W033643-00, W033785-00, W045373-00, W045550-00,  
W147820-00, W147903-00, W177857-00, W177860-00.

FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON  
RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE.

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W115309-00, W147820-00, W147903-00, W177857-00,  
W177958-00, W177859-00, W177860-00, W151998-00,  
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THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958)  
APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED.

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APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045550-00 (CONTINUED)

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045551-00

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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."

OWNERS: WEST KARLA J  
NW 529 BLODGETT CAMP RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
WEST MICHAEL H  
NW 529 BLODGETT CAMP RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREEED 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 1 1 SW6SW 21 06N 21W RAUALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: PUTNAM DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-V-045551-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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x UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. x  
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x THE PRIORITY DATE IS IN QUESTION. THE PLACE OF USE x  
x DESCRIBED IN CASE NO. 1503, RAVALLI COUNTY, IS x  
x INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE. x  
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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OWNERS: WEST KARLA J  
NW 529 BLODGETT CAMP RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
  
WEST MICHAEL H  
NW 529 BLODGETT CAMP RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 56.10 GPM (.12 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: 5.00

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 SWSESW 21 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: PUTNAM DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 5.00 1 1 SWNESE 21 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 5.00

REMARKS:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045552-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

SUBD: PARADISE HEIGHTS

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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 5.00 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 THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE X  
X FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE X  
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X MINUTE INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1503, RAVALLI X  
X COUNTY. W004594-00, W027619-00, W045552-00, X  
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X FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON X  
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X APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. X  
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X THE PRIORITY DATE IS IN QUESTION. THE PLACE OF USE X  
X DESCRIBED IN CASE NO. 1503, RAVALLI COUNTY, IS X  
X INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE. X  
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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  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045552-00 (CONTINUED)

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045553-00

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OWNERS: WILLIAMS LELA L  
NW 437 BLODGETT CAMP RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
  
WILLIAMS BILL R  
NW 437 BLODGETT CAMP RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREEED 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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LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 S5E5W 21 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: BELL-LEWIS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
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REMARKS:

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045553-00 (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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OWNER: WILLIAMS BILL R  
NW 437 BLODGETT CAMP RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840

WILLIAMS LEILA L  
NW 437 BLODGETT CAMP RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 49.00 GPM ( .11 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: 4.50

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 SWSESW 21 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: BELL-LEWIS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 2.00 NWNW 27 06N 21W RAVALLI  
002 2.50 NENW 27 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 4.50

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045554-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W045553-00, W045554-00.

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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 WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 120 MINER'S INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1503, RAVALLI COUNTY.  
W009764-00, W045554-00, W099246-00, W108837-00,  
W133451-00, W147939-00, W147960-00, W149975-00,  
W150109-00, W150803-00, W151646-00, W215057-00.

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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-045711-00

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."

OWNERS:	STAFFORD	ERNEST	K
	PO BOX 1022		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840
	CUMMINGS	ROBERT	A
	PO BOX 857		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840
	COOPER	JUNE	M
	415 N 2ND		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840
	STAFFORD	MARIAN	E
	***DECEASED***		
	217 W KOCH		
	BOZEMAN	MT	00000

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE OWNERSHIPS AFTER FINAL DECREE.

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BLODGETT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREE 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 TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----

01 SWSWE 16 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-045711-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME: FOURTH RIGHT DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RSE	COUNTY	
001				N2	NENE	23	06N	21W	RAVALLI
002				SENE	EENE	23	06N	21W	RAVALLI

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. W045711-00, W045712-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/01/92.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/18/94.

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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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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-045712-00

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."

OWNERS:	STAFFORD	ERNEST	K
	PO BOX 1022		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840
	CUMMINGS	ROBERT	A
	PO BOX 857		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840
	COOPER	JUNE	M
	415 N 2ND		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840
	STAFFORD	MARIAN	E
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	217 W KOCH		
	BOZEMAN	MT	00000

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE OWNERSHIPS AFTER FINAL DECREE.

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

SOURCE: BLODBETT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 144.00 GPM @ .32 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: 12.90

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 SWSSE 16 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

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WATER:RIGHT:NUMBER:76M:W-045712-00:(CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME: FOURTH RIGHT DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	10.10				N2ENE	23	06N	21W RAVALLI
002	2.80				SENEE	23	06N	21W RAVALLI
TOTAL	12.90							

REMARKS:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/01/92.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/18/94.

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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. \*  
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\* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 07/24/90: POINT OF DIVERSION, MEANS OF DIVERSION.

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.  
W047427-00, W109362-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/15/93.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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ACCORDING TO INFORMATION IN THE CLAIM FILE, THE  
RESERVOIR WAS CONSTRUCTED IN THE EARLY 1950'S WHICH  
DATES NOT CORRESPOND TO THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE. THIS  
MAY INDICATE AN EXPANSION OF THE RIGHT.  
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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-047428-00

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OWNERS:	DUARTE	DAVID ERICK	
	37760 FARWELL DR		
	FREMONT	CA	94536
	MARSHALL	STEPHEN J	
	37760 FARWELL DR		
	FREMONT	CA	94536
	NEALON	GREGORY B	
	37760 FARWELL DR		
	FREMONT	CA	94536

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SHEAFMAN CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 NENW1/4 28 07N 21W RAUALLI HEADGATE

SOURCE GULCH IS USED AS A NATURAL CARRIER TO CONVEY WATER DIVERTED FROM SHEAFMAN CREEK TO SECONDARY POINTS OF DIVERSION LOCATED IN THE NW1/4 AND THE NW1/4 OF SEC 22 TWP 07N RGE 21W, RAUALLI COUNTY.

DITCH NAME: NO. 3 AND NO. 5 DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H1-W-04742B-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

OO1 S25WSE 23 07N 21W RAVALLI  
OO2 E25EW 23 07N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/05/87.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/26/88.

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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 76H-U-047429-00

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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."

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37760 FARWELL DR  
FREMONT CA 94536  
MARSHALL STEPHEN J  
37760 FARWELL DR  
FREMONT CA 94536  
NEALON GREGORY B  
37760 FARWELL DR  
FREMONT CA 94536

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

SOURCE: SHEAFMAN CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 1.19 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: 47.50

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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

01 NENWW 28 07N 21W RAUALLI HEADGATE

BOURNE GULCH IS USED AS A NATURAL CARRIER TO CONVEY WATER DIVERTED FROM SHEAFMAN CREEK TO SECONDARY POINTS OF DIVERSION LOCATED IN THE NWSESE AND THE NWSESE OF SEC 22 TWP 07N RGE 21W, RAUALLI COUNTY.

DITCH NAME: NO. 3 AND NO. 5 DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-047429-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

001	40.00	SWSE	23	07N	21W	RAVALLI
002	7.50	E2SESW	23	07N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	47.50					

REMARKS:

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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 47.50 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. W047429-00, W047430-00, W047431-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/05/87.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/26/88.

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\* 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. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY FIELD NOTES \*  
\* (1957) APPEAR TO INDICATE 16.00 ACRES IRRIGATED BY \*  
\* WATER DIVERTED FROM SHEAFMAN CREEK. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 179-20, DATED 08/02/79, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 16.00 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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OWNERS: DUARTE DAVID ERICK  
37760 FARWELL DR  
FREMONT CA 94536  
  
MARSHALL STEPHEN J  
37760 FARWELL DR  
FREMONT CA 94536  
  
NEALON GREGORY B  
37760 FARWELL DR  
FREMONT CA 94536

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

SOURCE: BOURNE GULCH  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 18, 1955  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: 1.80 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: 47.50

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				NWSESE	22	07N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

X THE MAXIMUM COMBINED ACRES FOR THIS GROUP OF X  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-047431-00

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FREMONT CA 94536  
NEALON GREGORY B  
37760 FARWELL DR  
FREMONT CA 94536

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

SOURCE: BOURNE GULCH  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1900  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 275.00 GPM ( .61 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 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SWSWE 23 07N 21W RAVALLI PUMP

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 20.00 ----- S2SWE 23 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 20.00

REMARKS:

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OWNERS: BRYSON CHARLES W  
312 DALY AVE  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
BRYSON DONNA M E  
312 DALY AVE  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: MILL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1989  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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 NWNWNE 04 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: WALDHERR-MOORE-HINRICH'S DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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

001 W2NESE 34 07N 21W RAVALLI

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

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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.  
W047432-00, W049023-00.

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\* THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, \*  
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OWNERS: DAVISON DEAN E  
PO BOX 284 MT 59875  
VICTOR

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

\* SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1876  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 291.72 GPM ( .65 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: 30.00

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 SESWE 03 07N 21W RAUALLI HEADGATE

WATER DIVERTED FROM BEAR CREEK, NORTH FORK IS CONVEYED TO BRANCH CREEK WHICH IS USED AS A NATURAL CARRIER TO CONVEY WATER TO THE PLACE OF USE.

DITCH NAME: NO. 2 DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 30.00 SENE 36 08N 21W RAUALLI  
TOTAL ----- 30.00

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 06/14/88.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-047444-00

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OWNERS: GRANT HENRY H  
445 SW WESTSIDE RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: SAWTOOTH CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1904  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 1.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 46.00

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO OCTOBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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

01 SESESW 03 05N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: JACOBSEN DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR DIVERSION:

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

001	3.00	SENESE	34	05N	21W	RAVALLI
002	40.00	SESE	34	05N	21W	RAVALLI
003	3.00	NESESE	34	05N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	46.00					

REMARKS:

THE PLACE OF USE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
04/01/94.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W047444-00, W047445-00, W047446-00.

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OWNER: GRANT HENRY H  
445 SW WESTSIDE RD MT 59840  
HAMILTON

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

SOURCE: ROARING LION CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: AUGUST 01, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 3.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 55.00

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO OCTOBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 NWNWSE 10 05N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: DOWNING DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 4.00 NENENW 02 05N 21W RAVALLI  
002 13.00 SENENW 02 05N 21W RAVALLI  
003 38.00 SENW 02 05N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 55.00

REMARKS:

THE PLACE OF USE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
04/01/94.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-047446-00

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OWNER: GRANT HENRY H  
445 SW WESTSIDE RD MT 59840  
HAMILTON

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

SOURCE: SAWTOOTH CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREEED

FLOW RATE: 4.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 101.00

PERIOD OF USE: MARCH 01 TO OCTOBER 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01			SESENE	03	05N	21W	RAVALLI	DIKE
02			SESESW	03	05N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
JACOBSEN DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001	4.00			NE	NE	02	05N	21W	RAVALLI
002	13.00			SE	NE	02	05N	21W	RAVALLI
003	38.00			SE	NE	02	05N	21W	RAVALLI
004	3.00			SE	NE	34	06N	21W	RAVALLI
005	40.00			SE	SE	34	06N	21W	RAVALLI
006	3.00			NE	SW	34	06N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	101.00								

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 04/01/94: POINT OF DIVERSION, MEANS OF DIVERSION  
AND PLACE OF USE.

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 101.00  
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.  
W047444-00, W047445-00, W047446-00.

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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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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  
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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.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-047448-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: HALAMA STEVEN F  
1097 OUTLAW TRAIL  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BLODGETT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 148.00 GPM (.33 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 SWSSE 16 06N 21W RAVALLI HERDGADE

DITCH NAME: FOURTH RIGHT DITCH

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 OFFSTREAM SWNEW 24 06N 21W RAVALLI  
CAPACITY: 5 AC-FT DAM HEIGHT: FT SURFACE AREA: 16 ACRES

THE CAPACITY AND SURFACE AREA HAVE BEEN ESTIMATED BY  
DNRC.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 SWNEW 24 06N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

\* C 27

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-04744B-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W04744B-00, W047449-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/17/90.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 06/23/97.

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\* THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, \*  
\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC 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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OWNER: HALAMA STEVEN F  
1037 OUTLAW TRAIL  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: BLODGETT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 148.00 GPM (.33 CFS)

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

PRIMARILY A DIRECT FLOW SYSTEM; VOLUME NOT DECREED.

MAXIMUM ACRES: 13.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SWSWSE 16 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: FOURTH RIGHT DITCH

RESERVOIR:

QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
01 OFFSTREAM SUNENW 24 06N 21W RAVALLI  
CAPACITY: 5.00-FT DAM HEIGHT: FT SURFACE AREA: 16 ACRES

THE CAPACITY AND SURFACE AREA HAVE BEEN ESTIMATED BY  
DNRC.

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 13.00 S2NEW 24 06N 21W RAVALLI

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

TOTAL 13.00

REMARKS:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/17/90.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 06/23/97.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-047450-00

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OWNER: HERSHBERGER MARY E  
STAR RT 1 BOX 571  
TEHACHAPI CA 93561  
HERSHBERGER GEORGE H  
STAR RT 1 BOX 571  
TEHACHAPI CA 93561

PURPOSE USE: STOCK

SOURCE: BIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1882  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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: JUNE 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SESESE 12 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE  
DITCH NAME: SANDERS B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 N2ESESE 07 08N 20W RAVALLI

THE PLACE OF USE INCLUDES LOT 7, CERTIFICATE OF SURVEY  
346.

REMARKS:

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BASIN 76H  
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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 76H-W-047451-00

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OWNER:	HERSBERGER	GEORGE	H
	STAR RT 1 BOX 571		
	TEHACHAPI	CA	93561
	HERSBERGER	MARY	E
	STAR RT 1 BOX 571		
	TEHACHAPI	CA	93561

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1892  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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: JUNE 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC. SEC. TWP. RGE. COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SESESE 12 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: SANDERS B DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC. SEC. TWP. RGE. COUNTY -----  
001 SESE 07 08N 20W RAVALLI

THE PLACE OF USE INCLUDES LOT 6, CERTIFICATE OF SURVEY 346.

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-047451-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-047452-00

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OWNERS: HERSHBERGER MARY E  
STAR RT 1 BOX 571  
TEHACHAPI CA 93561  
HERSHBERGER GEORGE H  
STAR RT 1 BOX 571  
TEHACHAPI CA 93561

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

SOURCE: BIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1882  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 95.90 GPM (.08 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: 10.00

PERIOD OF USE: JUNE 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SESESE 12 08N 21W RAVALLI HEROGATE

DITCH NAME: SANDERS B DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 10.00 ----- SESE 07 08N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 10.00 -----

THE PLACE OF USE INCLUDES LOT 6, CERTIFICATE OF SURVEY 346.

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-4-047452-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W047451-00, W047452-00.

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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 WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE x  
x FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE x  
x SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 70 MINER'S x  
x INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1071, RAVALLI COUNTY. x  
x W012119-00, W012716-00, W020010-00, W021225-00, x  
x W047452-00, W047453-00, W103762-00, W103842-00, x  
x W116688-00, W118409-00, W148159-00. x  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 75H-U-047458-00 (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. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 50 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1503, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W00090-00, W02378-00, W044936-00, W047458-00, \*  
\* W109010-00, W021217-00. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* AS OF 09/07/93, THIS WATER RIGHT APPEARS TO BE OWNED \*  
\* BY LUCILLE M WHITLACK, TRUSTEE, 6710 KELSEY LN, NEW \*  
\* PORT RICHEY, FL 34653. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 8.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A \*  
\* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH (NCS). 179-70, DATED 08/02/79, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 8.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A \*  
\* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
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\* THE PRIORITY DATE IS QUESTIONABLE. CASE NO. 1503, \*  
\* RAVALLI COUNTY, APPEARS TO INDICATE THE PRIORITY DATE \*  
\* FOR THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE IS 06/01/1896. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76A-W-047473-00

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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."

DIVERS: HALL LES M  
8145 DICENZA LN  
SAN DIEGO CA 92119  
HALL DEBORAH C  
8145 DICENZA LN  
SAN DIEGO CA 92119

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: LOST HORSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1907  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

- \* 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 NENWSE 09 04N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE  
DITCH NAME: MCCARTY DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SWSWSW 10 04N 21W RAVALLI

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN PARCEL 18.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-047473-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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 (PURPOSES OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES. W047473-00, W107342-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 06/16/87.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/28/92.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/24/92.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/14/94.

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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049013-00

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."

OWNERS: WOOD JAMES E  
RD 3 BOX 605 CORBETT RD  
MONTGOMERY NY 12549  
WOOD VERNE E  
RD 3 BOX 605 CORBETT RD  
MONTGOMERY NY 12549

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

SOURCE: BLODGETT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 56.10 GPM ( .12 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: 5.00

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO SEPTEMBER 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 NENESE 16 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: SECOND RIGHT DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 5.00 1 E2E5E 10 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 5.00

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

SUBD: PARK ACRES

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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.  
W049013-00, W049014-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/27/90.

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\* THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 100 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 957, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W019686-00, W025744-00, W025745-00, W026325-00, \*  
\* W026334-00, W030376-00, W030377-00, W049013-00, \*  
\* W104517-00, W104526-00, W125136-00, W151350-00, \*  
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P. O. BOX 679, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0679.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-049014-00

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MONTGOMERY NY 12549  
WOOD UERNE E  
RD 3 BOX 605 CORBETT RD  
MONTGOMERY NY 12549

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BLODGETT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREEED

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREEED 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 SERVED 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 NENESE 16 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: SECOND RIGHT DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

--- ACRES ----- LOT\_BLK QTR\_SEC\_SEC TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
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REMARKS:

SUBD: PARK ACRES

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049014-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/27/90.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-049022-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS:	BRYSON	DNHNAME	E
	312 DALY AVE		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840
	BRYSON	CHARLES	W
	312 DALY AVE		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840

RUBESSE [USE]: STOCK

SOURCE: MILL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1884  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREEED 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 NUNUNE O4 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: WALOHERR-MOORE-HINRICHIS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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

001 W2NESE 34 07N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H3-W-049022-00 (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.  
W049022-00, W104935-00.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H3-W-049023-00

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OWNERS: BRYSON CHARLES W  
312 DALY AVE  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
BRYSON DONNAMEE E  
312 DALY AVE  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: MILL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 94.25 GPM ( .21 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: 18.00

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 N4W4E 04 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: WALDHERR-MOORE-HINRICHS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 18.00  
TOTAL 18.00 W2NESE 34 07N 21W RAVALLI

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-049023-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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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 18.00 ACRES. EACH RIGHT IS LIMITED TO THE LOW 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. W049023-00, W104935-00.

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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 WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 66.56 \*  
\* MINER'S INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 565, RAUULLI \*  
\* COUNTY. W026951-00, W033665-00, W049023-00, \*  
\* W103420-00, W104646-00, W150914-00, W151237-00, \*  
\* W214184-00 \*  
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OWNERS:	MUNFORD	ROSALIE		
	71 E TEXAS AVE		NU	89015
	HENDERSON			
	MUNFORD	VERGENE	W	
	71 E TEXAS AVE		NU	89015
	HENDERSON			
	UDAW	CLAYTON	E	
	RR 1 BOX 103		OK	73016
	CASHION			
	UDAW	MYRNA	J	
	RR 1 BOX 103		OK	73016
	CASHION			
	MARTINEZ	FRANCISCO		
	451 EAGLE FEATHER LN		MT	59875
	VICTOR			
	ROBERTS	ELFRIEDE		
	451 EAGLE FEATHER LN		MT	59875
	VICTOR			
	FOX	LARRY	L	
	331 EAGLEFEATHER LN		MT	59875
	VICTOR			
	FOX	PATRICIA	L	
	331 EAGLEFEATHER LN		MT	59875
	VICTOR			

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT WILL BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE OWNERSHIPS AFTER FINAL DECREE.

EUROUSE\_{USE}: STOCK

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1886  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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: \* L 28

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VOLUME CONTINUED:

THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 50 GALLONS PER 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					NENWSE	02	07N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

WATER DIVERTED FROM BEAR CREEK, NORTH CHANNEL IS CONVEYED TO WOODMENCY SLOUGH WHICH IS USED AS A NATURAL CARRIER TO CONVEY WATER TO THE PLACE OF USE.

DITCH NAME: WOODMENCY OR NO. 3 DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY		
001						NENW	01	07N	21W	RAVALLI

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WD49037-00, W116642-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/28/84.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/04/91.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/05/92.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/04/94.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/13/94.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/29/96.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/25/97.

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x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-049039-00

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OWNERS: GROFF WILLIAM A  
PO BOX 190  
VICTOR MT 59675  
GROFF PHYLLIS A  
PO BOX 190  
VICTOR MT 59675

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SWEATHOUSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1869  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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 04

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY MEANS  
01 N2SE 25 08N 21W RAVALLI DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY  
001 N2SE 25 08N 21W RAVALLI

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049039-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE  
RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF  
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W045412-00, W049039-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76A-U-049040-00

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OWNER: GROFF PHYLIS A  
PO BOX 190 MT 59875  
VICTOR  
GROFF WILLIAM A  
PO BOX 190 MT 59875  
VICTOR

PURPOSE USE: STOCK

\* SOURCE: SWEATHOUSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 01, 1888  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 N2NE 35 08N 21W RAVALLI DIRECT FROM SOURCE  
02 S2SESE 26 08N 21W RAVALLI DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 S2SESE 26 08N 21W RAVALLI  
002 N2NE 35 08N 21W RAVALLI

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
 BASIN 76H  
 ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76Hx-W-049041-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS:	BICKISH	EDITH	C	
	BOX 1471			
	HAMILTON	MT	59840	
	BICKISH	DAVID		
	BOX 1471			
	HAMILTON	MT	59840	

PURPOSE [USE]: STOCK

SOURCE: SHEAFMAN CREEK  
 SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1895  
 TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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				E25NW	27	07N	21W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02				N5ENE	28	07N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: SOUTH TALBOT DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				E25NW	27	07N	21W	RAVALLI	

REMARKS:

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-049041-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/29/86.

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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049618-00

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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."

OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD MT 59870  
STEVENSVILLE

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1877  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
02	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
03	SESESW	32	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
04	SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
05	SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
06	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
07	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
08	SESESE	33	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
09	SENEWSW	34	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
10	NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
11	SWSWESE	34	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
12	SWSWSW	35	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
13	E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAUALLI				DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14	SW	34	10N	20W	RAUALLI				DIRECT FROM SOURCE
15	SWSE	34	10N	20W	RAUALLI				DIRECT FROM SOURCE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-049618-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
CANYON DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
WINNETT DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
O'RIRE DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
MCNICH DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
FERONATO DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
JOHNSON A DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
JOHNSON B DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
CRUMP DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002				NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003				NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004				NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005				SW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006				W	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007				E	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008				SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009				SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010				E	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
011				NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
012				E	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
013				NE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
014				N	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
015				NE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
016				S	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
017				E	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
018				SE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
019				N	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
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021				E	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
022				S	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
023				SE	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
024				N	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
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REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 11/08/95: POINTS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049618-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THIS WATER WAS ORIGINALLY DECREED TO LAND IN SECTIONS 25 AND 35 OF TOWNSHIP 10 NORTH, RANGE 20 WEST, RAUALL COUNTY. ON NOVEMBER 14, 1952, 50 INCHES APPROPRIATED MAY 1, 1877 WAS SOLD AND SUBSEQUENTLY MOVED. SEE CLAIM FILE FOR MORE INFORMATION.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049619-00

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OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1894  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

- \* 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			SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02			SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03			SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04			SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05			SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06			NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
07			NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
08			SENESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
09			SENESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
10			NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
11			SWSWSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
12			SWSWSW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
13			E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14			SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
15			SWSE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
 BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049519-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
 MENINCH DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
 FERONATO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
 JOHNSON A DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (GRASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAUALLI
002				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAUALLI
003				NW	03	09N	20W	RAUALLI
004				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAUALLI
005				SWSSEW	03	09N	20W	RAUALLI
006				W2SW	03	09N	20W	RAUALLI
007				N2	04	09N	20W	RAUALLI
008				SE	04	09N	20W	RAUALLI
009				S2SW	04	09N	20W	RAUALLI
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REMARKS:

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 ON 11/08/95; POINTS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

12/18/97  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049619-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049620-00

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OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
236 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE/USE: STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER.

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1872  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREEED 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			SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAUALLI	HEADGATE
02			SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAUALLI	HEADGATE
03			SESW	32	10N	20W	RAUALLI	HEADGATE
04			SEL	32	10N	20W	RAUALLI	HEADGATE
05			SWSW	33	10N	20W	RAUALLI	HEADGATE
06			NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAUALLI	HEADGATE
07			NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAUALLI	HEADGATE
08			SESESE	33	10N	20W	RAUALLI	HEADGATE
09			SESESW	34	10N	20W	RAUALLI	HEADGATE
10			NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAUALLI	HEADGATE
11			SESESE	34	10N	20W	RAUALLI	HEADGATE
12			SWSWSW	35	10N	20W	RAUALLI	HEADGATE
13			ESE	33	10N	20W	RAUALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14			SW	34	10N	20W	RAUALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
15			SWSE	34	10N	20W	RAUALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFAYTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
 MCNINCH DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
 FERONATO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
 JOHNSON A DITCH  
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 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001					NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002					NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003					NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004					NWSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005					SWSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006					W2SW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007					N2	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008					SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009					S2SW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010					E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
011					NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
012					E2NW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
013					N2NE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
014					N2NW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
015					NE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
016					S2NW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
017					E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
018					SESENE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
019					NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
020					E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
021					SESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
022					SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
023					S2NW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
024					N2SW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
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REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
 ON 11/08/95: POINTS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049620-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THIS WATER WAS ORIGINALLY DECREEED TO LAND IN SECTIONS 26 AND 35 OF TOWNSHIP 10 NORTH, RANGE 20 WEST, RAVALLI COUNTY. ON NOVEMBER 14, 1952, 50 INCHES APPROPRIATED MAY 1, 1872 WAS SOLD AND SUBSEQUENTLY MOVED. SEE CLAIM FILE FOR MORE INFORMATION.

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. WHETHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES. W049620-00, W049635-00.

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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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A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT MAY BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN FOR SIMILAR PURPOSES, DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. YOU MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING BASINS OR SUBBASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FURTHER, 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."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-566-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049621-00

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."

OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
298 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 15, 1900  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREE 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				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05				SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06				NESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
07				NESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
08				SESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
09				SENNSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
10				NENESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
11				SWSSESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
12				SWSWNW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
13				ESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14				SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
15				SWSE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
 BASIN 76#  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76#-W-049621-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 D'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
 MCNINCH DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
 FERNANDO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
 JOHNSON A DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001		NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI		
002		NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI		
003		NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI		
004		NWNESE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI		
005		SWSESE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI		
006		W2SW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI		
007		N2	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI		
008		SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI		
009		S2SW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI		
010		E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI		
011		NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI		
012		E2NW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI		
013		N2NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI		
014		N2NW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI		
015		NE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI		
016		S2NW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI		
017		E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI		
018		SESENE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI		
019		NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI		
020		E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI		
021		S2SE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI		
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024		N2SW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI		
025		N2SWSW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI		

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
 ON 11/08/95: POINTS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-049621-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. WO49621-00, WO49639-00.

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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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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-D-049622-00

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

OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
230 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE/USE: STOCK

SOURCE: KOOTENAI 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 SWSSE 18 09N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION  
PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 11/08/95.

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

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF  
YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE  
DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF  
AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT  
PROCEDURES OR CHARGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING  
1-800-564-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO  
P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-049623-00

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."

OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: OCTOBER 01, 1896  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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									
02									
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13									
14									
15									

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
 BASIN 76H  
 ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049623-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 D'WARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
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 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
 FERONATO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
 JOHNSON A DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001					NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002					NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003					NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004					NWNESE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005					W2SW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006					N2	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007					SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008					SESW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009					E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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011					E2NW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
012					N2NE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
013					N2NW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
014					SWSESW	03	10N	20W	RAVALLI
015					NE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
016					S2NW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
017					E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
018					SESENE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
019					NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
020					E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
021					SESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
022					SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
023					SESW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
024					NESE	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
025					N2SW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
 ON 11/08/95: POINTS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049623-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W049623-00, W049641-00.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049624-00

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."

OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD MT 59870  
STEVENSVILLE

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: MARCH 01, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			HEADGATE
02	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			HEADGATE
03	SESESW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			HEADGATE
04	SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			HEADGATE
05	SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			HEADGATE
06	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			HEADGATE
07	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			HEADGATE
08	SENESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			HEADGATE
09	SENSWS	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			HEADGATE
10	NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			HEADGATE
11	SWS/SE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			HEADGATE
12	SWS/NW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			HEADGATE
13	E/SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14	SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE			DIRECT FROM SOURCE
15	W/SE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE			DIRECT FROM SOURCE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
 BASIN 76H  
 ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049624-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
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 LUBY (BRASS CREEK) DITCH  
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PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003				NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004				NWSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005				SWSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006				W2SW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007				N2	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008				SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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010				E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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020				E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
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REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049624-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049625-00

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OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE USE: STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1894  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: C-CREEO

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THE 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. S <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub> TWP. RGE. COUNTY	MEANS
01	SWSWSW 32 10N 20W RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02	SWSWSW 32 10N 20W RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03	SLSWSW 32 10N 20W RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04	SESESE 32 10N 20W RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05	SWSWSW 33 10N 20W RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06	NESESW 33 10N 20W RAVALLI	HEADGATE
07	NESESW 33 10N 20W RAVALLI	HEADGATE
08	SESESE 33 10N 20W RAVALLI	HEADGATE
09	SENWSW 34 10N 20W RAVALLI	HEADGATE
10	NESESW 34 10N 20W RAVALLI	HEADGATE
11	SWSSE 34 10N 20W RAVALLI	HEADGATE
12	SWSWNW 35 10N 20W RAVALLI	HEADGATE
13	E2SE 33 10N 20W RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14	SW 34 10N 20W RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
15	SWSSE 34 10N 20W RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-4-049625-00 (CONTINUED)

## POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
CANYON DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
WIMMETT DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
O'HARE DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
MCNICH DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
LUBY (BRASS CREEK) DITCH  
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LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

## PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				NWNE	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
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003				NW	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
004				NWNE	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
005				SWSE	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
006				WESW	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
007				N2	04	09N	20W RAVALLI
008				SE	04	09N	20W RAVALLI
009				S2SW	04	09N	20W RAVALLI
010				E2	05	09N	20W RAVALLI
011				NE	08	09N	20W RAVALLI
012				E2NW	08	09N	20W RAVALLI
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014				N2NW	10	09N	20W RAVALLI
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017				E2SE	33	10N	20W RAVALLI
018				SESENE	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
019				NW	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
020				E2NESE	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
021				S2SE	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
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## REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 11/08/95; POINTS OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE.

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-049625-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF  
THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.  
W049625-00, W049643-00.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049626-00

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OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1885  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREEED

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREEED 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				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03				SESESW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05				SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
07				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
08				SENESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
09				SENSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
10				NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
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12				SWSWNW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
13				E2SE	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
 BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H1-W-049626-002 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
 MCNINCH DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
 FERONATO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
 JOHNSON A DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
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 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				NWNE	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
002				NWNE	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
003				NW	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
004				NWNE	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
005				SWSE	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
006				W2SW	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
007				NE	04	09N	20W RAVALLI
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016				S2NW	33	10N	20W RAVALLI
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018				SESE	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
019				N4	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
020				E2NESE	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-049626-00 (CONTINUED)

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BASIN 76H  
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OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
239 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1875  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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:

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01				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
 BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049627-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
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 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
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REMARKS:

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 ON 11/08/95: POINTS OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049627-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATERRIGHTNUMBER: 76H-W-04962B-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."

OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
230 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

USE/USE CASE: STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1984  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 90 GALLONS PER 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	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
02	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
03	SESESW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
04	SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
05	SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
06	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
07	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
08	SESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
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13	ESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI				DIRECT FROM SOURCE
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15	SWSE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI				DIRECT FROM SOURCE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
 MCINICH DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
 FERONATO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
 JOHNSON A DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR SICK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001					NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002					NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003					NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004					NWNESE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005					SWSESW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006					W2SW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007					N2	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008					SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009					SESW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010					E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
011					NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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014					N2NW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
015					NE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
016					S2NW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
017					E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
018					SESENE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
019					NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
020					E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
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REMARKS:

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 ON 11/08/95: POINTS OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049628-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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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."

OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

RIGHT DATE: JUNE 15, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01			S	W	S	W	20	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02			S	W	S	W	20	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03			S	E	S	W	20	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04			S	E	S	E	20	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05			S	W	S	W	20	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06			N	E	S	W	20	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
07			N	E	S	W	20	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
08			S	E	S	W	20	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
09			S	E	S	W	20	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
10			N	E	S	W	20	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
11			S	W	S	W	20	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
12			S	W	S	W	20	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
13			E	S	E	20	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE	
14			S	W	20	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE		
15			S	W	E	20	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE	

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
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 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049629-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

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 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
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 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
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 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
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REMARKS:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049629-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W049629-00, W049650-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049630-00

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OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: OCTOBER 27, 1884  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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			SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02			SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03			SESWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04			SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-4-049630-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
CANYON DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
WIMMETT DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
CRUMP DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001			NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002			NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003			NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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REMARKS:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-V-049630-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049631-00

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OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59670

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 10, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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 50 GALLONS PER 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									HEADGATE
02									HEADGATE
03									HEADGATE
04									HEADGATE
05									HEADGATE
06									HEADGATE
07									HEADGATE
08									HEADGATE
09									HEADGATE
10									HEADGATE
11									HEADGATE
12									HEADGATE
13									DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14									DIRECT FROM SOURCE
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049631-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMEY DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
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 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
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 JOHNSON A DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003				NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004				NWNESE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005				SWSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006				W2SW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007				N2	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008				SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009				SESW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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011				NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
012				E2NW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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015				NE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
016				SENW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
017				E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
018				SESENE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
019				NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
020				E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
021				SESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
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REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-049631-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W049631-00, W049648-00.

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 BASIN 76A  
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WATER\_RIGHT\_NUMBER: 76H-W-049632-00

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 298 BASS CREEK RD  
 STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
 SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 15, 1905  
 TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01			SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
02			SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
03			SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
04			SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
05			SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
06			NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
07			NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
08			SESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
09			SESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
10			NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
11			SWSSESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
12			SWSWNW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
13			E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14			SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
 SHANNON DITCH

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 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

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 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
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 JOHNSON B DITCH  
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 LUBY (BRASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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

001				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003				NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004				NWNESE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005				SWSESW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006				W2SW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007				N2	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008				SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-V-049632-00 (CONTINUED)

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STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 01, 1870  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

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LOT BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02		SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03		SESWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04		SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05		SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06		NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
07		NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
08		SESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
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10		NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-049635-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED.

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
 CANYON DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WINNETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
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PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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001				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003				NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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005				SWSE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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WD49633-00, WD49646-00.

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PURPOSE USE: STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

ESTABLISH DATE: APRIL 01, 1893  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05				SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
07				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
08				SESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
09				SESNW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
10				NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
11				SWSWSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
12				SWSWNW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
13				ESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
14				SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
15				SWE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
CANYON DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
WIMMETT DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
O'HARE DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
MCNINCH DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
FERONATO DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
JOHNSON A DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
JOHNSON B DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
CRUMP DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
LUBY (BRASS CREEK) DITCH
- DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR SIDDS:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001						NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002						NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003						NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004						NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005						SWSE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006						WESW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007						N2	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008						SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009						SESW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010						E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
011						NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
012						E2NW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
013						N2NE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
014						N2NW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
015						NE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
016						S2NW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
017						E2SE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
018						SESENE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
019						NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
020						E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
021						S2SE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
022						SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
023						S2NW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
024						N2SW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
025						N2SW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 11/08/95: POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W049634-00, W049645-00.

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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: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1872  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 1.25 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03				SESWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05				SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
07				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
08				SESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
09				SENWSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
10				NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
11				SWSWSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
12				SWSWNW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
CANYON DITCH

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
WIMMETT DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
O'HARE DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
MCNINCH DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
CRUMP DITCH  
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LUBY (CASS CREEK) DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE DE USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	19.00			NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	35.00			NENW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003	40.00			NWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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005	40.00			SWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006	1.00			NWNESEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007	28.00			NWSE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008	3.00			SWSESW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009	35.00			SWSW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010	160.00			NE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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016	21.00			NENW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
017	22.00			SENW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
018	60.00			NENE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
019	26.00			NENW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
020	40.00			NWNW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
021	36.00			NENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
022	40.00			NWNE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
023	32.00			SWNE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
024	60.00			SENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
025	40.00			SENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
026	36.00			NESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
027	40.00			SESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
028	80.00			E2NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
029	38.00			NWNW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
030	40.00			SWNW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
031	1.00			E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
032	19.00			SWSE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
033	40.00			NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
034	38.00			SESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
035	60.00			N2SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
036	14.00			S2SW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI



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

OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
239 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION

SOURCE: KOOTENAI 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 SWSENE 18 09N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION  
PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 11/08/95.

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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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ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."

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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

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OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
299 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1984  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 1.20 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: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05				SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06				NESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
07				NESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
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09				SESESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
10				NESESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH  
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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
 MCNINCH DITCH  
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 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001	19.00					NONE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	35.00					NENN	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003	40.00					NUNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004	24.00					SENN	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005	40.00					SWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006	1.00					NWNESE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007	28.00					NESW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008	3.00					SWSESW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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017	22.00					SENN	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
018	80.00					NENE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
019	25.00					NENN	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
020	40.00					NUNW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
021	36.00					NENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
022	40.00					NWNE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
023	80.00					SENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
024	40.00					SENN	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
025	32.00					SWNW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
026	36.00					NESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
027	40.00					SESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
028	80.00					ENW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
029	38.00					NUNW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
030	40.00					SWNW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
031	1.00					E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
032	19.00					SWSE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
033	40.00					NESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
034	38.00					SESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
035	80.00					W2SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
036	14.00					S2SW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049636-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: MARCH 01, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 1.13 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

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	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAUALLI		HEADGATE	
02		SESWW	32	10N	20W	RAUALLI		HEADGATE	
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07		NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAUALLI		HEADGATE	
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-g-W-049638-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

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 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
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 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 D'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
 MCINCH DITCH  
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 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
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 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BRASS CREEK) DITCH  
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 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
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002	40.00			NUNW	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
003	24.00			SENE	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
004	40.00			SWNW	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
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019	26.00			NENE	10	09N	20W RAVALLI
020	40.00			NWNW	10	09N	20W RAVALLI
021	36.00			NENE	33	10N	20W RAVALLI
022	40.00			NWNE	33	10N	20W RAVALLI
023	80.00			SENE	33	10N	20W RAVALLI
024	40.00			SENE	33	10N	20W RAVALLI
025	32.00			SWNW	33	10N	20W RAVALLI
026	36.00			NESE	33	10N	20W RAVALLI
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032	19.00			SWSE	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
033	40.00			NESE	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
034	38.00			SESE	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
035	80.00			W2SW	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
036	14.00			SESE	35	10N	20W RAVALLI

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

037	29.00	NWSW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	2,122.00					

REMARKS:

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W036235-00, W049635-00, W049637-00, W049638-00,  
W049639-00, W049640-00, W049641-00, W049642-00,  
W049643-00, W049644-00, W049645-00, W049646-00,  
W049647-00, W049648-00, W049649-00, W049650-00,  
W049651-00, W102204-00, W102207-00, W102209-00,  
W102209-00, W102210-00, W102211-00, W102212-00,  
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STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 15, 1900  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 2.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			
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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

037 ----- 29.00  
TOTAL ----- 2,122.00

NWSW 35 10N 20W RAVALLI

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STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EBIDRITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1885  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 2.68 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: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

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002	35.00				NENW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003	40.00				NWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004	24.00				SENE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005	40.00				SWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006	1.00				NWNESW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007	28.00				NWSW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008	3.00				SWSESW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009	35.00				SWSW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010	160.00				NE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
011	160.00				NW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
012	157.00				SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
013	80.00				S2SW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
014	308.00				E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
015	160.00				NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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018	80.00				N2NE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
019	26.00				NENW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
020	40.00				NWNW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
021	36.00				NENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
022	40.00				NWNE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
023	80.00				S2NE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
024	40.00				SENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
025	32.00				SWNW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
026	36.00				NENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
027	40.00				SESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
028	80.00				E2NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
029	38.00				NWNW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
030	40.00				SWNW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
031	3.00				E2NESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
032	19.00				S2SE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
033	40.00				NESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
034	38.00				SESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
035	80.00				W2SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
036	14.00				S2SW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-049640-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

037	29.00	NWS	35	10H	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	2,122.00					

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W107921-00.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049641-00

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OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
298 BASS CREEK RD MT 59870  
STEVENSVILLE

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXISTING DATE: OCTOBER 01, 1896  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 224.40 GPM ( .50 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: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			
02	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			
03	SESWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			
04	SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			
05	SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			
06	NESESU	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			
07	NESESU	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			
08	SENESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			
09	SENWSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			
10	NESESU	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			
11	SWSWSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			
12	SWSWSW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE			

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
CANYON DITCH

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049641-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
 MCNINCH DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
 FERONATO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
 JOHNSON A DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001	19.00				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	35.00				NENW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003	40.00				NWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004	24.00				SENE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005	40.00				SWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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010	160.00				NE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
011	160.00				NW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
012	157.00				SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
013	80.00				SESW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
014	308.00				E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
015	160.00				NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
016	21.00				NENW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
017	22.00				SENE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI
018	80.00				NENE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-049641-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CODE:

037 ----- 29.00  
TOTAL ----- 2,122.00

NWSW 35 10N 20W RAVALLI

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H1-W-049642-00

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238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1877  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 1.25 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND BEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03				SESWW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05				SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
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08				SESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
09				SESWW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
10				NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
11				SWESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

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 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
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 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
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 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
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ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001	19.00			N4NE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	35.00			N4NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003	40.00			N4NW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H3-W-049642-003 (CONTINUED)

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTEFOOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

ELIGIBILITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1894  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 394.94 GPM ( .88 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: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05				SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06				NESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
07				NESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
08				SESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
09				SESESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
10				NESESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
11				SWSWSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
12				SWSWSW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
CANYON DITCH

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-4-049643-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
WIMMETT DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
O'HARE DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
MCINCH DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
FERDINATO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
JOHNSON A DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
JOHNSON B DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
CRUMP DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC.	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	19.00			NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	35.00			NENW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003	40.00			NWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004	24.00			SENE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005	40.00			SWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006	1.00			NWNESW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
007	28.00			NWSW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
008	3.00			SWSSEW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
009	3.00			SWSW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010	160.00			NE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
011	160.00			NW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
012	157.00			SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
013	80.00			SESW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
014	30.00			E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI
015	160.00			NE	06	09N	20W	RAVALLI
016	21.00			NENW	06	09N	20W	RAVALLI
017	22.00			SENE	06	09N	20W	RAVALLI
018	80.00			NENE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI
019	26.00			NENW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
020	40.00			NWNW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
021	36.00			NENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
022	40.00			NWNE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
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034	38.00			SESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
035	80.00			WBSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
036	14.00			SESW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI



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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049644-00

## 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."

OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
236 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1875  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 2.75 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
02	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
03	SESESW	32	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
04	SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
05	SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
06	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
07	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE
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12	SWSWNW	35	10N	20W	RAUALLI				HEADGATE

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CANYON DITCH

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
 BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H1-W-049644-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WIMMETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
 MCNINCH DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
 FERONATO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
 JOHNSON A DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE DE USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001	19.00				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	35.00				NENW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003	40.00				NWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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020	40.00				NWNW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI
021	36.00				NENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
022	40.00				NWNE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
023	60.00				SENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
024	40.00				SENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
025	32.00				SWNW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
026	36.00				NESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
027	40.00				SESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI
028	80.00				E2NW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
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035	80.00				W2SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI
036	14.00				SESW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 764  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 764X-W-049644-00X (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

037 ----- 29.00 NW5W 35 10N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 2,122.00

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 11/08/95: POINTS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE, MAXIMUM ACRES, PERIOD OF USE, AND VOLUME.

THIS WATER WAS ORIGINALLY DECREED TO LAND IN SECTIONS 25, 26 AND 35 OF TOWNSHIP 10 NORTH, RANGE 20 WEST, RAVALLI COUNTY. ON NOVEMBER 14, 1952, 110 INCHES APPROPRIATED MAY 1, 1875 WAS SOLD AND SUBSEQUENTLY MOVED. SEE CLAIM FILE FOR MORE INFORMATION.

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. W049627-00, W049644-00.

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 2,217.00 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.  
W036225-00, W036227-00, W036228-00, W036229-00,  
W036230-00, W036231-00, W036233-00, W036234-00,  
W036235-00, W049635-00, W049637-00, W049638-00,  
W049639-00, W049640-00, W049641-00, W049642-00,  
W049643-00, W049644-00, W049645-00, W049646-00,  
W049647-00, W049648-00, W049649-00, W049650-00,  
W049651-00, W102204-00, W102207-00, W102208-00,  
W102209-00, W102210-00, W102211-00, W102212-00,  
W107917-00, W107918-00, W107919-00, W107920-00,  
W107921-00.

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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 WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE X  
X FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE X  
X SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 110 MINER'S X  
X INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO 1486, RAVALLI COUNTY. X  
X W049644-00, W101705-00, W149951-00, W151182-00. X  
X X  
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BASIN 76H  
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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."

SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF PRELIMINARY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-566-4264, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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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."

OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59970

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXISTENCE DATE: APRIL 01, 1993  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

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: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
02		SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
03		SESWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
04		SESSES	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
05		SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
06		NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
07		NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
08		SESESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
09		SENWSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
10		NESESW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI			HEADGATE
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
CANYON DITCH

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-049645-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
WIMMETT DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
O'HARE DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
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JOHNSON A DITCH  
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CRUMP DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	19.00			NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	35.00			NENW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003	40.00			NWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-V-049645-002 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

037 ----- 29.00 NWSW 35 10N 20W RAULLI  
TOTAL ----- 2,122.00

REMARKS:

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W036225-00, W036227-00, W036228-00, W036229-00,  
W036230-00, W036231-00, W036233-00, W036234-00,  
W036235-00, W049635-00, W049637-00, W049638-00,  
W049639-00, W049640-00, W049641-00, W049642-00,  
W049643-00, W049644-00, W049645-00, W049646-00,  
W049647-00, W049648-00, W049649-00, W049650-00,  
W049651-00, W102204-00, W102207-00, W102208-00,  
W102209-00, W102210-00, W102211-00, W102212-00,  
W107917-00, W107918-00, W107919-00, W107920-00,  
W107921-00.

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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  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049646-00

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OWNERS: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
230 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 01, 1870  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 403.92 GPM ( .90 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: 2,122.00

BEGIND DE USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
03				SESESW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04				SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
05				SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
06				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
07				NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
08				SENESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
09				SENEWSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
10				NENEWSW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
11				SWSESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
12				SWSUNW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
SHANNON DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
CANYON DITCH

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049646-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
WIMMETT DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
O'HARE DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
MCINTICH DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
FERONATO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
JOHNSON A DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
JOHNSON B DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
CRUMP DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
LUBY (BRASS CREEK) DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE DE USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	19.00				NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
002	35.00				NENW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
003	40.00				NWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
004	24.00				SENE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
005	40.00				SUNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
006	1.00				NWNESE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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009	35.00				SWSW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
010	10.00				NE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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012	157.00				SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
013	80.00				S2SW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049646-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

O37	29.00	NWSW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	2,122.00					

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 11/08/95: POINTS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE, MAXIMUM ACRES, PERIOD OF USE, AND VOLUME.

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W049633-00, W049646-00.

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W036225-00, W036227-00, W036228-00, W036229-00,  
W036250-00, W036231-00, W036233-00, W036234-00,  
W036235-00, W049635-00, W049637-00, W049638-00,  
W049639-00, W049640-00, W049641-00, W049642-00,  
W049643-00, W049644-00, W049645-00, W049646-00,  
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W049651-00, W102204-00, W102207-00, W102208-00,  
W102209-00, W102210-00, W102211-00, W102212-00,  
W107917-00, W107918-00, W107919-00, W107920-00,  
W107921-00.

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\* THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS,  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

12/18/97  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049647-00

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230 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 15, 1905  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 3.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01									
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
CANYON DITCH

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
 BASIN 76H  
 ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049647-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

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 THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
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 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
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PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-049648-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
238 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRISBY DATE: MAY 10, 1883  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 3.58 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: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01			SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
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03			SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
04			SESESE	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
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CANYON DITCH

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-04964B-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
WIMMETT DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
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PLACE DE USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-049648-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

037 ----- 29.00 NWSW 35 10N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 2,122.00

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049649-00

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OWNER: RUFFATTO LAND & CATTLE CO  
230 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: OCTOBER 27, 1984  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 4.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
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SHANNON DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
CANYON DITCH

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
 WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
 BASIN 76H  
 ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

12/18/97  
 PAGE 3,022

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-4-049649-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
 WINNETT DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
 THOMPSON RUFFATO DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
 O'HARE DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
 MCNINCH DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
 FERONATO DITCH  
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 JOHNSON A DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
 JOHNSON B DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
 CRUMP DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
 LUBY CREEK DITCH  
 DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
 LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	19.00			NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
002	35.00			NENW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
003	40.00			NWNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
004	24.00			SENE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
005	40.00			SUNW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
006	1.00			NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
007	28.00			NWSW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
008	3.00			SWSE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
009	35.00			SWSW	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
010	160.00			NE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
011	160.00			NW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
012	157.00			SE	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
013	80.00			S2SW	04	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
014	308.00			E2	05	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
015	160.00			NE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
016	31.00			NENW	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
017	22.00			SENE	08	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
018	80.00			N2NE	09	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
019	26.00			NENW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
020	40.00			NWNW	10	09N	20W	RAVALLI	
021	36.00			NENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
022	40.00			NWNE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
023	80.00			SENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
024	40.00			SENE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
025	32.00			S2NW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
026	36.00			NESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
027	40.00			SESE	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
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034	38.00			SESE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
035	80.00			W2SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	
036	14.00			S2SW	35	10N	20W	RAVALLI	

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIME SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM\*

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-X-V-049649-00X(CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

097 -----29.00                      NSW 35 10N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL        2,122.00

REMARKS:

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ON 11/08/95: POINTS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE,  
MAXIMUM ACRES, PERIOD OF USE, AND VOLUME.

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W049630-00, W049649-00.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049650-00

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298 BASS CREEK RD  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 15, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 2.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 3

MAXIMUM ACRES: 2,122.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	WATER RIGHT	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
02	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
03	SESESW	32	10N	20W	RAVALI I		HEADGATE
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05	SWSWSW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
06	NESESW	33	10N	20W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

12/18/97  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-049650-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
WIMMETT DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
THOMPSON RUFFATO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
MCNINCH DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
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DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
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001	19.00					NWNE	03	09N	20W	RAVALLI
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-049650-00 (CONTINUED)

PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

037 ----- 29.00 NWSW 35 10N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 2,122.00

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-V-049651-00

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STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1884  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 372.50 GPM ( .83 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: 2,122.00

RESID. OF USE: APRIL 05 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01	SWSWSW	32	10N	20W	RAVALLI				HEADGATE
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 03 IS:  
WIMMETT DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 04 IS:  
THOMPSON RUFFATTO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 05 IS:  
O'HARE DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 06 IS:  
MCINCH DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 07 IS:  
FERDINATO DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 08 IS:  
JOHNSON A DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 09 IS:  
JOHNSON B DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 10 IS:  
CRUMP DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 11 IS:  
LUBY (BASS CREEK) DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 12 IS:  
LUBY (NORTH CHANNEL) DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	19.00			NWNE	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
002	35.00			NEW	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
003	40.00			NWNW	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
004	24.00			SEW	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
005	40.00			SWNW	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
006	1.00			NWNE	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
007	28.00			NWSE	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
008	3.00			SWSE	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
009	35.00			SWW	03	09N	20W RAVALLI
010	160.00			NE	04	09N	20W RAVALLI
011	160.00			NW	04	09N	20W RAVALLI
012	157.00			SE	04	09N	20W RAVALLI
013	80.00			SESW	04	09N	20W RAVALLI
014	308.00			E	05	09N	20W RAVALLI
015	160.00			NE	08	09N	20W RAVALLI
016	21.00			NEW	08	09N	20W RAVALLI
017	22.00			SEW	08	09N	20W RAVALLI
018	80.00			NENE	09	09N	20W RAVALLI
019	26.00			NEW	10	09N	20W RAVALLI
020	40.00			NWNW	10	09N	20W RAVALLI
021	36.00			NENE	33	10N	20W RAVALLI
022	40.00			NWNE	33	10N	20W RAVALLI
023	80.00			SENE	33	10N	20W RAVALLI
024	40.00			SEW	33	10N	20W RAVALLI
025	32.00			SWW	33	10N	20W RAVALLI
026	36.00			NESE	33	10N	20W RAVALLI
027	40.00			SESE	33	10N	20W RAVALLI
028	80.00			E2NW	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
029	38.00			NWNW	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
030	40.00			SWW	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
031	1.00			E2NESE	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
032	19.00			SWSE	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
033	40.00			NESE	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
034	38.00			SESW	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
035	80.00			WESW	34	10N	20W RAVALLI
036	14.00			SESW	35	10N	20W RAVALLI

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-050030-00

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."

OWNER: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE (USE): INSTITUTIONAL

LAKE COMO CAMPGROUND (CUPPER)

SOURCE: SPRING, TRIO OF LICK CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JANUARY 26, 1925  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

VOLUME: .10 AF

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				NENENE	25	04N	22W	RAVALLI	SPRING BOX

\* PLACE OF USE FOR INSTITUTIONAL:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				NENENE	25	04N	22W	RAVALLI	

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 03/17/94: SOURCE, MEANS OF DIVERSION, FLOW RATE AND  
VOLUME.

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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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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 76H-W-050030-00 (CONTINUED)

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 76H2-W-050042-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE USE: STOCK

SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF LICK CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS NORTH COMO SPRING

PRIORITY DATE: FEBRUARY 22, 1897  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 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: JUNE 01 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SENWNW 31 04N 21W RAVALLI SPRING BOX

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SENWNW 31 04N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 10/09/31.

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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: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSEOLA MT 59807

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: LICK CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 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.

\* 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 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01			N2	29	04N	21W	RAVALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02			N2	30	04N	21W	RAVALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
03			E2	23	04N	22W	RAVALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
04			S2N2	24	04N	22W	RAVALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
05			S2	24	04N	22W	RAVALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE

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

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCKS:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				N2	29	04N	21W	RAVALLI	
002				N2	30	04N	21W	RAVALLI	
003				E2	23	04N	22W	RAVALLI	
004				S2N2	24	04N	22W	RAVALLI	
005				S2	24	04N	22W	RAVALLI	

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

THE TOWNSHIP IS UNSURVEYED. THE LEGAL LAND  
DESCRIPTION FOR THE PLACE OF USE HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

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OWNERS: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: LOST HORSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1920  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

\* ELOW 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: JUNE 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01			N2NE	17	04N	21W	RAVALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02			N2NSW	17	04N	21W	RAVALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
03			N2S2	18	04N	21W	RAVALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
04			N2	11	04N	22W	RAVALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
05			S2NW	12	04N	22W	RAVALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
06			S2S2E	12	04N	22W	RAVALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
07			E2NSW	12	04N	22W	RAVALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE
08			SESW	12	04N	22W	RAVALLI		DIRECT FROM SOURCE

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

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				N2NE	17	04N	21W	RAVALLI	
002				N2NSW	17	04N	21W	RAVALLI	
003				N2S2	18	04N	21W	RAVALLI	
004				N2	11	04N	22W	RAVALLI	

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

005	SNW	12	04N	22W	RAVALLI
006	S2S2SE	12	04N	22W	RAVALLI
007	E2NWSW	12	04N	22W	RAVALLI
008	SESW	12	04N	22W	RAVALLI

THE TOWNSHIP IS UNSURVEYED. THE LEGAL LAND  
DESCRIPTION FOR THE PLACE OF USE HAS BEEN ESTIMATED.

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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:

X THE UNITED STATES DOES NOT WAIVE ITS RIGHT TO CLAIM X  
X THIS WATER DURING RESERVED RIGHTS NEGOTIATIONS WITH X  
X THE STATE OF MONTANA AND MAY CONVERT THIS RIGHT TO A X  
X RESERVED RIGHT AT THAT TIME. IF THIS RIGHT IS X  
X INCLUDED IN THE RESERVED RIGHTS COMPACT FOR THE U.S. X  
X FOREST SERVICE, THEN THIS CLAIM SHOULD BE WITHDRAWN. X  
X X  
X 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 TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-050524-00

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OWNERS: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE (USE): INSTITUTIONAL

LOST HORSE GUARD STATION

SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF LOST HORSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1909  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 10.00 GPM

VOLUME: .10 AF

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					NWSNW	05	04N 23W	RAVALLI	SPRING BOX

PLACE OF USE FOR INSTITUTIONAL:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001						NWSNW	05	04N 23W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 03/17/94: MEANS OF DIVERSION, FLOW RATE, VOLUME.

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 12/16/97: PRIORITY DATE, TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT.

THE TOWNSHIP IS UNSURVEYED. THE LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION FOR THE POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE HAVE BEEN ESTIMATED.

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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 UNITED STATES DOES NOT WAIVE ITS RIGHT TO CLAIM \*  
\* THIS WATER DURING RESERVED RIGHTS NEGOTIATIONS WITH \*  
\* THE STATE OF MONTANA AND MAY CONVERT THIS RIGHT TO A \*  
\* RESERVED RIGHT AT THAT TIME. IF THIS RIGHT IS \*  
\* INCLUDED IN THE RESERVED RIGHTS COMPACT FOR THE U.S. \*  
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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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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-050525-00

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."

OWNER: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE (USE): INSTITUTIONAL  
SCHUMAKER CAMPGROUND

SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF LOST HORSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS SCHUMAKER SPRING

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1952  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 26.93 GPM ( .06 CFS)

VOLUME: 1.50 AF

PERIOD OF USE: JUNE 01 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS		
01						N44W	E32	05N	23W	RAVALLI	SPRING BOX

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

PLACE OF USE FOR INSTITUTIONAL:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY		
001							N44W	E32	05N	23W	RAVALLI

THE TOWNSHIP IS UNSURVEYED. THE LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION FOR THE PLACE OF USE HAS BEEN ESTIMATED.

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 03/17/94: PURPOSE, SOURCE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

12/18/97  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-050525-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

WHENEVER THE WATER RIGHTS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE COMBINED TO SUPPLY WATER FOR THE CLAIMED PURPOSE, EACH IS LIMITED TO THE HISTORICAL FLOW RATE AND PLACE OF USE OF THAT INDIVIDUAL RIGHT. THE SUM TOTAL OF THE VOLUME OF THESE WATER RIGHTS SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.  
W050525-00, W050527-00, W050528-00.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

12/18/97  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-050526-00

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."

OWNER: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE (USE): INSTITUTIONAL  
POVERTY SLIDE CAMPSITE

SOURCE: LOST HORSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 22, 1920  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 5.00 GPM

VOLUME: .10 AF

PERIOD OF USE: JUNE 01 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 NWSWSW 34 05N 23W RAVALLI BUCKET

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

PLACE OF USE FOR INSTITUTIONAL:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 NWSWSW 34 05N 23W RAVALLI

THE TOWNSHIP IS UNSURVEYED. THE LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION FOR THE PLACE OF USE HAS BEEN ESTIMATED.

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 03/17/94: POINT OF DIVERSION, MEANS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE, FLOW RATE, VOLUME.

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-050526-00 (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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\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS \*  
\* FOR A USE RIGHT ON LOST HORSE CREEK WITH A PRIORITY \*  
\* DATE POSTDATING CASE NO. 1275, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-050527-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNER: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE (USE): INSTITUTIONAL  
SCHUMAKER CAMPGROUND

SOURCE: LOST HORSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 20, 1920  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 5.00 GPM

VOLUME: .10 AF

PERIOD OF USE: JUNE 01 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SWSWNE 32 05N 23W RAVALLI BUCKET

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

PLACE OF USE FOR INSTITUTIONAL:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SWSWNE 32 05N 23W RAVALLI

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REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 03/17/94: PURPOSE, POINT OF DIVERSION, MEANS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE, FLOW RATE, VOLUME.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-050527-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

WHenever the water rights following this statement are combined to supply water for the claimed purpose, each is limited to the historical flow rate and place of use of that individual right. The sum total of the volume of these water rights shall not exceed the amount put to historical and beneficial use.  
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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 THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS x  
x FOR A USE RIGHT ON LOST HORSE CREEK WITH A PRIORITY x  
x DATE POSTDATING CASE NO. 1275, RAVALLI COUNTY. x  
x x  
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-050528-00

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OWNERS: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE USE: INSTITUTIONAL  
SCHUMAKER CAMPGROUND

SOURCE: LOST HORSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER  
RESERVOIR/LAKE NAME: TWIN LAKES

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 20, 1920  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 5.00 GPM

VOLUME: .10 AF

PERIOD OF USE: JUNE 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		N2N	WNE	32	05N	23W	RAVALLI	BUCKET

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\* PLACE OF USE FOR INSTITUTIONAL:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001		NE	32	05N	23W	RAVALLI		

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REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 03/17/94: PURPOSE, SOURCE, MEANS OF DIVERSION, FLOW RATE, VOLUME.

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-050528-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

WHENEVER THE WATER RIGHTS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT  
ARE COMBINED TO SUPPLY WATER FOR THE CLAIMED PURPOSE,  
EACH IS LIMITED TO THE HISTORICAL FLOW RATE AND PLACE  
OF USE OF THAT INDIVIDUAL RIGHT. THE SUM TOTAL OF THE  
VOLUME OF THESE WATER RIGHTS SHALL NOT EXCEED THE  
AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.  
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x DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. x  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-050529-00

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OWNERS: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

\* PURPOSE (USE): INSTITUTIONAL

BEAR CREEK PASS CAMPGROUND

SOURCE: LOST HORSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

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

FLOW RATE: 5.00 GPM

VOLUME: .10 AF

REBIDD. DE. USE: JUNE 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SWSWSW 05 04N 23W RAVALLI BUCKET

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PLACE OF USE FOR INSTITUTIONAL:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SWSWSW 05 04N 23W RAVALLI

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REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 03/17/94: MEANS OF DIVERSION, FLOW RATE, VOLUME.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-050529-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS \*  
\* FOR A USE RIGHT ON LOST HORSE CREEK WITH A PRIORITY \*  
\* DATE POSTDATING CASE NO. 1279, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-050530-00

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OWNER: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SOUTH LOST HORSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 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.

\* 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 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				S2SW	12	04N	22W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02				NWNW	13	04N	22W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
03				N2	14	04N	22W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

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

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				S2SW	12	04N	22W	RAVALLI	
002				NWNW	13	04N	22W	RAVALLI	
003				N2	14	04N	22W	RAVALLI	

THE TOWNSHIP IS UNSURVEYED. THE LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION FOR THE PLACE OF USE HAS BEEN ESTIMATED.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

12/18/97  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-050530-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, \*  
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OWNERS: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

\* PURPOSE (USE): INSTITUTIONAL

SAINT MARY LOOKOUT

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF SHARROTT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS SAINT MARY CISTERN

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 15, 1994  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 4.49 GPM

VOLUME: .70 AF

PERIOD OF USE: JUNE 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK 01 SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 S40N09E 28 09N 21W RAUALLI BUCKET

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

\* PLACE OF USE FOR INSTITUTIONAL:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK 018 SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 S40N09E 28 09N 21W RAUALLI

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REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 05/30/97: POINT OF DIVERSION, TYPE OF RIGHT, PRIORITY DATE.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

X THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS X  
X FOR A USE RIGHT ON BIG CREEK WITH A PRIORITY DATE X  
X POSTDATING CASE NO. 1071, RAVALLI COUNTY. X  
X X  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-050534-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNER: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

\* PURPOSE (USE): INSTITUTIONAL

BEAR CREEK CAMPGROUND

SOURCE: BEAR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 01, 1970  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 5.00 GPM

VOLUME: .10 AF

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01			NE	SE	08	07N	21W	RAVALLI	BUCKET

PLACE OF USE FOR INSTITUTIONAL:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001			NE	SE	08	07N	21W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 05/30/97: POINT OF DIVERSION, MEANS OF DIVERSION,  
PLACE OF USE, FLOW RATE, VOLUME.

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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 THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS X  
X FOR A USE RIGHT ON BEAR CREEK WITH A PRIORITY DATE X  
X POSTDATING CASE NO. 1337, RAVALLI COUNTY. X  
X X  
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OWNER: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

\* PURPOSE (USE): INSTITUTIONAL

BLODGETT CANYON CAMPGROUND

SOURCE: BLODGETT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1969  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 5.00 GPM

VOLUME: .10 AF

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01				NENWNE	20	06N	21W	RAVALLI	BUCKET

\* PLACE OF USE FOR INSTITUTIONAL:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001					SESWSE	17	06N	21W	RAVALLI
002					NERWNE	20	06N	21W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 03/17/94: MEANS OF DIVERSION, FLOW RATE, VOLUME.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

x THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THIS CLAIM IS x  
x FOR A USE RIGHT ON BLODGETT CREEK WITH A PRIORITY x  
x DATE POSTDATING CASE NO. 957, RAVALLI COUNTY. x  
x x  
x x  
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OWNER: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE (USE): RECREATION

SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF KOOTENAI CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS SAINT MARY SPRING NO. 2

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 01, 1931  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 4.49 GPM

VOLUME: .70 AF

PERIOD OF USE: JUNE 01 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 SWNWNE 28 09N 21W RAVALLI SPRING BOX

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

PLACE OF USE FOR RECREATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 SWNWNE 28 09N 21W RAVALLI

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REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-050537-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNER: USA DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF SHEAFMAN CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 15, 1939  
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 SERVED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK 018 SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SESWSW 20 07N 21W RAVALLI DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK 018 SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SESWSW 20 07N 21W RAVALLI

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-050538-00

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OWNERS: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF COW CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 16, 1939  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 4.49 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: MAY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

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

C1 SESESW 29 C7N 21W RAVALLI SPRING BOX

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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

001 SESESW 29 07N 21W RAVALLI

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OWNERS: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE (USE): INSTITUTIONAL

SAINT MARY'S TRAIL WATER HOLE

SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS SAINT MARY SPRING 1

EXISTENCE DATE: JULY 01, 1991  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 4.49 GPM

VOLUME: .70 AF

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO NOVEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 NW/4SE 27 09N 21W RAVALLI BUCKET

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

PLACE OF USE FOR INSTITUTIONAL:

----- ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NW/4SE 27 09N 21W RAVALLI

THE TOWNSHIP IS UNSURVEYED. THE LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION FOR THE PLACE OF USE HAS BEEN ESTIMATED.

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 06/25/97: PURPOSE, SOURCE, POINT OF DIVERSION, MEANS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE, PERIOD OF USE.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-050539-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-050540-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: USA COEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

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

ALSO KNOWN AS SWEATHOUSE SPRING

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1946  
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: MAY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01			NE	SE	20	08N	21W	RAVALLI	DEVELOPED SPRING

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

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001			NE	SE	20	08N	21W	RAVALLI

THE TOWNSHIP IS UNSURVEYED. THE LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION FOR THE PLACE OF USE HAS BEEN ESTIMATED.

REMARKS:

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-4-050540-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 06/26/97: SOURCE, POINT OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE,  
MEANS OF DIVERSION, FLOW RATE, VOLUME.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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ADDRESSEE: USA COEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 09, 1937  
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 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 NWNW 21 07N 21W RAUALLI DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 NWNW 21 07N 21W RAUALLI

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 764-U-050541-00 (CONTINUED)

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-4-05054E-00

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OWNER: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF LITTLE SMITH CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1949  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 35.00 GPM ( .08 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 AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SWSWNE 22 08N 21W RAVALLI SPRING BOX

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SWSWNE 22 08N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
05/30/97.

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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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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATERRIGHTNUMBER: 76H-W-050571-00

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OWNER: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

\* PURPOSE(USE): INSTITUTIONAL

CHARLES WATERS MEMORIAL CAMPGROUND

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 20, 1962  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 22.00 GPM (.05 CFS)

VOLUME: 2.50 AF

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RSE COUNTY -----

01 NWSWE 32 10N 20W RAVALLI

PLACE OF USE FOR INSTITUTIONAL:

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

001 NWSWE 32 10N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 05/30/97: POINT OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE, FLOW  
RATE, VOLUME.

REPLACEMENT WELL-AUTHORIZATION TO CHANGE THE POINT OF  
DIVERSION OF A PORTION (6 GPM TO .94 AC-FT) ISSUED  
11/02/92. FILE REFLECTS RIGHT AS IT EXISTED PRIOR TO  
JULY 1973. APPROVED CHANGES WILL BE RECORDED AFTER  
FINAL DECREE.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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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 PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. NO \*  
\* DOCUMENTATION AS REQUIRED BY THE 1961 GROUNDWATER \*  
\* CODE WAS SUBMITTED TO SUPPORT THIS CLAIM. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-050572-00

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OWNERS: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7629  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE (USE): INSTITUTIONAL  
LARRY CREEK CAMPGROUND

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1962  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 13.46 GPM ( .03 CFS)

VOLUME: 2.00 AF

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO SEPTEMBER 30

POINT OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 SWNW 33 10N 20W RAVALLI

PLACE OF USE FOR INSTITUTIONAL:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 SWNW 33 10N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE VOLUME WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 05/30/97.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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OWNERS: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)  
PO BOX 7669  
MISSOULA MT 59807

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SWEENEY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1870  
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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	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01				NE	19	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02				SESW	20	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
03				NESW	20	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE
04				NESE	20	10N	20W	RAVALLI	DIRECT FROM SOURCE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001				NE	19	10N	20W	RAVALLI
002				SESW	20	10N	20W	RAVALLI
003				NESE	20	10N	20W	RAVALLI
004				NESW	20	10N	20W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 05/30/97: SOURCE, POINT OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE,  
PERIOD OF USE.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-098961-00

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OWNERS: BECK ROBERT  
748 BUMPY LN  
VICTOR MT 59875  
BECK ROCHELLE  
748 BUMPY LN  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: GASH CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1899  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 396.60 GPM ( .75 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: 40.00

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 SWNESE 33 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: WILLIAMS (HANN) DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 40.00 NESW 34 08N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 40.00

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-098961-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W098961-00, W099900-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/09/88.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/20/93.

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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 ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 60 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1011, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W098961-00, W149942-00. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-099152-00

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."

OWNERS: POLLEY BETTY J  
492 WHISPERING PINE RD  
FLORENCE MT 59833

POLLEY CLAUDE  
492 WHISPERING PINE RD  
FLORENCE MT 59833

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: LARRY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1880  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, TWP, RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NENENE 33 10N 20W RAVALLI HERD GATE

DITCH NAME: PETERS DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT, BLK, QTR, SEC, TWP, RGE COUNTY -----  
001 6A SWNWSE 27 10N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

SUBD: ZONING P.F. # 6402

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-099152-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/25/88.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/23/90.

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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: 76H-4-099155-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: BATES WILLIAM S  
148 W BRIDGE RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1885  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREASED

FLOW RATE: 337.00 GPM ( .75 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: 40.00

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									SWSESE 21 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE
02									SWSESW 21 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
WOOD DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
BELL-LEWIS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	40.00								SESW 26 06N 21W RAVALLI
TOTAL	40.00								

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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 40.00 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.  
W099155-00, W099156-00.

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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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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."

OWNERS: BATES WILLIAM S  
148 W BRIDGE RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: WASTE & SEEPAGE, TRIB OF PUTMAN GULCH  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

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

FLOW RATE: 112.00 GPM ( .25 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: 10.00

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 NEW 26 06N 21W RAVALLI DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 ----- 10.00 E2SENW 26 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 10.00

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

VOLUME OF THESE WATER RIGHTS SHALL NOT EXCEED THE  
AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.  
W099155-00, W099156-00.

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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 THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. X  
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TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING BASINS OR SUBBASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO  
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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  
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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-099246-00

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."

OWNERS: SUTHERLAND MONICA L  
NW 338 CANYON CREEK RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
SUTHERLAND BRIAN W  
NW 338 CANYON CREEK RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1899  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 130.00 GPM ( .29 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: 11.60

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				S2SESE	21	06N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02				S2SESW	21	06N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
WOOD DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
BELL-LEWIS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001					S2NENE	27	06N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL					11.60				

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-099246-00 (CONTINUED)

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 THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE X  
X FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE X  
X SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 180 MINER'S X  
X INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1503, RAUALLI COUNTY. X  
X W009764-00, W045554-00, W099246-00, W108037-00, X  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-099247-00

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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."

OWNERS: SUTHERLAND BRIAN W  
NW 338 CANYON CREEK RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
SUTHERLAND MONICA L  
NW 338 CANYON CREEK RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

- \* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREE 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

- \* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01			S	W	21	06N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02			S	W	21	06N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
WOOD DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
BELL-LEWIS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001			S	W	27	06N	21W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-099247-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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WATER\*RIGHT\*NUMBER\*76H\*-W-099252-00

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DWNESS: TOUSSAINT DENNIS H  
PO BOX 4386  
MISSOULA MT 59806  
TOUSSAINT SHAN M  
PO BOX 4386  
MISSOULA MT 59806

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

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1892  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 224.40 GPM ( .50 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: 20.42

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 N4NE6W 34 10N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: FRAZER DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES LOT\_BLK\_QTR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 20.42 25SWNE 34 10N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 20.42

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/22/95.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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OWNERS:	TOUSSAINT PD BOX 4386 MISSOULA	DENNIS	H	
		MT		59806
	TOUSSAINT PD BOX 4386 MISSOULA	SHAN	M	
		MT		59806

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BASS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1992  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	
01			NW	NE	SW	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: FRAZER DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001				S2	SW	NE	34	10N	20W	RAVALLI

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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OWNERS: UEGDREN TRUDY M  
SW 250 UVANT LN  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
UEGDREN JIMMY R  
SW 250 UVANT LN  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1894  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

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 AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEAS  
01 NENENE 29 06N 21W RAUALLI HENGGATE

BARLEY CREEK IS USED AS A NATURAL CARRIER TO CONVEY WATER DIVERTED FROM CANYON CREEK TO A SECONDARY POINT OF DIVERSION IN THE SENESW SEC 27 TWP 06N RGE 21W RAUALLI COUNTY.

DITCH NAME: DODDINGS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 ----- 2.00 SENESW 27 06N 21W RAUALLI  
TOTAL 2.00

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 11/17/93: SOURCE, PLACE OF USE, MAXIMUM ACRES, FLOW  
RATE.

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OWNERS: GALLIANO FRANK  
161 RICKETTS RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: ROARING LION CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: OCTOBER 24, 1888  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 135.00 GPM ( .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: 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 NESENE 10 05N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: HOLT-TINCHER DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 11.00 NESW 12 05N 21W RAVALLI  
002 1.00 SESW 12 05N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 12.00

REMARKS:

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
04/21/94.

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/24/94.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/08/97.

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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 WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 160 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 846, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W000467-00, W021983-00, W025729-00, W099257-00, \*  
\* W099750-00, W103765-00, W105291-00, W109636-00, \*  
\* W125107-00, W199478-00, W199902-00, W147751-00, \*  
\* W147918-00, W147937-00, W169818-00, W211615-00. \*  
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\* THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT WERE \*  
\* FILED BY DIFFERENT PARTIES WHO CLAIM OVERLAPPING \*  
\* PLACES OF USE. W006614-00, W006615-00, W022965-00, \*  
\* W022966-00, W025728-00, W025729-00, W099257-00, \*  
\* W108933-00, W109637-00, W109638-00, W124240-00, \*  
\* W147750-00, W147751-00, W147752-00, W147753-00, \*  
\* W147754-00, W147755-00, W147756-00, W147757-00, \*  
\* W147936-00, W147937-00, W147950-00, W147951-00, \*  
\* W147952-00, W169816-00, W169817-00, W169818-00, \*  
\* W169819-00. \*  
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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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OWNERS: JOHNSON EDWIN  
PO BOX 2424 CA 93034  
OXNARD  
JOHNSON JUTTA  
PO BOX 2424 CA 93034  
OXNARD

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

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1987  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 282.74 GPM ( .63 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: 40.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LDT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS  
01 NWNW 21 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: GOLAY-WAYLETT-ESS DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LDT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 40.00  
TOTAL ----- 40.00 NESE 22 07N 21W RAVALLI

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/14/90.

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ADDRES:	BROOKS	LEROY	D
	PO BOX 1309		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840
	BROOKS	BARBARA	R
	PO BOX 1309		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1885  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 30.00 GPM ( .07 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 SEENE 23 06N 21W RAVALLI

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

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

001	1.00	SEENE	23	06N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	1.00					

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-V-099695-00

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."

OWNERS: BROOKS LEROY D  
PO BOX 1309  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
BROOKS BARBARA R  
PO BOX 1309  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: BLODGETT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 90.00 GPM ( .20 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: 22.11

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK ATR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SVSWSE 16 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: FOURTH RIGHT DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK ATR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 8.17 NWSENE 23 06N 21W RAVALLI  
002 13.94 SESENE 23 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 22.11

REMARKS:

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-099695-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W099695-00, W099698-00.

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W099695-00, W099696-00.

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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 WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 20 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 957, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W005102-00, W099695-00. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-099696-00 (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 THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE x  
x FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE x  
x SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 10 MINER'S x  
x INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 957, RAVALLI COUNTY. x  
x W023027-00, W099696-00, W147525-00, W150840-00, x  
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OWNERS: BROOKS BARBARA R  
PO BOX 1309  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
BROOKS LEROY D  
PO BOX 1309  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BLODGETT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1991  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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 SERVED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

PERIOD OF USE: NOVEMBER 01 TO MARCH 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SWSSE 16 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE  
DITCH NAME: FOURTH RIGHT DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NWSENE 23 06N 21W RAVALLI  
002 S2SENE 23 06N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT, RATHER IT DECREASES THE  
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THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.  
W099696-00, W099697-00.

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\* THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, 1  
\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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HAMILTON MT 59840  
BROOKS LEROY D  
PO BOX 1309  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BLODGETT CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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: NOVEMBER 01 TO MARCH 31

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----- LOT BLK DIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SWSSE 16 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: FOURTH RIGHT DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK DIB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NWSENE 23 06N 21W RAVALLI  
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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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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 76Hx-W-099702-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: BROWN JAMES T  
1505 MEADOWLARK DR  
GREAT FALLS MT 59404  
BROWN ALLEN D  
1505 MEADOWLARK DR  
GREAT FALLS MT 59404

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 09, 1946  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 15.00 GPM ( .03 CFS)

VOLUME: 3.00 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 S WNESE 22 06N 21W RAVALLI

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

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

001 ----- 1.00 S WNESE 22 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 1.00

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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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.  
W099702-00, W099712-00.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS. z  
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	GREAT FALLS	MT	59404
	BROWN	ALLEN	D
	1505 MEADOWLARK DR		
	GREAT FALLS	MT	59404

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS LIBERTY WELL

PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 20, 1961  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 2.00 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 DIR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

01 NENWSE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

ACRES LOT BLK DIR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 1.00 NENWSE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 1.00

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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.  
W099703-00, W099717-00.

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER\_RIGHT\_NUMBER: 76H-W-099704-00

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OWNER:	BROWN	JAMES	T	
	1505 MEADOWLARK DR			
	GREAT FALLS	MT	59404	
	BROWN	ALLEN	D	
	1505 MEADOWLARK DR			
	GREAT FALLS	MT	59404	

PURPOSE\_CODE: DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS KIM HICKEY WELL

PROSITY\_DATE: JULY 03, 1902  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW\_RATE: 4.00 GPM

VOLUME: 1.00 AF

(NUMBER OF HOUSEHOLDS: 1 )

MAXIMUM\_ACRE: 1.00

PERIOD\_OF\_USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

POINT\_OF\_DIVERSION:

----- LDT\_BLK\_OIR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

01 NENWSE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI

PLACE\_OF\_USE\_FOR\_DOMESTIC:

----- ACRES ----- LDT\_BLK\_OIR\_SEC\_SEC\_TWP\_RGE\_COUNTY -----

001	----- 1.00	NENWSE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI
TOTAL	1.00	

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MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS  
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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.  
W099704-00, W099715-00.

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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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1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO  
P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-V-099705-00

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1505 MEADOWLARK DR  
GREAT FALLS MT 59404  
BROWN ALLEN D  
1505 MEADOWLARK DR  
GREAT FALLS MT 59404

PURPOSE USE: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

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

ALSO KNOWN AS SOUTH GASH CREEK

ACQUISITION DATE: AUGUST 04, 1887  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 2.50 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 94.44

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 NENEN 05 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001	22.39	SENE	04	07N	21W	RAVALLI
002	1.87	SNW	04	07N	21W	RAVALLI
003	0.72	NESW	04	07N	21W	RAVALLI
004	8.47	NWSW	04	07N	21W	RAVALLI
005	18.92	SESW	04	07N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	94.44					

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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  
X THE CLAIMED CONVEYANCE DITCH CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED X  
X FROM AVAILABLE DATA. X  
X X  
X FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON X  
X RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. X  
X X  
X THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) X  
X APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. X  
X X  
X USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 179-66, DATED 08/02/79, X  
X APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. X  
X X  
X THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE SOURCE X  
X DESCRIBED ON THE FILED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS X  
X INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED SOURCE. X  
X X  
X DNRC EXAMINATION WAS UNABLE TO CONFIRM THE USE OF X  
X THIS WATER RIGHT. IT APPEARS THIS WATER RIGHT MAY NOT X  
X HAVE BEEN PERFECTED. 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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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H3-W-099706-00

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GREAT FALLS MT 59404  
BROWN ALLEN D  
1505 MEADOWLARK DR  
GREAT FALLS MT 59404

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

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1887  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 3.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 171.00

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 S4565W 21 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: PUTNAM DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 28.00 S4565W 22 06N 21W RAVALLI  
002 28.00 S4565W 22 06N 21W RAVALLI  
003 65.00 E2565W 22 06N 21W RAVALLI  
004 30.00 N4565W 22 06N 21W RAVALLI  
005 20.00 W2565W 23 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 171.00

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE MAXIMUM ACRES WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
07/19/93.

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 171.00  
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.  
W099706-00, W099708-00, W157307-00.

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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 WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE x  
x FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE x  
x SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 120 MINER'S x  
x INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1503, RAVALLI COUNTY. x  
x W045394-00, W099706-00, W133492-00. x  
x x  
x x  
x x

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GREAT FALLS MT 59404  
BROWN ALLEN D  
1505 MEADOWLARK DR  
GREAT FALLS MT 59404

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

SOURCE: GASH CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 03, 1902  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 2.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 80.00

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		SE	SW	33	08N	21W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: HICKEY B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	40.00				SWNE	04	07N	21W	RAVALLI
002	40.00				NWSE	04	07N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	80.00								

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 7EH-W-099708-00

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GREAT FALLS MT 59404  
BROWN JAMES T  
1505 MEADOWLARK DR  
GREAT FALLS MT 59404

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

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

ESTABLISH DATE: JUNE 01, 1895  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 1.50 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 58.00

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 NWNE 29 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

PUTNAM GULCH IS USED AS A NATURAL CARRIER TO CONVEY WATER DIVERTED FROM JORDAN-MCINNIS DITCH TO THE PLACE OF USE.

DITCH NAME: JORDAN-MCINNIS DITCH

- \* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 5.00 SWNESE 22 06N 21W RAVALLI  
002 3.00 NWNESE 22 06N 21W RAVALLI  
003 5.00 SWNESE 22 06N 21W RAVALLI  
004 38.00 SESE 22 06N 21W RAVALLI  
005 7.00 W2SWNE 23 06N 21W RAVALLI



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BROWN JAMES T  
1505 MEADOWLARK DR  
GREAT FALLS MT 59404

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

SOURCE: GASH CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1881  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 1.75 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 80.00

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 SESWSW 33 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: HICKEY C DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 40.00 SENE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI  
002 40.00 NESE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 80.00

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 120 MINER'S \*  
\* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1011, RAVALLI COUNTY. \*  
\* W000654-00, W099709-00, W100120-00, W103791-00, \*  
\* W107856-00. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-009710-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: BROWN ALLEN D  
1505 MEADOWLARK DR  
GREAT FALLS MT 59404  
BROWN JAMES T  
1505 MEADOWLARK DR  
GREAT FALLS MT 59404

PURPOSE USE: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: GASH CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

EXISTENCE DATE: JUNE 08, 1898  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 1.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 40.00

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 SE6SW 33 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: HICKEY B DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 40.00 SESE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 40.00



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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-U-099711-00

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OWNERS: BROWN ALLEN O  
1505 MEADOWLARK DR  
GREAT FALLS MT 59404  
BROWN JAMES T  
1505 MEADOWLARK DR  
GREAT FALLS MT 59404

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF SWEATHOUSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS LOWER JOHN HICKEY SPRING

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1881  
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 AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NWNESE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI DEVELOPED SPRING

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NWNESE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
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	GREAT FALLS	MT		59404
	BROWN	ALLEN	D	
	1505 MEADOWLARK DR			
	GREAT FALLS	MT		59404

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 09, 1946  
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 SWNESE 22 06N 21W RAVALLI

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001 SWNESE 22 06N 21W RAVALLI

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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1505 MEADOWLARK DR  
GREAT FALLS MT 59404

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIO OF SWEATHOUSE CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS UPPER JOHN HICKEY SPRING

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1881  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 5.00 GPM

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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 NENWSE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI DEVELOPED SPRING

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 NENWSE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-099714-00

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1505 MEADOWLARK DR  
GREAT FALLS MT 59404

BROWN JAMES T  
1505 MEADOWLARK DR  
GREAT FALLS MT 59404

PURPOSE USE: STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS KIM HICKEY STOCK WELL

PRIORITY DATE: JULY 03, 1902  
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 Q1C SEC SEC TWP 86E COUNTY -----

01 SENSE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK Q1B SEC SEC TWP 86E COUNTY -----

001 SENSE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-9-099715-00

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OWNER:	BROWN	ALLEN	D	
	1505 MEADOWLARK DR			
	GREAT FALLS	MT		59404
	BROWN	JAMES	T	
	1505 MEADOWLARK DR			
	GREAT FALLS	MT		59404

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS KIM HICKEY WELL

EXPIRY DATE: JULY 03, 1902  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 4.00 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 NENWSE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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

001 NENWSE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI

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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.  
W099704-00, W099715-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-4-099716-00

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1505 MEADOWLARK DR  
GREAT FALLS MT 59404  
BROWN JAMES T  
1505 MEADOWLARK DR  
GREAT FALLS MT 59404

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: GASH CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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 SES6W 33 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: HICKEY C DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- DCRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 S2NE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI  
002 N2SE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI  
003 SESE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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	BROWN	ALLEN	D
	1505 MEADOWLARK DR		
	GREAT FALLS	MT	59404

PURPOSE USE: COMMERCIAL

GUEST CABINS

SOURCE: WELL  
 SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS LIBERTY WELL

PRIORITY DATE: SEPTEMBER 20, 1961  
 TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 2.00 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 NENWSE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI

PLACE OF USE FOR COMMERCIAL:

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

001 NENWSE 04 07N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

W099703-00, W099717-00.

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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: AMBELANG LIMDA JO  
137 WESTBRIDGE RD  
HAMILTON MT 59840

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

SOURCE: WELL  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

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

FLOW RATE: 20.00 GPM ( .04 CFS)

VOLUME: 2.50 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 NUNWSE 26 06N 21W RAVALLI

\* PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 1.00 NUNWSE 26 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 1.00

REMARKS:

FILE REFLECTS AUTHORIZATION TO CHANGE POINT OF  
DIVERSION WITH A NEW WELL COMPLETED 03/31/88.  
SEE 6067560-76H.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/22/92.

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\* DATA, OR ISSUES TO REPORT TO THE WATER COURT. \*  
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OWNERS: MERCER WALTER W  
3655 HWY 93  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870  
MERCER KILDRED M  
3655 HWY 93  
STEVENSVILLE MT 59870

- \* PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD
- \* SOURCE: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MCCALLA CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER
- PRIORITY DATE: OCTOBER 22, 1901  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED
- FLOW RATE: 94.25 GPM ( .21 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: 8.50

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 SEN25W 28 09N 20W RAVALLI DIKE

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 8.50 7 SEN25W 28 09N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 8.50

REMARKS:

SUBD: MCCALLA CREEK ACRES

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/22/94.

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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 RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. \*  
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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."

OWNERS: LARUE ALLEN  
1240 YUKON WAY  
NOVATO CA 94947  
HUFFAKER LYNN  
1240 YUKON WAY  
NOVATO CA 94947

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

SOURCE: BIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 15, 1890  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 170.54 GPM (.38 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: 20.32

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 NW6SW 17 09N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: RIVER DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 20.32 S2525E 33 09N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 20.32

REMARKS:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 07/15/85.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/26/92.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/11/94.

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* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. *
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* THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE *
* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE *
* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 230 MINER'S *
* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1071, RAVALLI COUNTY. *
* W099737-00, W214891-00. *
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-099738-00

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OWNERS: LARUE ALLEN  
1240 YUKON WAY  
NDUATO CA 94947  
HUFFAKER LYNN  
1240 YUKON WAY  
NDUATO CA 94947

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 15, 1890  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

- \* 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 NWNEW 17 08N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: RIVER DITCH

PLACE OF USE EDP STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 S2S2SE 33 09N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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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. W099737-00, W099738-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 07/15/85.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/26/92.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/11/94.

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x THE DNRC EXAMINATION OF THIS CLAIM FOUND NO SIGNIFICANT FACTS, x  
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1240 YUKON WAY  
NOUATO CA 94947  
HUFFAKER LYNN  
1240 YUKON WAY  
NOUATO CA 94947

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

SOURCE: BIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 15, 1886  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 94.25 GPM ( .21 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: 8.39

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO OCTOBER 19

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NWNEW 17 08N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: RIVER DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 7.39 N2N2NW 04 08N 20W RAVALLI  
002 1.00 N2NENE 05 08N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 8.39

REMARKS:

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W099740-00, W099741-00.

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\* W099740-00, W131605-00. \*  
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OWNER: LARUE ALLEN  
1240 YUKON WAY  
NOVATO CA 94947  
HUFFAKER LYNN  
1240 YUKON WAY  
NOVATO CA 94947

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: BIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 15, 1886  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

- \* 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					NWNEW	17	08N	20W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: RIVER DITCH

- \* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY		
001						NWNEW	04	08N	20W	RAVALLI
002						NENE	05	08N	20W	RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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W099740-00, W099741-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 07/15/85.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/26/92.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/11/94.

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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: 76H-V-099743-00

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OWNERS: CLARKE MARGARET M  
4555 CAROLIN LN 59833  
FLORENCE MT  
GINN ELOUISE J  
4555 CAROLIN LN 59833  
FLORENCE MT

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

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

PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 30, 1963  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: 35.00 GPM ( .08 CFS)

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	R1R	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01		NE	SE	11	08N	21W	RAVALLI	PIPELINE

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	R1R	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
1.00		NE	SE	11	08N	21W	RAVALLI	

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 10-21-94: SOURCE MEANS OF DIVERSION FLOW RATE.

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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 X X X X
X DNRC EXAMINATION WAS UNABLE TO CONFIRM THE USE OF X
X THIS WATER RIGHT FOR THE TEN CONSECUTIVE YEARS PRIOR X
X TO JULY 1, 1973. X
X X X X X
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H1-V-099744-00

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OWNERS:	CLIFFORD PO BOX 1230 HAMILTON	JOAN	P	
		MT	59840	
	KLINE, JR 1140 BOWMAN RD HAMILTON	OTIS	E	
		MT	59840	
	KLINE 1140 BOWMAN RD HAMILTON	MIRIAM	R	
		MT	59840	
	BARCUS 1092 BOWMAN RD HAMILTON	MARTIN	P	
		MT	59840	
	CLIFFORD 249 ANTIGONE DR HAMILTON	CARLETON	M	
		MT	59840	
	BARCUS 1092 BOWMAN RD HAMILTON	DEBBIE	D	
		MT	59840	

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT  
WILL BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE OWNERSHIPS AFTER FINAL  
DECREE.

PURPOSE\_USE: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: FLOOD

SOURCE: MILL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1893  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 1.59 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: 60.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO SEPTEMBER 19

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

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-B-099750-00

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OWNERS:	HUGHES	DWIGHT	W	
	SW 784	WESTSIDE RD		
	HAMILTON		MT	59840
	HACKEL	ROBERT	J	
	854	WESTSIDE RD		
	HAMILTON		MT	59840
	HACKEL	KAREN	G	
	854	WESTSIDE RD		
	HAMILTON		MT	59840

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD OWNERS ONLY. INDIVIDUAL PORTIONS WILL BE RECORDED AFTER FINAL DECREE.

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

SOURCE: ROARING LION CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: OCTOBER 24, 1888  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

CLAIM FILED LATE 06/15/82. THIS CLAIM IS SUBORDINATE TO ALL FEDERAL AND INDIAN RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW.

FLOW RATE: 40.00 GPM ( .09 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: 6.00

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 NESENE 10 05N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-8-099750-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME: HOLT-TINCHER DITCH

PLACE OF USE ESTABLISHMENT:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	1.00			S25	WNW	12	05N	21W	RAVALLI
002	5.00			N2N	WSW	12	05N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	6.00								

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 6.00 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.  
8099750-00, 8159810-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/08/84.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/25/88.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/01/94.

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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

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 160 MINER'S INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 846, RAVALLI COUNTY.  
x W000467-00, W021983-00, W025729-00, W099257-00, x  
x W099750-00, W103765-00, W105291-00, W109636-00, x  
x W125107-00, W139478-00, W139502-00, W147751-00, x  
x W147816-00, W147937-00, W169818-00, W211615-00. x  
x x

PROCESSING FEE INSUFFICIENT TO COVER LATE CLAIM. x  
TOTAL AMOUNT DUE \$150.00. x  
x x

CLAIM FILED LATE 06/15/82. IN ADDITION TO BEING x  
x SUBORDINATE TO ALL FEDERAL AND INDIAN RESERVED RIGHTS x  
x AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW. x  
x THIS CLAIM MAY ALSO BE SUBORDINATE TO CERTAIN PERMITS x  
x AND RESERVATIONS OF WATER. SEE SECTION 85-2-221 x  
x MONTANA CODE ANNOTATED. x  
x x  
x x  
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OWNERS: HACKETT SCOTT T  
1720 NIGHTHAWK TRAIL MT 59875  
UICIOR  
BESSLER-HACKETT DIANE  
580 CHICKADEE LN MT 59875  
UICIOR

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

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1899  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

FLOW RATE: 199.19 GPM ( .91 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: 40.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 01 TO AUGUST 24

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT	BLK	Q1	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS		
01					SWSWNE	15	07N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE
02					NWNSW	15	07N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 01 IS:  
BLAIR DITCH  
DITCH NAME FOR DIVERSION NO. 02 IS:  
W. WARD DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	Q1B	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY		
001	---	40	00			NWNW	14	07N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	---	40	00							

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 07/30/90: FLOW RATE, PRIORITY DATE, TYPE OF RIGHT.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 03/01/93.

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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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OWNERS: STEVENS DEE  
5178 KOCH LN  
FLORENCE MT 59833  
STEVENS DEBRA  
5178 KOCH LN  
FLORENCE MT 59833

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

SOURCE: SWEENEY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1878  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 57.11 GPM ( .13 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: 5.09

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO SEPTEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NUNESW 22 10N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: MILES DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 5.09 SWSWNW 23 10N 20W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 5.09

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
04/01/91.

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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RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF  
THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.  
W099786-00, W099787-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/22/88.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/22/92.

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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 76H-W-099787-00

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OWNER:	STEUENS 5178 KOCH LN FLORENCE	DEE		
			MT	59893
	STEUENS 5178 KOCH LN FLORENCE	DEBRA		
			MT	59893

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: SWEENEY CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1878  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 SEPTEMBER 30

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 NWNE6W 22 10N 20W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: MILES DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 SWSNW 23 10N 20W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON  
04/19/91.

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PRELIMINARY DECREE  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-099787-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W099786-00, W099787-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 11/22/88.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/22/92.

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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: 76H2-D-099804-00

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

OWNER:	HARDEMAN, HOWARD FAMILY PARTNERSHIP		
	2682 MERIDIAN RD		
	VICTOR	MT	59875
	DAKLIOS	WANDA	E
	PO BOX 360		
	VICTOR	MT	59875
	DAKLIOS, SR	ERNEST	R
	PO BOX 360		
	VICTOR	MT	59875

PURPOSE (USE): IRRIGATION

SOURCE: BIG CREEK

PRIORITY DATE:

FLOW RATE:

VOLUME:

MAXIMUM ACRES:

PERIOD OF USE:

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

_____	LOT	BLK	DIR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	_____	MEANS
01			NES	WSE	11	08N	21W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

REMARKS:

THIS CLAIM WAS WITHDRAWN FROM THE ADJUDICATION  
PROCESS AT THE REQUEST OF THE CLAIMANT ON 06/03/97.

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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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IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: HARDEMAN, HOWARD FAMILY PARTNERSHIP  
2682 MERIDIAN RD  
VICTOR MT 59875  
DAKOLIOS, SR ERNEST R  
PO BOX 368  
VICTOR MT 59875  
DAKOLIOS WANDA E  
PO BOX 368  
VICTOR MT 59875

TRANSFER PROCESSED TO ADD NEW OWNERS. THE WATER RIGHT  
WILL BE SPLIT INTO SEPARATE OWNERSHIPS AFTER FINAL  
DECREE.

PURPOSE USE: STOCK

SOURCE: BIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1893  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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: FEBRUARY 01 TO NOVEMBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 NE3/4SE 11 08N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: CLARK-MCCUNE DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 NW3/4 19 08N 21W RAVALLI

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-099805-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

REMARKS:

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/18/96.

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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 THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT WERE           X
X FILED BY DIFFERENT PARTIES WHO CLAIM OVERLAPPING              X
X PLACES OF USE. W002512-00, W02302B-00, W023029-00,           X
X W099805-00, W108759-00, W108760-00, W148114-00,              X
X W148115-00, W148119-00, W148123-00, W157312-00,             X
X W157314-00, W157315-00, W157316-00, W157319-00,             X
X W157323-00, W157324-00, W157325-00, W157326-00,             X
X W157327-00, W105088-00.                                         X
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H3-W-099822-00

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OWNERS: DROWN NORMA  
1451 MERIDIAN RD  
VICTOR MT 59875  
STEPHENS BUFORD W  
1453 MERIDIAN RD  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1882  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 170.54 GPM ( .38 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: 9.00

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO SEPTEMBER 19

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 NUNENE 24 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: THRILLKILL DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 9.00 NUNENE 24 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 9.00

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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. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*

\* THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 100.00 \*  
\* MINER'S INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 724, RAVALLI \*  
\* COUNTY. W033684-00, W099822-00, W126470-00. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*

\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*

\* THE PRIORITY DATE IS IN QUESTION. THE PLACE OF USE \*  
\* DESCRIBED IN CASE NO. 724, RAVALLI COUNTY, IS \*  
\* INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*

\* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY FIELD NOTES \*  
\* (1957) INDICATE THAT THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE WAS \*  
\* IRRIGATED BY THE M. MACHEN RIGHTS (05/01/1883, \*  
\* 06/15/1883 AND 09/01/1883) AS DECREED IN CASE NO. 724, \*  
\* RAVALLI COUNTY. SEE CLAIM FILE FOR ADDITIONAL \*  
\* INFORMATION. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-V-099830-00

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OWNER: ELLIS DIANE K  
242 SHEAFMAN CREEK RD  
VICTOR MT 59875  
ELLIS JAMES R  
242 SHEAFMAN CREEK RD  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

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

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 10, 1899  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

\* FLOW RATE: 170.00 GPM ( .98 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: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 14

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LDT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS -----  
01 SENESW 24 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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

001 ----- 10.00 ----- W2SE 24 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 10.00 -----

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT  
ON 09/21/90: MAXIMUM ACRES, PLACE OF USE.

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.  
W099830-00, W099833-00.

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 10.00  
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.  
W099830-00, W099831-00.

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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

FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON  
RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE.

THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958)  
APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED BY WATER  
DIVERTED FROM THE CLAIMED SOURCE.

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

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OWNERS: ELLIS DIANE K  
242 SHEAFMAN CREEK RD  
VICTOR MT 59875  
ELLIS JAMES R  
242 SHEAFMAN CREEK RD  
VICTOR MT 59875

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

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 15, 1893  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 269.28 GPM ( .60 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: 10.00

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 27

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- HEADS -----  
01 NWENW 24 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: THOMPSON DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 ----- 10.00 ----- W2SE 24 07N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL ----- 10.00 -----

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 09/21/90: MAXIMUM ACRES, PLACE OF USE.

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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 10.00 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. W099830-00, W099831-00.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-U-099832-00

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OWNERS:	ELLIS	JAMES	R
	242 SHEAFMAN CREEK RD		
	VICTOR	MT	59875
	ELLIS	DIANE	K
	242 SHEAFMAN CREEK RD		
	VICTOR	MT	59875

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: FRED BURR CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 15, 1899  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* FLOW RATE: NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREASED 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 SERVED 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 24 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: THOMPSON DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
001 W2SE 24 07N 21W RAVALLI

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE  
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W099831-00, W099832-00.

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	VICTOR			

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

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

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 10, 1899  
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: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

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----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----	
01	SENESEW 24 07N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----	
001	W2SE 24 07N 21W RAVALLI

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W099833-00, W099833-00.

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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59771-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 764-W-099834-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS: ELLIS STEPHEN S  
200 WYANT LN  
HAMILTON MT 59810

\* PURPOSE/USE: IRRIGATION  
TYPE OF IRRIGATION SYSTEM: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1894  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREEED

ELOW BATE: 180.00 GPM ( .40 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: 32.38

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 N4N4W 28 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: PRINCE-FLOCK-MCLEOD DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 16.00 W2NESE 27 06N 21W RAVALLI  
002 16.38 E2NWE 27 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 32.38

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE  
RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF  
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W099834-00, W099835-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/19/85.

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* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED.                             *
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* THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE                *
* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE                *
* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 60 MINER'S              *
* INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1509, RAVALLI COUNTY.                   *
* W028312-00, W028606-00, W099834-00, W148034-00,                   *
* W150223-00, W150939-00, W151221-00, W151596-00,                   *
* W157364-00, W195369-00, W211390-00.                                *
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OWNERS: ELLIS STEPHEN S  
200 WYANT LN  
HAMILTON MT 59940

USE/PURPOSE/USE: STOCK

SOURCE: CANYON CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1894  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 NOVEMBER 04

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

\_\_\_\_\_ LDT BLK QTR SEC TWP RGE COUNTY MEANS  
01 NNNNW 28 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: PRINCE-FLOCK-MCLEOD DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCKS:

\_\_\_\_\_ ACRES \_\_\_\_\_ LWT BLK QTR SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 WNWSE 27 06N 21W RAVALLI  
002 EWNSE 27 06N 21W RAVALLI

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 04/19/85.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76A-W-099845-00

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OWNERS: ERICKSON RONALD R  
146 DEER HAVEN DR  
HAMILTON MT 59840  
ERICKSON TERESA E  
146 DEER HAVEN DR  
HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: SAWDUST CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: DECEMBER 31, 1988  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 60.00 GPM C .13 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: 1.00

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 SWSWSW 27 06N 21W RAVALLI PUMP

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

ACRES LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY  
001 1.00 SESE 27 06N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL 1.00

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

X THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE X  
X FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE X  
X SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 100 MINER'S X  
X INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 191, RURALTI COUNTY. X  
X W021136-00, W099845-00, W099992-00, W105235-00. X  
X W107751-00, W107793-00, W107796-00, W107831-00. X  
X W108783-00, W108783-00, W116752-00, W151179-00. X  
X  
X THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE EXCEEDS THE 17 GPM PER ACRE X  
X GUIDELINE AND CANNOT BE CONFIRMED DUE TO LACK OF DATA. X  
X THE FLOW RATE EQUALS 60.00 GPM PER ACRE. X  
X  
X THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE COULD NOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM X  
X DATA SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM. X  
X  
X THIS CLAIMED WATER RIGHT MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE X  
X WATER RIGHT APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN TRADED IN 1957 FOR X  
X CANYON CREEK WATER. ALL ELEMENTS OF THIS CLAIM ARE X  
X QUESTIONABLE. SEE CLAIM FILE FOR ADDITIONAL X  
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OWNER:	FERRIN	JEAN	R
	464 BOURNE LN		
	VICTOR	MT	59875
	FEW	JACKIE	A
	464 BOURNE LN		
	VICTOR	MT	59875

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

SOURCE: SHEAFMAN CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1883  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 134.64 GPM ( .30 CFS)

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM GROSS: 12.00

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		NENWNW	25	07N	21W	RAVALLI		HEADGATE

BOURNE GULCH IS USED AS A NATURAL CARRIER TO CONVEY WATER DIVERTED FROM SHEAFMAN CREEK TO A SECONDARY POINT OF DIVERSION IN THE E26SW OF SEC 25 TWP 07N RGE 21W, RAVALLI COUNTY.

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	12.00			SESW	23	07N	21W	RAVALLI	
TOTAL	12.00								

REMARKS:

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W099847-00, W099848-00.

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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 WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE \*  
\* FILED ON THE SAME FORMERLY DECREED WATER RIGHT. THE \*  
\* SUM OF THE CLAIMED FLOW RATES EXCEEDS THE 42.50 \*  
\* MINER'S INCHES DECREED IN CASE NO. 1820, RAVALTI \*  
\* COUNTY. W003319-00, W005833-00, W099847-00. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76H-W-099948-00

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	VICTOR	MT	59875
	FEW	JACKIE	A
	464 BOURNE LN		
	VICTOR	MT	59875

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SHEAFMAN CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: MAY 01, 1889  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

\* 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 SERVED 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				NEN	WNW	28	07N	21W	RAVALLI	HEADGATE

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DITCH NAME: NO. 3 AND NO. 5 DITCH

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001					SES	W	29	07N	21W	RAVALLI

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H2-W-099848-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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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.  
W099847-00, W099848-00.

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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 76HS-W-099052-00

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	29655 232ND AVE SE			
	KENT		WA	98042
	ROHRBACH	POLLY	A	
	29655 232ND AVE SE		WA	98042
	KENT			
	WIEDIGER, JR	DONALD	L	
	140 CHERRY ST BOX 316		MT	59840
	HAMILTON			
	WIEDIGER	PATSY	L	
	140 CHERRY ST BOX 316		MT	59840
	HAMILTON			

OWNER WIEDIGERS RETAINED. CONTRACT FOR DEED INTEREST.

PURPOSE (USE): DOMESTIC

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF CAMAS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

ELOW RATE: 25.00 GPM ( .06 CFS)

VOLUME: 5.00 AF  
(NUMBER OF HOLDEHOLDS: 2 )

MAXIMUM ACRES: 2.00

PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSTION AND MEANS OF DIVERSTION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS
01			SUNWNE	34	05N	21W	RAVALLI		SPRING BOX

PLACE OF USE FOR DOMESTIC:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	2.00								
TOTAL	2.00								

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-099852-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREASES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES. W099852-00, W099860-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/12/84.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/15/97.

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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 76H-U-099853-00

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OWNER WIEDIGERS RETAINED. CONTRACT FOR DEED INTEREST.

\* PURPOSE (USE): LAWN & GARDEN

SOURCE: CAMAS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 58.00 GPM ( .13 CFS)

\* VOLUME: 5.00 AF

MAXIMUM ACRES: 2.00

\* 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 SENSW 34 05N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: FOSS-MCCROSSIN-BROWN DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR LAWN & GARDEN:

\_\_\_\_\_ ACRES \_\_\_\_\_ LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_  
001 \_\_\_\_\_ 2.00 \_\_\_\_\_ SENWNE 34 05N 21W RAVALLI  
TOTAL \_\_\_\_\_ 2.00 \_\_\_\_\_ \* K 19

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76H  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM

WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-099853-00 (CONTINUED)

REMARKS CONTINUED:

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 44.00 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. W099853-00, W099854-00, W099855-00, W099856-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/12/84.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/15/97.

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\* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN \*  
\* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED. \*  
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\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THIS CLAIM AND WATER RIGHT NO. W099856-00 APPEAR TO \*  
\* BE REDUNDANT FILINGS. IT APPEARS ONLY ONE WATER \*  
\* RIGHT IS INVOLVED. \*  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-W-099854-00

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OWNER WIEDIGERS RETAINED. CONTRACT FOR DEED INTEREST.

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

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

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 224.00 GPM ( .50 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: 95.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

\_\_\_\_\_ LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MEANS \_\_\_\_\_  
01 SWSWNE 33 05N 21W RAVALLI DIVERSION DAM

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

\_\_\_\_\_ ACRES \_\_\_\_\_ LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

001	7.00	SEWNWE	34	OSN	21W	RAVALLI
002	8.00	SWWNWE	34	OSN	21W	RAVALLI
003	10.00	NESWNE	34	OSN	21W	RAVALLI
004	10.00	NWSWNE	34	OSN	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	35.00					

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 06/09/93: MEANS OF DIVERSION, POINT OF DIVERSION.

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\* \* \* \* \*  
\* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON \*  
\* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO(S). 178-74, DATED 08/02/79, \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 21.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A \*  
\* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE. \*  
\* \* \* \* \*  
\* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958) \*  
\* APPEARS TO INDICATE 20.00 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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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 764  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 764-W-099855-00

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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."

OWNER:	ROHRBACH FRED	D
	29655 232ND AVE SE	
	KENT WA	99042
	ROHRBACH DONALD	A
	29655 232ND AVE SE	
	KENT WA	99042
	WIEDIGER, JR DONALD	L
	140 CHERRY ST BOX 316	
	HAMILTON MT	59840
	WIEDIGER PATSY	L
	140 CHERRY ST BOX 316	
	HAMILTON MT	59840

OWNER WIEDIGERS RETAINED. CONTRACT FOR DEED INTEREST.

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

SOURCE: ZIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: USE

FLOW RATE: 224.40 GPM ( .50 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: 35.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 31

POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEMOS
01								SENWNE 34 05N 21W	RAVALLI DIVERSION DAM
02								SENWNE 34 05N 21W	RAVALLI DIVERSION DAM
03								SENWNE 34 05N 21W	RAVALLI HEADGATE

PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

	ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	
001	33.00					N4NE	34	05N	21W	RAVALLI
002	2.00					SENEW	34	05N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	35.00									

REMARKS:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT, 01/06/03/99: POINT OF DIVERSION, MEANS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

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. W099855-00, W099855-00.

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 64.00 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. W099853-00, W099854-00, W099855-00, W099856-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/12/84.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 06/15/97.

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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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* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON
* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE.
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* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958)
* APPEARS TO INDICATE 10.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A
* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE.
*
* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO(CS). 178-74, DATED 08/02/79,
* APPEARS TO INDICATE 11.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A
* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE.
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* 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 75H-W-099855-00 (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 76H2-W-099856-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS:	ROHRBACH	FRED	G	
	29655 292ND AVE SE			
	KENT		WA	98042
	ROHRBACH	POLLY	A	
	29655 292ND AVE SE			
	KENT		WA	98042
	WIEDIGER, JR	DONALD	L	
	140 CHERRY ST BOX 316			
	HAMILTON		MT	59840
	WIEDIGER	PATSY	L	
	140 CHERRY ST BOX 316			
	HAMILTON		MT	59840

OWNER WIEDIGERS RETAINED. CONTRACT FOR DEED INTEREST.

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

SOURCE: CAMAS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 1.00 CFS

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

CLIMATIC AREA: 2

MAXIMUM ACRES: 35.00

PERIOD OF USE: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY ----- MEANS -----  
01 SENWSW 34 OSN 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

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POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME: FOSS-MCCROSSIN-BROWN DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE EDR IRRIGATION:

ACRES	LOT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001	7.00				SENWNE	34	05N	21W RAVALLI
002	8.00				SUNWNE	34	05N	21W RAVALLI
003	10.00				NESWNE	34	05N	21W RAVALLI
004	10.00				NWSWNE	34	05N	21W RAVALLI
TOTAL	35.00							

REMARKS:

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/12/84.  
 NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/15/97.

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 \* EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM. THESE ISSUES MAY REMAIN  
 \* UNRESOLVED IF NO OBJECTIONS ARE FILED.  
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 \* THIS CLAIM AND WATER RIGHT NO. W099853-00 APPEAR TO  
 \* BE REDUNDANT FILINGS. IT APPEARS ONLY ONE WATER  
 \* RIGHT IS INVOLVED.  
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 \* FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON  
 \* RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE.  
 \*  
 \* THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1958)  
 \* APPEARS TO INDICATE 20.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A  
 \* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE.  
 \*  
 \* USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH (NCS). 178-74, DATED 08/02/79,  
 \* APPEARS TO INDICATE 21.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. A  
 \* DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE.  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER: 76HX-W-099857-00

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	KENT	WA	98042
	ROHRBACH	POLLY	A
	29655 232ND AVE SE		
	KENT	WA	98042
	WIEDIGER, JR	DONALD	L
	140 CHERRY ST BOX 316		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840
	WIEDIGER	PATSY	L
	140 CHERRY ST BOX 316		
	HAMILTON	MT	59840

OWNER WIEDIGERS RETAINED. CONTRACT FOR DEED INTEREST.

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: CAMAS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREE

\* 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 90 GALLONS PER 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 SENSW 34 05N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

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WESTSIDE SUBBASIN - BITTERROOT RIVER  
BASIN 76A  
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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76A-V-099857-00 (CONTINUED)

POINT OF DIVERSION CONTINUED:

DITCH NAME: FOSS-MCCROSSIN-BROWN DITCH

\* PLACE DE USE FOR SIZES:

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

001 S2NWNE 34 05N 21W RAVALLI

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RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF  
THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.  
W099856-00, W099857-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/12/84.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/15/97.

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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  
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P.O. BOX 879, BOZEMAN MT 59711-0879.

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER 76H-1-U-099858-00

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OWNER WIEDIGERS RETAINED. CONTRACT FOR DEED INTEREST.

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

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

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
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 SERVED 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								DIRECT FROM SOURCE
02								DIRECT FROM SOURCE

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

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PLACE OF USE CONTINUED:

	ACRES	LDT	BLK	QTR	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY
001					N25WNE	34	05N	21W	RAVALLI
002					NE25NW	34	05N	21W	RAVALLI

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NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/12/84.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/15/97.

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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: 76H2-W-099859-00

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DWBBS:	ROHRBACH	FRED	G	
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	KENT	WA	98042	
	ROHRBACH	POLLY	A	
	29655 232ND AVE SE	WA	98042	
	KENT			
	WIEDIGER, JR	DONALD	L	
	140 CHERRY ST BOX 316	MT	59840	
	HAMILTON			
	WIEDIGER	PATSY	L	
	140 CHERRY ST BOX 316	MT	59840	
	HAMILTON			

OWNER WIEDIGERS RETAINED. CONTRACT FOR DEED INTEREST.

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

SOURCE: ZIG CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
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 SENWNE 34 05N 21W RAVALLI DIRECT FROM SOURCE

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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SENWNE 34 05N 21W RAVALLI

REMARKS:

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RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE  
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RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF  
THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.  
W099555-00, W099659-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/12/04.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/15/97.

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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 76H-V-099860-00

IMPORTANT NOTICE

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OWNERS:	ROHRBACH	FRED	G	
	29655 232ND AVE SE		WA	98042
	KENT			
	ROHRBACH	POLLY	A	
	29655 232ND AVE SE		WA	98042
	KENT			
	WIEDIGER	PATSY	L	
	140 CHERRY ST BOX 316		MT	59840
	HAMILTON			
	WIEDIGER, JR	DONALD	L	
	140 CHERRY ST BOX 316		MT	59840
	HAMILTON			

OWNER WIEDIGERS RETAINED. CONTRACT FOR DEED INTEREST.

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF CAMAS CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

RECORDING DATE: JUNE 01, 1891  
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 AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

\_\_\_\_\_ LOT BLK QTB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MEANS \_\_\_\_\_  
01 SWNWNE 34 05N 21W RAVALLI SPRING BOX

PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

\_\_\_\_\_ ACRES \_\_\_\_\_ LOT BLK QTB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_  
001 SENWNE 34 05N 21W RAVALLI

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REMARKS CONTINUED:

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. W099852-00, W099860-00.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 10/12/84.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 08/15/97.

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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 76H-W-099861-00

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OWNERS:	FOURNIER	THELMA	A	
	NW 513 DUTCH HILL RD			
	HAMILTON		MT	59840
	FOURNIER	LEGRAND	J	
	NW 513 DUTCH HILL RD			
	HAMILTON		MT	59840

PURPOSE (USE): STOCK

\* SOURCE: SPRING, TRIB OF MILL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: GROUNDWATER

THIS WATER RIGHT ALSO INCLUDES SURFACE WATER FROM AN UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MILL CREEK.

EXISTENCE DATE: JUNE 27, 1979  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: FILED

FLOW RATE: .06 GPM

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PERIOD OF USE: JANUARY 01 TO DECEMBER 31

\* POINT OF DIVERSION AND MEANS OF DIVERSION:

-----	LOT	BLK	DIS	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	MEANS	-----
01						03	06N	21W	RAVALLI	DEVELOPED SPRING

AN UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MILL CREEK IS USED AS A NATURAL CARRIER TO CONVEY WATER DIVERTED FROM THE SPRING TO A SECONDARY POINT OF DIVERSION IN THE SWNNW OF SEC 02 TWP 06N RGE 21W, RAVALLI COUNTY.

\* PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK:

-----	ACRES	-----	LOT	BLK	DIS	SEC	SEC	TWP	RGE	COUNTY	-----
001								02	06N	21W	RAVALLI

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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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OWNERS: FOURNIER PAUL L  
 NW 503 DUTCH HILL RD  
 HAMILTON MT 59840  
 FOURNIER PATRICIA J  
 NW 503 DUTCH HILL RD  
 HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: MILL CREEK  
 SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

PRIORITY DATE: APRIL 01, 1891  
 TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

FLOW RATE: 62.89 GPM ( .14 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: 15.48

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 SUNENW 03 06N 21W RAVALLI HEADGATE

DITCH NAME: DERR DITCH

\* PLACE OF USE FOR IRRIGATION:

----- ACRES ----- LOT BLK QTR SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY -----  
 001 10.00 E2W2NW 02 06N 21W RAVALLI  
 002 5.48 NWSUNW 02 06N 21W RAVALLI  
 TOTAL 15.48

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W099862-00, W099863-00.

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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 PRIORITY DATE IS QUESTIONABLE. THE PLACE OF USE \*  
\* DESCRIBED FOR THIS RIGHT IN THE RAVALLI COUNTY WATER \*  
\* RESOURCES SURVEY FIELD NOTES (1957), IS LOT 2 AND THE \*  
\* SENE SEC 09 TWP 06N R0E 21W, IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE \*  
\* CLAIMED PLACE OF USE. \*  
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HAMILTON MT 59840

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

SOURCE: HILL CREEK  
SOURCE TYPE: SURFACE WATER

\* PRIORITY DATE: OCTOBER 01, 1885  
TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT: DECREED

ELOW RATE: 112.20 GPM (.25 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: 15.48

PERIOD OF USE: MAY 01 TO OCTOBER 04

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DITCH NAME: DERR DITCH

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ACRES LOT BLK ATB SEC SEC TWP RGE COUNTY

001	10.00	E2W2NW	02	06N	21W	RAVALLI
002	5.48	N5W2NW	02	06N	21W	RAVALLI
TOTAL	15.48					

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