

STATE OF MONTANA  
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION

1424 9TH AVENUE P.O.BOX 201601 HELENA, MONTANA 59620-1601

# GENERAL ABSTRACT

**Water Right Number:** 76LJ 30052867 COMPACT  
**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Version Status:**

**Owners:** USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF INDIAN AFF)  
IN TRUST FOR CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES  
OF THE FLATHEAD INDIAN RESERVATION, MONTANA  
911 NE 11TH AVENUE  
PORTLAND, OR 97232-4169

ALL COMMUNICATION SHALL BE COPIED TO THE CSKT TRIBAL CHAIRMAN AS THE BENEFICIAL OWNER AT PO BOX 278, PABLO, MT 59855-0278.

**Priority Date:** TIME IMMEMORIAL

**Purpose (use):** FISH AND WILDLIFE

**Maximum Flow Rate:** NO FLOW RATE IS DEFINED FOR THIS WATER RIGHT.

**Maximum Volume:** THIS WATER RIGHT IS FOR ALL NATURALLY OCCURRING SURFACE WATER IN FLATHEAD LAKE UP TO THE SHORELINE ELEVATION OF 2883 FEET ABOVE MEAN SEA LEVEL.

**Source Name:** SWAN RIVER  
**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

**Source Name:** FLATHEAD RIVER (FLATHEAD LAKE)  
**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

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

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1						LAKE

**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31  
**Source Name:** FLATHEAD RIVER (FLATHEAD LAKE)  
**Diversion Means:** INLAKE  
**Diversion Type:** PRIMARY

2 FLATHEAD

**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31  
**Source Name:** FLATHEAD RIVER (FLATHEAD LAKE)  
**Diversion Means:** INLAKE  
**Diversion Type:** PRIMARY

3 LAKE

**Period of Diversion:**  
**Source Name:** SWAN RIVER  
**Diversion Means:** INLAKE  
**Diversion Type:** PRIMARY

4 FLATHEAD

**Period of Diversion:**  
**Source Name:** SWAN RIVER  
**Diversion Means:** INLAKE  
**Diversion Type:** PRIMARY

THE POINT OF DIVERSION IS THE SAME AS THE PLACE OF USE.

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 to DECEMBER 31

**Place of Use:**

<u>ID</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>

THE PLACE OF USE IS FLATHEAD LAKE, BOTH ON AND OFF OF THE FLATHEAD INDIAN RESERVATION.

**Remarks:**

SEE 30052867 MAP EXHIBIT(S) 1.  
PROPOSED.V1.2015

**Remarks:**

THIS WATER RIGHT HAS NO ARTIFICIAL MEANS OF DIVERSION OR CONTROL OF WATER THAT CAN BE USED TO CONTROL, MANIPULATE OR OTHERWISE AFFECT THE QUANTITY OF WATER AVAILABLE TO SATISFY THIS RIGHT.

THE PURPOSE OF THIS WATER RIGHT IS FOR THE MAINTENANCE AND ENHANCEMENT OF FISH HABITAT. THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT BE CHANGED TO ANY OTHER OR ADDITIONAL PURPOSE.

THE EXERCISE OF THIS WATER RIGHT IS SUBJECT TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE WATER RIGHTS COMPACT ENTERED INTO BY THE CONFEDERATED SALISH AND KOOTENAI TRIBES, THE STATE OF MONTANA, AND THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

THE SOURCES FOR THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDE ALL NAMED AND UNNAMED TRIBUTARIES THAT DRAIN DIRECTLY INTO FLATHEAD LAKE.