

# NOTICE OF RECEIPT WATER RIGHT APPLICATION

(Pursuant to Section § 85-2-307(1), MCA)

Summarized below are the application details as described in an Application for a Provisional Permit received by the Department of Natural Resources & Conservation on MARCH 2, 2026. This notice reflects the application details only as originally submitted. The notice does not reflect changes to the application details made during the review process.

**Application Number:** 76M 30170833  
**Owners:** CIRCLE H INVESTMENTS LLC  
4800 GRANT CREEK RD  
MISSOULA, MT 59808  
**Priority Date:** MARCH 2, 2026 at 12:00 A.M.  
**Purpose (Use):** MULTIPLE DOMESTIC  
**Maximum Volume:** 49.53 AC-FT  
**Source Name:** GROUND WATER  
**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

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

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>QtrSec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		NWSESW	26	14N	20W	MISSOULA

**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31  
**Diversion Means:** WELL  
**Well Depth:** 117.00 FEET  
**Static Water Level:** 68.00 FEET  
**Casing Diameter:** 8.00 INCHES

**Purpose (Use):** MULTIPLE DOMESTIC  
**Households:** 127  
**Volume:** 49.53 AC-FT  
**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 to DECEMBER 31  
**Place of Use:**

<u>ID</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>QtrSec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1			E2	26	14N	20W	MISSOULA
2				25	14N	20W	MISSOULA

IF ISSUED, THE RIGHT WILL BE SUBJECT TO PRIOR EXISTING WATER RIGHTS.

In general, the Department will make a draft preliminary determination to grant or deny this application within 60 or 120 days of the date the application is deemed and correct and complete (60 days if a preapplication meeting was held, 120 days if a preapplication meeting was not held). That date is currently unknown as the application has not yet been determined to be correct and complete. If the draft preliminary determination is to grant the application, the application will be published in the local newspaper and a notice will be sent to appropriators who, according to the department records, may be affected by the proposed appropriation. Individuals will have 30 days to submit a public comment about this application under §85-2-307, MCA, after the application has been published in the newspaper. If public comments are received, the Department will consider the public comments and update the preliminary determination. If the preliminary determination is to grant the application, the application will again be published in a local newspaper and a notice will be sent to anyone who submitted a public comment, along with appropriators who, according to the department records may be affected by the proposed appropriation. Individuals will have 30 days to submit an objection under §85-2-308, MCA, after the application has been published in the newspaper.

Direct questions regarding this application to the Water Resources Regional Office, 2705 SPURGIN RD, BLDG C, PO BOX 5004, MISSOULA, MT 59804-5004 PHONE: 406-721-4284 FAX: 406-542-5899.