

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice to Water Users
(Pursuant to Section 85-2-307, MCA)

The following application has been submitted to change a water right in the State of Montana.

Application Number: 41H 30001611

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WATER RIGHT NUMBER(S) BEING CHANGED

<u>Water Right Type</u>	<u>Water Right Number</u>	<u>Priority Date</u>
STATEMENT OF CLAIM	41H 30066062	JUNE 1, 1869

PAST USE OF WATER

THE ORIGINAL PURPOSE OF WATER RIGHT 41H-110328-00 WAS IRRIGATION ON 104 ACRES. IN 2002, A TEMPORARY CHANGE WAS AUTHORIZED ALLOWING 3.26 CFS FROM 91 HISTORICALLY IRRIGATED ACRES TO BE LEFT INSTREAM TO BENEFIT THE FISHERY OF STORY CREEK. THE PLACE OF USE FOR THE INSTREAM PURPOSE IS STORY CREEK FROM THE NENWNE, SEC 10, TWP 1N, RGE 4E, DOWNSTREAM TO THE NWSEW, SEC 3, TWP 1N, RGE 4E, GALLATIN COUNTY.

PROPOSED CHANGE

FLOW RATE: 3.26 CFS

THIS APPLICATION IS TO RENEW A TEMPORARY CHANGE. THE TEMPORARY CHANGE WAS ORIGINALLY ISSUED ON 10/8/2002 FOR A PERIOD OF TEN YEARS AND AUTHORIZED THE CHANGE OF A PORTION OF WATER RIGHT 41H-110328-00. A CHANGE IN PLACE OF USE AND PURPOSE OF USE OF A PORTION OF THE ABOVE RIGHT WAS AUTHORIZED FOR MAINTAINING AND ENHANCING STREAMFLOWS FOR FISHERIES FROM MAY 1 THROUGH NOVEMBER 1. THE CHANGED PLACE OF USE INCLUDES STORY CREEK FROM A STAFF GAUGE IN THE NENWNE, SEC 10, TWP 1N, RGE 4E, GALLATIN COUNTY TO THE OWNER'S DOWNSTREAM PROPERTY BOUNDARY IN THE NWSEW, SEC 3, TWP 1N, RGE 4E, GALLATIN COUNTY. THE RENEWAL PERIOD REQUESTED IS AN ADDITIONAL 10 YEARS.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

THIS RENEWAL IS FOR CHANGE AUTHORIZATIONS 41H-30001599 AND 41H-30001611, WHICH WERE ISSUED IN 2002 BECAUSE OF SPLIT OWNERSHIP. THE PROPERTY INVOLVED IN THIS INSTREAM RENEWAL IS NOW UNDER SINGLE OWNERSHIP AND THE TWO CHANGE AUTHORIZATIONS OF 2002 HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED.

OBJECTIONS TO THIS APPLICATION MUST BE FILED ON AN OBJECTION TO APPLICATION, FORM NO. 611. MAIL THE COMPLETED OBJECTION FORM AND \$25.00 FILING FEE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION, PO BOX 201601, HELENA, MT 59620-1601. **OBJECTIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 31, 2023.** THE OBJECTION TO APPLICATION FORM IS AVAILABLE FROM THIS DEPARTMENT OR CAN BE OBTAINED FROM THE INTERNET AT <http://www.dnrc.mt.gov/wrd>. ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS APPLICATION SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO THE WATER RESOURCES REGIONAL OFFICE, 2273 BOOT HILL COURT, SUITE 110, BOZEMAN, MT 59715-7249 FAX: 406-587-9726 PHONE: 406-586-3136

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