

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: 41J 56463-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM
Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF AGRICULTURE FOREST SERVICE)
WATER RIGHTS PROGRAM MANAGER, NORTHERN REGION
26 FORT MISSOULA RD
MISSOULA, MT 59804-7203

Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1905

Enforceable Priority Date: JUNE 1, 1905

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (use): STOCK

Maximum Flow Rate: A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

Maximum Volume: THIS 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.

Source Name: SHEEP CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		S2SE	2	12N	5E	MEAGHER
Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30						
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
2		S2NW	4	12N	6E	MEAGHER
Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30						
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
3		S2	4	12N	6E	MEAGHER
Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30						
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
4		S2N2	5	12N	6E	MEAGHER
Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30						
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
5		S2	5	12N	6E	MEAGHER
Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30						
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
6		S2	6	12N	6E	MEAGHER
Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30						
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
7		N2	10	12N	6E	MEAGHER
Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30						
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
8		SWSW	12	12N	6E	MEAGHER
Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30						
Diversion Means: LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
9		NE	24	12N	6E	MEAGHER
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10		NESE	24	12N	6E	MEAGHER

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

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Period of Use: JUNE 1 to NOVEMBER 30

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>
1			S2SE	2	12N	5E	MEAGHER
2			S2NW	4	12N	6E	MEAGHER
3			S2	4	12N	6E	MEAGHER
4			S2N2	5	12N	6E	MEAGHER
5			S2	5	12N	6E	MEAGHER
6			S2	6	12N	6E	MEAGHER
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Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 08/08/2008: POINT OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

STARTING IN 2008, PERIOD OF DIVERSION WAS ADDED TO MOST CLAIM ABSTRACTS, INCLUDING THIS ONE.