

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: 43P 114839-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM
Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT
Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MICHAEL J BROWN
PO BOX 283
GETTYSBURG, SD 57442

REECE W BROWN
PO BOX 283
GETTYSBURG, SD 57442

JAMES R BROWN
PO BOX 283
GETTYSBURG, SD 57442

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1920
Enforceable Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1920

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (use): MULTIPLE DOMESTIC
Maximum Flow Rate: 35.00 GPM
Maximum Volume: 8.00 AC-FT

Households: 5
Maximum Acres: 1.50

Source Name: GROUNDWATER
Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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		SENENW	9	5S	31E	BIG HORN

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31
Diversion Means: WELL

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>
1	1.50		SENENW	9	5S	31E	BIG HORN
Total:	1.50						

Geocodes/Valid: 22-0545-09-2-01-04-0000 - Y

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 DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 05/25/2001.

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

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE CROW INDIAN RESERVATION.

WATER RIGHT OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED 10/12/1993.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 91394 RECEIVED 08/25/2011.

NO REVIEW OR DETERMINATION OF THE CLAIMED TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT HAS BEEN MADE. ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE MAY BE REQUIRED BEFORE THIS CLAIM CAN BE DECREED.

Remarks:

AS OF 05/20/2013 , THIS WATER RIGHT APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY JAMES R BROWN, PO BOX 283, GETTYSBURG, SD, 57442-0283.

IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS DEFINED IN THE CROW TRIBE - MONTANA COMPACT. ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE MAY BE REQUIRED BEFORE THIS CLAIM CAN BE DECREED.