

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: 76L 124109-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM
Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners: CONFEDERATED SALISH & KOOTENAI TRIBES
PO BOX 278
PABLO, MT 59855-0278

RUSSELL E HUNT
72682 HWY 93
SAINT IGNATIUS, MT 59865

Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1951

Enforceable Priority Date: DECEMBER 31, 1951

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER

Maximum Flow Rate: 1.14 CFS

THE FLOW RATE OF THIS CLAIM HAS BEEN REDUCED TO 17 GPM PER ACRE.
THE FLOW RATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

Maximum Volume: THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT
PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 30.00

Source Name: POST CREEK

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		NWSWNW	24	19N	20W	LAKE

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO SEPTEMBER 15

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: MAY 15 to SEPTEMBER 15

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	30.00		SWNW	24	19N	20W	LAKE

Total: 30.00

Geocodes/Valid: 15-2868-24-2-01-05-0000 - Y 15-2868-24-3-01-12-0000 - 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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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 FLATHEAD INDIAN RESERVATION.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 02/26/90.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/22/96.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 85907 RECEIVED 10/15/2009.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 69715 RECEIVED 01/13/2010.

Remarks:

ACCORDING TO CADASTRAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP RECORDS, AS OF 11/13/2009, A PORTION OF THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY ERNEST E HUNT REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST.

ACCORDING TO CADASTRAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP RECORDS, AS OF 11/13/2009, A PORTION OF THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY CSKT.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. IT APPEARS THE PRIORITY DATE SHOULD BE THE DATE THE SPRINKLER WAS FIRST PUT TO USE.