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: 41G 8949-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners: MEKEL LAND & CATTLE LLC

PO BOX 160

MC ALLISTER, MT 59740

Priority Date: DECEMBER 15, 1867

Enforceable Priority Date: DECEMBER 15, 1867

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: MULTIPLE METHODS

Maximum Flow Rate: 2.50 CFS

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: 716.00

Source Name: WILLOW CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

IDGovt LotQtr SecSecTwpRgeCounty1SESENE71S1EGALLATIN

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BUTTLEMAN DITCH

2 SWSESE 7 1S 1E GALLATIN

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: UPPER WILLOW CREEK DITCH

3 SESENE 7 1S 1E GALLATIN

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 4

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: LANE-MILLER-COOPER DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 to NOVEMBER 4

Place of Use:

<u>ID</u>	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	<u>Sec</u>	Twp	Rge	County
1	141.00		SE	31	1N	1E	GALLATIN
2	120.00		SE	32	1N	1E	GALLATIN
3	160.00		SW	32	1N	1E	GALLATIN
4	70.00		W2NW	5	1S	1E	GALLATIN
5	145.00		NE	6	1S	1E	GALLATIN
6	40.00		NWSW	5	1S	1E	GALLATIN
7	40.00		NESE	6	1S	1E	GALLATIN

Total: 716.00

Geocodes/Valid: 06-0900-05-2-01-02-0000 - Y 06-0900-05-2-01-05-0000 - Y

06-1007-32-4-01-01-0000 - Y

Remarks:

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THE WATER RIGHTS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE SUPPLEMENTAL WHICH MEANS THE RIGHTS HAVE OVERLAPPING PLACES OF USE. THE RIGHTS CAN BE COMBINED TO IRRIGATE ONLY OVERLAPPING PARCELS. EACH RIGHT IS LIMITED TO THE FLOW RATE AND PLACE OF USE OF THAT INDIVIDUAL RIGHT. THE SUM TOTAL VOLUME OF THESE WATER RIGHTS SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.

8944-00 8945-00 8946-00 8947-00 8948-00 8949-00 8950-00

8951-00 8952-00 8953-00

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

OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 3566 RECEIVED 06/28/2002.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 101288 RECEIVED 11/22/2011.