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 185437-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners: JASON A WATSON

RT 1 BOX 1010 HARDIN, MT 59034 TANYA R WATSON RT 1 BOX 1010 HARDIN, MT 59034 JUSTIN L WATSON RT 1 BOX 1082

HARDIN, MT 59034-9707 CORINNE L WATSON RT 1 BOX 1010A HARDIN, MT 59034-9707

JOHN J YERGER RR 1 BOX 1108

HARDIN, MT 59034-9714 BARBARA J YERGER RR 1 BOX 1108 HARDIN, MT 59034

Priority Date: MAY 15, 1939

Enforceable Priority Date: MAY 15, 1939

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Maximum Flow Rate: 3.75 CFS

Maximum Volume: THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT

PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.

Climatic Area: 1 - HIGH

Maximum Acres: 367.60

Source Name: BIGHORN RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS DOUGLAS SLOUGH

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

 ID
 Govt Lot
 Qtr Sec
 Sec
 Twp
 Rge
 County

 1
 6
 SE
 27
 1N
 33E
 BIG HORN

Period of Diversion: JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: JUNE 1 to SEPTEMBER 30

Place of Use:

<u>ID</u>	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	320.00		W2	26	1N	33E	BIG HORN
2	25.30	1	NE	27	1N	33E	BIG HORN
3	13.10	5	NE	27	1N	33E	BIG HORN
4	8.20	6	SE	27	1N	33E	BIG HORN
5	1.00	9	SE	27	1N	33E	BIG HORN
Total:	367.60						

Geocodes/Valid: 22-1040-26-2-04-04-0000 - Y 22-1040-27-1-01-01-0000 - Y

22-1040-27-4-01-01-0000 - 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.

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

OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 94921 RECEIVED 05/11/2009.