#### 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: 40A 207545-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- POST DECREE

Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners: NORMAN M VOLDSETH

135 VOLDSETH RD

MARTINSDALE, MT 59053

**Priority Date:** JULY 22, 1937

Enforceable Priority Date: JULY 22, 1937

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (use): IRRIGATION

**Irrigation Type:** FLOOD

Maximum Flow Rate: 40.00 CFS

Maximum Volume: 1,903.70 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 1,733.59

Source Name: COMB CREEK

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

IDGovt LotQtr SecSecTwpRgeCounty1SENWSW87N10EMEAGHER

Period of Diversion: APRIL 20 TO JUNE 20

**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE

2- SECONDARY NWSWNE 7 7N 10E MEAGHER

Period of Diversion: MAY 20 TO SEPTEMBER 15

**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE

3-SECONDARY NENWSW 6 7N 10E MEAGHER

Period of Diversion: MAY 20 TO SEPTEMBER 15

**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE

4- SECONDARY NENENE 1 7N 9E MEAGHER

Period of Diversion: MAY 20 TO SEPTEMBER 15

**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE

5- SECONDARY NWNENW 6 7N 10E MEAGHER

Period of Diversion: MAY 20 TO SEPTEMBER 15

**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE

6-SECONDARY SESESE 36 8N 9E MEAGHER

Period of Diversion: MAY 20 TO SEPTEMBER 15

**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE

7-SECONDARY SWSESW 31 8N 10E MEAGHER

Period of Diversion: MAY 20 TO SEPTEMBER 15

**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE

8-SECONDARY SWNWSW 31 8N 10E MEAGHER

Period of Diversion: MAY 20 TO SEPTEMBER 15

**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE

POINT OF DIVERSION ID 1 DIVERTS WATER INTO VOLDSETH RESERVOIR, AN OFFSTREAM STORAGE RESERVOIR. STORAGE WATER IS THEN RETURNED TO COMB CREEK IN THE NWSENE, SEC 7, T7N. R10E. COMB CREEK IS USED AS A NATURAL CARRIER TO ALL SECONDARY POINTS OF DIVERSION LISTED ABOVE.

Reservoir: OFF STREAM Reservoir Name VOLDSETH RESERVOIR

Govt Lot Qtr Sec Sec Twp Rge County

SENWSW 8 7N 10E MEAGHER

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Dam Height:35.00 FEETDepth:27.00 FEETSurface Area:108.00 ACRES

Current Capacity: 1,547.00 ACRE-FEET

Period of Use: MAY 1 to SEPTEMBER 15

## Place of Use:

| <u>ID</u> | <u>Acres</u> | Govt Lot | <b>Qtr Sec</b> | <u>Sec</u> | <b>Twp</b> | Rge | <b>County</b> |
|-----------|--------------|----------|----------------|------------|------------|-----|---------------|
| 1         | 12.30        |          | E2E2SE         | 36         | 8N         | 9E  | MEAGHER       |
| 2         | 489.00       |          |                | 31         | 8N         | 10E | MEAGHER       |
| 3         | 357.90       |          |                | 32         | 8N         | 10E | MEAGHER       |
| 4         | 295.40       |          |                | 33         | 8N         | 10E | MEAGHER       |
| 5         | 49.00        |          | W2             | 4          | 7N         | 10E | MEAGHER       |
| 6         | 116.80       |          | NE             | 6          | 7N         | 10E | MEAGHER       |
| 7         | 18.20        |          | N2             | 7          | 7N         | 10E | MEAGHER       |
| 8         | 11.90        |          | E2E2E2         | 1          | 7N         | 10E | MEAGHER       |
| 9         | 156.10       |          | N2             | 5          | 7N         | 10E | MEAGHER       |
| 10        | 196.49       |          | W2             | 6          | 7N         | 10E | MEAGHER       |
| 11        | 10.40        |          | S2S2SE         | 28         | 8N         | 10E | MEAGHER       |
| 12        | 20.10        |          | S2SE           | 30         | 8N         | 10E | MEAGHER       |
| Total:    | 1,733.59     |          |                |            |            |     |               |

Geocodes/Valid: 47-1600-01-2-01-01-0000 - Y 47-1600-04-1-01-01-0000 - Y

 47-1600-05-1-01-01-0000 - Y
 47-1600-06-2-01-01-0000 - Y

 47-1600-17-1-01-01-01-0000 - Y
 47-1700-36-4-01-01-0000 - Y

 47-1701-28-4-04-01-0000 - Y
 47-1701-30-4-01-01-0000 - Y

 47-1701-31-1-01-01-0000 - Y
 47-1701-32-2-01-01-0000 - Y

47-1701-33-3-01-01-0000 - Y

# Remarks:

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.

207532-00 207536-00 207538-00 207539-00 207540-00 207542-00 207545-00 207546-00 207547-00

THE PLACE OF USE AND PERIOD OF USE WERE AMENDED BY THE WATER COURT PURSUANT TO SECTION 85-2-233(6), MCA.

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

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 05/31/85.