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 211596-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Version Status: ACTIVE

Late Claim: B

Owners: MCFARLAND WHITE RANCH INC

PO BOX 235

TWO DOT, MT 59085-0235

Priority Date: JUNE 30, 1898

Enforceable Priority Date: JUNE 30, 1973

CLAIM FILED LATE 12/02/85 . AS MANDATED BY SECTION 85-2-221(3), MCA, THIS CLAIM IS SUBORDINATE, AND THEREFORE JUNIOR, TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED

WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW.

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Maximum Flow Rate: 2.40 CFS

Maximum Volume: 823.54 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 1,163.10

Source Name: BIG ELK CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

IDGovt LotQtr SecSecTwpRgeCounty1SWSESW126N12EWHEATLAND

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 4

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

NWNENW 13 6N 12E WHEATLAND

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 4

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

3 NWNENW 13 6N 12E WHEATLAND

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 4

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

4 SENWNW 13 6N 12E WHEATLAND

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 4

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

5 SESWSW 14 6N 12E WHEATLAND

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 4

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

6 SWSWSW 23 6N 12E WHEATLAND

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 4

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: APRIL 15 to OCTOBER 4

Place of Use:

<u>ID</u>	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	Twp	Rge	County
1	26.00		NE	6	6N	13E	WHEATLAND
2	40.00		NW	5	6N	13E	WHEATLAND
3	90.00			13	6N	12E	WHEATLAND
4	12.00		SE	12	6N	12E	WHEATLAND
5	17.10		E2NW	7	6N	13E	WHEATLAND
6	63.00		NE	7	6N	13E	WHEATLAND
7	91.00		E2	6	6N	13E	WHEATLAND

Place	of	Use:
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<u>ID</u>	<u>Acres</u>	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	Rge	County
8	60.00		NW	5	6N	13E	WHEATLAND
9	100.00		NE	5	6N	13E	WHEATLAND
10	240.00		SW	5	6N	13E	WHEATLAND
11	120.00		SE	5	6N	13E	WHEATLAND
12	40.00		SE	4	6N	13E	WHEATLAND
13	102.00		NE	4	6N	13E	WHEATLAND
14	20.00		SW	4	6N	13E	WHEATLAND
15	120.00		NW	4	6N	13E	WHEATLAND
16	22.00		NE	4	6N	13E	WHEATLAND
Total:	1,163.10						

Geocodes/Valid: 44-1506-12-4-01-01-0000 - Y 44-1506-13-1-01-01-0000 - Y

Remarks:

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

CLAIM WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40A TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 05/07/85.

CLAIM FILED LATE 12/02/85. IN ADDITION TO BEING SUBORDINATE TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW, THIS RIGHT MAY ALSO BE SUBORDINATE TO CERTAIN PERMITS AND RESERVATIONS OF WATER. SEE SECTION 85-2-221 MCA.