

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:** 41F 3483-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM  
**Version:** 3 -- POST DECREE

**Version Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** MADISON VALLEY GARDEN RANCH LLC  
% DOTTIE KNECHT  
P O BOX 1279  
ENNIS, MT 59729-1279

**Priority Date:** APRIL 1, 1866

**Enforceable Priority Date:** APRIL 1, 1866

**Type of Historical Right:** DECREED

**Purpose (use):** IRRIGATION

**Irrigation Type:** FLOOD

**Maximum Flow Rate:** 1.50 CFS

THE FLOW RATE FOR THIS CLAIM SHALL BE MEASURED AT OR ABOUT THE POINT WHERE THE CONVEYANCE DITCH CROSSES THE CLAIMANT'S PROPERTY LINE IN THE SESENW, SEC 6, T5S, R1W, MADISON COUNTY. SEE THE CLAIM FILE OR WATER COURT CASE 41F-A12 FOR MORE INFORMATION.

**Maximum Volume:** 341.00 AC-FT

**Climatic Area:** 4 - MODERATELY LOW

**Maximum Acres:** 339.90

**Source Name:** SOUTH MEADOW 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		NWNENW	35	4S	2W	MADISON

**Period of Diversion:** APRIL 20 TO SEPTEMBER 30

**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE

**Ditch Name:** GORDON DITCH

**Period of Use:** APRIL 20 to SEPTEMBER 30

**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	28.00		SWNE	6	5S	1W	MADISON
2	39.00		SENE	6	5S	1W	MADISON
3	18.00		NWSE	6	5S	1W	MADISON
4	35.00		NESE	6	5S	1W	MADISON
5	32.00		NWSW	5	5S	1W	MADISON
6	27.00		NESW	5	5S	1W	MADISON
7	3.00		SWSW	5	5S	1W	MADISON
8	6.20		SENE	8	5S	1W	MADISON
9	20.00		SESW	5	5S	1W	MADISON
10	13.00		NWSE	5	5S	1W	MADISON
11	17.00		SWSE	5	5S	1W	MADISON
12	29.20		SESE	5	5S	1W	MADISON
13	34.50		NENE	8	5S	1W	MADISON
14	23.00		NWNE	8	5S	1W	MADISON
15	15.00		NENW	8	5S	1W	MADISON
<b>Total:</b>	<b>339.90</b>						

**Geocodes/Valid:** 25-0510-05-1-01-01-0000 - Y      25-0510-06-1-01-01-0000 - Y  
25-0510-08-1-01-01-0000 - 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.

3482-00	3483-00	3484-00	3485-00	3486-00	3487-00	3843-00
3844-00	3845-00	3846-00	3847-00	40737-00	107145-00	

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

WATER RIGHT OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED 12/16/1999.

**OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED**

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 5172 RECEIVED 08/19/2002.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 97466 RECEIVED 07/16/2010.