#### 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: 43D 10228-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 3 -- REEXAMINED

Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners: SWITCHBACK RANCH LLC

PO BOX 2296

CODY, WY 82414-2296

**Priority Date:** JUNE 6, 1897

Enforceable Priority Date: JUNE 6, 1897

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

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: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 643.00

Source Name: WEST RED LODGE 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 SWNE 10 7S 18E CARBON

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: L-B-H-K DITCH

Period of Use: APRIL 1 to SEPTEMBER 30

## Place of Use:

<u>ID</u>	<u>Acres</u>	Govt Lot	<b>Qtr Sec</b>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<b>County</b>
1	91.00		SW	25	6S	18E	CARBON
2	51.00		NW	36	6S	18E	CARBON
3	248.00		E2	26	6S	18E	CARBON
4	43.00		E2SW	26	6S	18E	CARBON
5	210.00		N2	35	6S	18E	CARBON
Total	6/3 00						

Geocodes/Valid: -- NO VALID GEOCODES --

## 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.

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THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 03/29/1988: PLACE OF USE, MAXIMUM ACRES, PRIORITY DATE.

THE POINT OF DIVERSION WAS AMENDED BY CLAIMANT IN 2007 PURSUANT TO SECTION 85-2-233(6), MCA.

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

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE CLARKS FORK YELLOWSTONE RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43D) AND USES IT IN THE STILLWATER RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 43C). ANY OBJECTION TO THIS RIGHT MAY BE FILED DURING THE OBJECTION PERIODS FOR EITHER THE POINT OF DIVERSION OR PLACE OF USE BASIN.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/11/92.

#### **OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED**

Remarks:

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 26763 RECEIVED 11/21/2005.