## 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: 41A 30017527 WATER RESERVATION

Version: 2 -- CHANGE AUTHORIZATION

**Version Status: ACTIVE** 

Owners: MONTANA, STATE OF DEPT OF FISH WILDLIFE & PARKS

UPPER MISSOURI RESERVATION

PO BOX 200701

HELENA, MT 59620-0701

**Priority Date:** JULY 1, 1985 at 12:00 A.M.

Enforceable Priority Date: JULY 1, 1985 at 12:00 A.M.

Purpose (use): FISHERY
Maximum Flow Rate: 0.50 CFS
Historical Flow Rate: 0.50 CFS
Maximum Volume: 286.54 AC-FT

**Historical Diverted** 

Volume: 286.54 AC-FT

**Historical Consumptive** 

Volume: 0.00 AC-FT

Source Name: NARROWS CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

IDGovt LotQtr SecSecTwpRgeCounty1SWSW1713S1EBEAVERHEAD

Period of Diversion: JULY 16 TO APRIL 30 Flow Rate: .50 CFS

**Diversion Means:** INSTREAM

2 E2 18 13S 1E BEAVERHEAD

Period of Diversion: JULY 16 TO APRIL 30 Flow Rate: .50 CFS

**Diversion Means: INSTREAM** 

W2 20 13S 1E BEAVERHEAD

Period of Diversion: JULY 16 TO APRIL 30

**Diversion Means: INSTREAM** 

4 NWNENW 29 13S 1E BEAVERHEAD

Period of Diversion: JULY 16 TO APRIL 30

**Diversion Means:** PIPELINE

5 W2 29 13S 1E BEAVERHEAD

Period of Diversion: JULY 16 TO APRIL 30

**Diversion Means: INSTREAM** 

Purpose (Use): FISHERY Volume: 286.54 AC-FT

Perfected Flow Rate: Perfected Volume:

**Period of Use:** JULY 16 to APRIL 30

Place of Use:

<u>ID</u>	Acres	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	<u>Sec</u>	<b>Twp</b>	Rge	<b>County</b>
1			SWSW	17	13S	1E	BEAVERHEAD
2			E2	18	13S	1E	BEAVERHEAD
3			W2	20	13S	1E	BEAVERHEAD
4			NESW	29	13S	1E	BEAVERHEAD
5			W2	29	13S	1E	BEAVERHEAD

Remarks:

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## **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

PLACE OF USE CONDITION

UNDER THE TERMS OF THIS CHANGE AUTHORIZATION, NARROWS CREEK WATERS SHALL ONLY BE USED IN ONE OF THE FOLLOWING THREE PLACES OF USE AT ANY GIVEN TIME:

- 1. THE REACH OF THE UN-NAMED TRIBUTARY TO ELK LAKE (ALSO KNOWN AS SPRING CREEK) LOCATED IN NESW SECTION 29, TOWNSHIP 13 SOUTH, RANGE 1 EAST, OR BETWEEN THE SPRING SOURCE(S) AND THE CONFLUENCE WITH ELK LAKE.
- 2. THE REACH OF LOWER NARROWS CREEK LOCATED IN SENW SECTION 29, TOWNSHIP 13 SOUTH, RANGE 1 EAST, OR BETWEEN THE NARROWS CREEK PIPELINE OUTLET AND THE CONFLUENCE WITH ELK LAKE.
- 3. THE REACH OF NARROWS CREEK CONSISTING OF ITS NATURAL CHANNEL BETWEEN THE PIPELINE DIVERSION LOCATED AT NWNENW SECTION 29, TOWNSHIP 13 SOUTH, RANGE 1 EAST, AND THE NARROWS CREEK CONFLUENCE WITH ELK LAKE. THIS REACH CORRESPONDS TO THE PLACE OF USE LOCATED IN THE W2 SECTION 29, TOWNSHIP 13 SOUTH, RANGE 1 EAST, AS GRANTED BY THE 1992 FINAL ORDER OF THE BOARD OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION ESTABLISHING WATER RESERVATIONS ABOVE FORT PECK DAM. INSTREAM FLOW PROTECTION IN THIS REACH SHALL NOT CORRESPOND WITH USE OF THE PIPELINE BYPASS.

### WATER MEASUREMENT INFORMATION

FLOW MEASUREMENT AND REPORTING CONDITIONS: MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF FISH, WILDLIFE & PARKS OR ITS DESIGNEE SHALL MEASURE THE NARROWS CREEK FLOWS DESIGNATED FOR INSTREAM PROTECTION IN NARROWS CREEK AND THE UN-NAMED TRIBUTARY OF ELK LAKE (ALSO KNOWN AS SPRING CREEK) ONCE A MONTH FROM APRIL THROUGH OCTOBER BY TAKING FLOW MEARSUREMENTS WITH AN INLINE FLOW METER LOCATED JUST ABOVE THE PIPELINE SPLIT IN THE SWSENE, SEC 29, TWP 13S, RGE 1E, BEAVERHEAD COUNTY. THE RECORDED FLOW RATE MEASUREMENTS MUST BE SENT TO THE DNRC HELENA REGIONAL OFFICE BY NOVEMBER 30 OF EACH YEAR.