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: 41D 30068305 COMPACT

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners: USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR NATIONAL PARK SERVICE)

1201 OAKRIDGE DRIVE, SUITE 250

FORT COLLINS, CO 80525

Priority Date: JUNE 29, 1939

Enforceable Priority Date: JUNE 29, 1939

Purpose (use): INSTREAM FLOW

Maximum Flow Rate:

ENTIRE FLOW OF SOURCE IN EXCESS OF AMOUNT DIVERTED BY RIGHTS DESCRIBED IN ARTICLE III.A.2 OF THE COMPACT BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE STATE OF MONTANA, CODIFIED AT 85-20-401 M.C.A. (1995) AND CURRENT AND FUTURE CONSUMPTIVE USE IN THE

AMOUNTS UP TO BUT NOT EXCEEDING:

MONTH CONSUMPTIVE USE (CFS) APRII 4 85 MAY 23.85 JUNE 18.70 JULY 4.05 AUG. 1.75 SEPT. 1.35 OCT. 1.50

PROVIDED THE FLOW RATES, NOTWITHSTANDING, THE INSTREAM FLOW WATER RIGHTS OF THE UNITED STATES SHALL BE SUBORDINATE TO ANY WATER RIGHTS RECOGNIZED UNDER STATE LAW WITH A PRIORITY DATE

BEFORE JANUARY 1, 1993.

Maximum Volume:

1

Source Name: BIG HOLE RIVER, NORTH FORK

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>

NWNE 24 2S 17W BEAVERHEAD

Period of Diversion: APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: INSTREAM

BEGINNING AND ENDING POINT OF INSTREAM FLOW: WHERE EACH SEGMENT OF THE NORTH FORK OF THE BIG HOLE RIVER ENTERS THE RESERVED LAND OF THE PARK, AND ENDING WHERE EACH SEGMENT OF THE NORTH FORK OF THE

BIG HOLE RIVER EXITS THE RESERVED LANDS OF THE PARK.

POINT OF DIVERSION LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION IS A GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF WHERE THE NORTH FORK BIG HOLE RIVER EXITS THE RESERVED LAND OF THE BIG HOLE NATIONAL BATTLEFIELD. THIS DESCRIPTION IS ENTERED IN THE MONTANA STATE WATER RIGHTS DATABASE SO THAT THIS COMPACT RIGHT IS

INCLUDED IN GIS AND TABULAR SEARCH RESULTS.

Period of Use: APRIL 1 to OCTOBER 31

Place of Use:

ID Acres Govt Lot Qtr Sec Sec Twp Rge County

WITHIN THE PARK.

Remarks:

41D 30068304 AND 41D 30068305 ARE RESERVED WATER RIGHTS FOR NONCONSUMPTIVE USE IN THE NORTH FORK OF THE BIG HOLE RIVER AT BIG HOLE NATIONAL BATTLEFIELD UNDER EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 1216 OF JUNE 23, 1910, PRESIDENTIAL PROCLAMATION NO. 2339 OF JUNE 29, 1939, 53 STAT. 2544 AND ACT OF MAY 17, 1963, 77 STAT. 18.

THIS IS A RESERVED WATER RIGHT WHICH IS SUBJECT TO THE COMPACT BETWEEN THE UNITED

Remarks:

STATES OF AMERICA AND THE STATE OF MONTANA, CODIFIED AT 85-20-401, M.C.A. (1995).