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: 39E 27590-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners: DOUGLAS A GARDNER

2770 HAMMOND RD HAMMOND, MT 59332 KERRY E GARDNER 2770 HAMMOND RD HAMMOND, MT 59332

Priority Date: JULY 8, 1957

Enforceable Priority Date: JULY 8, 1957

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER

Maximum Flow Rate:

Maximum Volume: 510.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

Maximum Acres: 270.00

Source Name: GROAT CREEK, WEST 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> 1 NESWSW 34 6S 56E CARTER

Period of Diversion: FEBRUARY 15 TO NOVEMBER 19

Diversion Means: DAM

Reservoir: ON STREAM

Govt Lot Qtr Sec Sec Twp Rge County

NESWSW 34 6S 56E CARTER

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: FEBRUARY 15 to NOVEMBER 19

Place of Use:

<u>ID</u>	<u>Acres</u>	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	<u>Sec</u>	Twp	Rge	County
1	14.00		W2W2NW	3	7S	56E	CARTER
2	8.00		S2S2SE	33	6S	56E	CARTER
3	137.00		NE	4	7S	56E	CARTER
4	8.00		SESENE	27	6S	56E	CARTER
5	98.00		NW	26	6S	56E	CARTER
6	1.00		SWSWSW	34	6S	56E	CARTER
7	2.00		SWNWNE	26	6S	56E	CARTER
8	2.00		NENESE	27	6S	56E	CARTER
Total:	270.00						

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

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/21/88.

Remarks:

WHEN THIS CLAIM WAS ORIGINALLY DECREED, THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION WAS NOT INCLUDED AS AN ELEMENT OF THE CLAIM. IN 2008, THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION ELEMENT WAS ADDED TO ALL CLAIM ABSTRACTS. IT IS NOT CERTAIN IF THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION DATES ADDED TO THIS CLAIM ACCURATELY REFLECT THE HISTORICAL PERIOD OF DIVERSION. MORE INFORMATION IS REQUIRED.