

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: 76L 142146-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM
Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT
Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners:
GERALD W LEIGHTON
44976 LEIGHTON RD
RONAN, MT 59864

MABLE J LEIGHTON
44976 LEIGHTON RD
RONAN, MT 59864

Priority Date: FEBRUARY 15, 1971
Enforceable Priority Date: FEBRUARY 15, 1971

Type of Historical Right: FILED

Purpose (use): IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER/FLOOD

Maximum Flow Rate: 5.00 CFS

Maximum Volume: THE TOTAL VOLUME OF THIS WATER RIGHT SHALL NOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT PUT TO HISTORICAL AND BENEFICIAL USE.

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 330.00

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF STINGER CREEK

Source Type: SURFACE WATER
ALSO KNOWN AS ISHMAEL CREEK

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		NWNESE	22	21N	20W	LAKE

Period of Diversion: MAY 15 TO AUGUST 15

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Period of Use: MAY 15 to AUGUST 15

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	160.00		SE	22	21N	20W	LAKE
2	30.00		SESW	22	21N	20W	LAKE
3	40.00		NWSW	23	21N	20W	LAKE
4	10.00		N2SWSW	23	21N	20W	LAKE
5	65.00		N2NE	27	21N	20W	LAKE
6	25.00		NENW	27	21N	20W	LAKE
Total:	330.00						

Geocodes/Valid: 15-3103-22-1-01-07-0000 - Y 15-3103-22-1-01-08-0000 - Y
15-3103-23-3-01-04-0000 - Y 15-3103-27-1-01-08-0000 - Y
15-3103-27-1-01-09-0000 - Y

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.

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FLATHEAD INDIAN RESERVATION.

Remarks:

FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE.
USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO(S). 1079-36 , DATED 09/24/1979 , APPEARS TO INDICATE 63.18 ACRES
IRRIGATED. A DESCRIPTION OF THESE ACRES IS IN THE CLAIM FILE.