

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:** 41J 146106-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM  
**Version:** 2 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT  
**Version Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** CATLIN RANCH LP  
3660 HWY 12 W  
WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, MT 59645

**Priority Date:** SEPTEMBER 18, 1970

**Enforceable Priority Date:** SEPTEMBER 18, 1970

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose (use):** STOCK

**Maximum Flow Rate:** 2.50 CFS

**Maximum Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SMITH RIVER, SOUTH FORK

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:**

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		SENE	29	7N	7E	MEAGHER

**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**Diversion Means:** DEVELOPED SPRING

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 to DECEMBER 31

**Place of Use:**

<u>ID</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1			NWNE	1	6N	6E	MEAGHER
2			NWNESW	5	6N	7E	MEAGHER
3			SWNE	9	6N	7E	MEAGHER
4			SESWNW	28	7N	7E	MEAGHER
5			SWNWSE	28	7N	7E	MEAGHER
6			SENE	29	7N	7E	MEAGHER
7			NENENW	33	7N	7E	MEAGHER
8			NENWSE	33	7N	7E	MEAGHER
9			SWNESW	33	7N	7E	MEAGHER
10			SESESW	34	7N	7E	MEAGHER

**Geocodes/Valid:** -- NO VALID GEOCODES --

**Remarks:**

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

THIS APPROPRIATION OF WATER TAKES WATER FROM THE SMITH RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 41J ) AND USES IT IN THE SMITH RIVER DRAINAGE (BASIN 41J ) AND THE MISSOURI RIVER, ABOVE HOLTER DAM DRAINAGE (BASIN 411). ANY OBJECTION TO THIS RIGHT MAY BE FILED DURING THE OBJECTION PERIODS FOR EITHER THE POINT OF DIVERSION OR PLACE OF USE BASIN.

**OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED**

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 13250 RECEIVED 03/18/2004.

THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE EXCEEDS THE 35 GPM GUIDELINE FOR THIS PURPOSE AND CANNOT BE CONFIRMED DUE TO LACK OF DATA.