

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 154000-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM  
**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Version Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** YVONNE HEIDEGGER  
3 FINLEY GULCH RD  
LONEPINE, MT 59848

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1949

**Enforceable Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1949

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose (use):** IRRIGATION

**Irrigation Type:** FLOOD

**Maximum Flow Rate:** 204.00 GPM

THE FLOW RATE OF THIS CLAIM HAS BEEN REDUCED TO 17 GPM PER ACRE.  
THE FLOW RATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

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

**Climatic Area:** 2 - MODERATELY HIGH

**Maximum Acres:** 12.00

**Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF DRY FORK CREEK

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

ALSO KNOWN AS LAME JOE SPRING

**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		NEWSW	28	23N	24W	SANDERS

**Period of Diversion:** MARCH 1 TO JULY 31

**Diversion Means:** DITCH

**Period of Use:** MARCH 1 to JULY 31

**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	6.00		NESESW	28	23N	24W	SANDERS
2	6.00		NWSESW	28	23N	24W	SANDERS
<b>Total:</b>	12.00						

**Geocodes/Valid:** 35-3345-28-3-01-10-0000 - Y

**Remarks:**

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.

**OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED**

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 88303 RECEIVED 09/14/2010.

FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE.

THE SANDERS COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY ( 1969 ) APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED.

THIS RIGHT HAS A POINT OF DIVERSION OR PLACE OF USE ON SPECIAL STATUS LANDS AND WAS NOT FILED BY THE TRIBES OR THE UNITED STATES ON BEHALF OF THE TRIBES.