

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:** 76LJ 9211-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM  
**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT  
**Version Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:**  
GEORGE W INGHAM II  
805 SPRING PRAIRIE RD  
WHITEFISH, MT 59937  
  
BONNIE K INGHAM  
805 SPRING PRAIRIE RD  
WHITEFISH, MT 59937

**Priority Date:** MAY 21, 1952  
**Enforceable Priority Date:** MAY 21, 1952

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose (use):** IRRIGATION  
**Irrigation Type:** SPRINKLER

**Maximum Flow Rate:** 1.34 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:** 90.00

**Source Name:** STILLWATER RIVER  
**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		SESWNW	34	30N	22W	FLATHEAD

**Period of Diversion:** MAY 15 TO OCTOBER 31  
**Diversion Means:** PUMP

**Period of Use:** MAY 15 to OCTOBER 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	27.00		SENE	33	30N	22W	FLATHEAD
2	23.00		SWNW	34	30N	22W	FLATHEAD
3	40.00		NWSW	34	30N	22W	FLATHEAD
<b>Total:</b>	90.00						

**Geocodes/Valid:** 07-4184-33-1-01-40-0000 - Y      07-4184-34-2-01-20-0000 - Y  
07-4184-34-2-02-85-0000 - Y

**Remarks:**

THE POINT OF DIVERSION WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 12/19/2013.

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE ASSOCIATED. THEY SHARE THE SAME POINT OF DIVERSION. 76LJ-9211-00, 76LJ-814-00, 76LJ-30067400 AND 76LJ-30068683.

PERMITS 76LJ-30067400, 76LJ-30068683, 76LJ-P-814-00, AND STATEMENT OF CLAIM 76LJ-W- 9211-00 ARE ASSOCIATED BECAUSE THEY ALL SHARE THE SAME POINT OF DIVERSION.

THE PLACE OF USE FOR PERMIT 76LJ 814-00 HAS BEEN SUBDIVIDED; OF THE ORIGINAL 105 ACRES ONLY 54.31 ACRES ARE CURRENTLY IRRIGATED FROM THE SHARED POINT OF DIVERSION. CURRENTLY BETWEEN THE FOUR RIGHTS FLOW WILL NOT EXCEED 3.02 CFS UP TO 643 AF. AN ADDITIONAL 165.35 AF IS STILL AVAILABLE UNDER PERMIT 76LJ 814-00; LEGAL DEMANDS SHOULD INCLUDE THE 165.35 AF FOR A TOTAL VOLUME OF 808.35 AF FROM THE SHARED POINT OF DIVERSION.

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

**OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED**

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 130740 RECEIVED 04/21/2015.

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**Remarks:**

THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION SUBMITTED WITH THIS CLAIM INDICATES A FLOW RATE OF 1.0 CFS.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. IT APPEARS THE PRIORITY DATE SHOULD BE THE DATE THE SPRINKLER SYSTEM WAS FIRST PUT TO USE.