

**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:** 43O 185477-00 RESERVED CLAIM  
**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT  
**Version Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** HARRIETT C BROWN  
PO BOX 259  
LODGE GRASS, MT 59050-0259

**Priority Date:** MAY 7, 1868  
**Enforceable Priority Date:** MAY 7, 1868

**Type of Historical Right:** RESERVED

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

**Maximum Flow Rate:** 4.00 CFS

**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:** 215.00

**Source Name:** OWL CREEK  
**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

**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		NE	SESW	27	7S	36E BIG HORN

**Period of Diversion:** MAY 1 TO JULY 31  
**Diversion Means:** PUMP

2		NW	SENE	34	7S	36E BIG HORN
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3		NE	SWNE	34	7S	36E BIG HORN
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4		NE	NWSE	34	7S	36E BIG HORN
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**Period of Use:** MAY 1 to JULY 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	65.00		SW	27	7S	36E	BIG HORN
2	80.00		NE	34	7S	36E	BIG HORN
3	10.00		S2	SESW	34	7S	36E BIG HORN
4	60.00		S2	34	7S	36E	BIG HORN
<b>Total:</b>	<b>215.00</b>						

**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.

185477-00 185478-00 185479-00 185480-00

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 10/21/1982.

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

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**Remarks:**

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

NO REVIEW OR DETERMINATION OF THE CLAIMED TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT HAS BEEN MADE. ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE MAY BE REQUIRED BEFORE THIS CLAIM CAN BE DECREED.

THIS CLAIM APPEARS TO BE DUPLICATED BY CLAIM NO. 185480-00 WHICH IS BASED ON THE SAME NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION RIGHT. IT APPEARS ONLY ONE WATER RIGHT IS INVOLVED.

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

THE BIG HORN COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY ( 1947 ) APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED.

THE CLAIMED PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. THE PRIORITY DATE ON THE SUBMITTED NOTICE OF APPROPRIATION IS JUNE 30, 1911.