

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: 43A 190841-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM
Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT
Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners:
NANCY R ARTHUN
11 SHIELDS LN
WILLSALL, MT 59086-9563
KENNETH R ARTHUN
PO BOX 387
WILLSALL, MT 59086-0387

Priority Date: APRIL 14, 1961
Enforceable Priority Date: APRIL 14, 1961

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (use): IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Maximum Flow Rate: 4.79 CFS

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

Climatic Area: 4 - MODERATELY LOW

Maximum Acres: 214.40

Source Name: SHIELDS 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	15		4	4N	9E	PARK

Period of Diversion: MARCH 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: BIG CANAL

DITCH NAME: SHIELDS RIVER RANCH CO CANAL

SHIELDS RIVER RANCH CO CANAL ALSO KNOWN AS BIG CANAL OR DITCH

Reservoir: OFF STREAM

<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
	SESWNW	17	4N	9E	PARK

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Period of Use: MARCH 1 to NOVEMBER 30

RIGHT IS LIMITED TO HIGH OR FLOOD WATERS OF THE SHIELDS RIVER.

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	139.70		NW	31	4N	9E	PARK
2	74.70		W2NE	31	4N	9E	PARK

Total: 214.40

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.

190835-00	190836-00	190837-00	190838-00	190839-00	190840-00	190841-00
190842-00	190843-00	190844-00	190845-00	190846-00	190847-00	191180-00

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

Remarks:

FILE IN TRUDIE'S OFFICE HOLDING TANK 10/18/2000

WHEN THIS CLAIM WAS ORIGINALLY DECREED, THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION WAS NOT INCLUDED AS AN ELEMENT OF THE CLAIM. IN 2008, THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION ELEMENT WAS ADDED TO ALL CLAIM ABSTRACTS. IT IS NOT CERTAIN IF THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION DATES ADDED TO THIS CLAIM ACCURATELY REFLECT THE HISTORICAL PERIOD OF DIVERSION. MORE INFORMATION IS REQUIRED.