

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:** 41M 192792-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM  
**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT  
**Version Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** NEAL T WOLDSTAD  
9196 HWY 89N  
VALIER, MT 59486  
JANICE M WOLDSTAD  
9196 HWY 89N  
VALIER, MT 59486

**Priority Date:** JUNE 30, 1972  
**Enforceable Priority Date:** JUNE 30, 1972

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

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

**Maximum Flow Rate:** 425.00 GPM

**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:** 25.00

**Source Name:** BADGER CREEK  
**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		NENESE	34	31N	9W	GLACIER

**Period of Diversion:** APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 15

**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE

**Ditch Name:** PIEGAN CANAL

**Period of Use:** APRIL 1 to OCTOBER 15

**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	1.00		SENWNW	28	31N	8W	GLACIER
2	3.00		SWSENW	28	31N	8W	GLACIER
3	11.00		E2SWNW	28	31N	8W	GLACIER
4	2.00		NWNESW	28	31N	8W	GLACIER
5	8.00		NENWSW	28	31N	8W	GLACIER
<b>Total:</b>	25.00						

**Geocodes/Valid:** 38-4309-28-1-03-01-0000 - Y

**Remarks:**

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 11/20/1998: PLACE OF USE, MAXIMUM ACRES, PRIORITY DATE.

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 01/28/2015: FLOW RATE, MAXIMUM ACRES, PRIORITY DATE.

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 BLACKFEET INDIAN RESERVATION.

**OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED**

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 145380 RECEIVED 12/07/2009.

IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THIS CLAIM IS A STATE-BASED WATER RIGHT OR PART OF THE TRIBAL WATER RIGHT AS DEFINED IN THE BLACKFEET TRIBE - MONTANA COMPACT. ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE MAY BE REQUIRED BEFORE THIS CLAIM CAN BE DECREED.