

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: 40C 214231-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM
Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT
Version Status: ACTIVE
Late Claim: B

Owners: C W WIDDICOMBE
418 TABRIZ DR
BILLINGS, MT 59105
JEANNE M WIDDICOMBE
508 SHADOWLAWN COURT
BILLINGS, MT 59102

Priority Date: APRIL 15, 1945
Enforceable Priority Date: JUNE 30, 1973

CLAIM FILED LATE 05/20/91 . AS MANDATED BY SECTION 85-2-221(3), MCA, THIS CLAIM IS SUBORDINATE, AND THEREFORE JUNIOR, TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW.

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (use): IRRIGATION
Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Maximum Flow Rate: 1,500.00 GPM

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

Climatic Area: 1 - HIGH

Maximum Acres: 20.00

Source Name: MUSSELSHELL RIVER
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 | | NESWSW | 29 | 9N | 28E | MUSSELSHELL |

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19

Diversion Means: PUMP

Period of Use: APRIL 15 to OCTOBER 19

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 | 18.00 | | W2SW | 29 | 9N | 28E | MUSSELSHELL |
| 2 | 2.00 | | SWSESW | 29 | 9N | 28E | MUSSELSHELL |
| Total: | 20.00 | | | | | | |

Geocodes/Valid: 23-1821-29-4-01-01-0000 - Y

Remarks:

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

OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 13017 RECEIVED 03/01/2004.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 63984 RECEIVED 10/30/2008.

CLAIM WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40C TEMPORARY PRELIMINARY DECREE ISSUED 02/06/90.
CLAIM FILED LATE 05/20/91 . IN ADDITION TO BEING SUBORDINATE TO ALL INDIAN AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS AND ALL VALID TIMELY FILED CLAIMS BASED ON STATE LAW, THIS RIGHT MAY ALSO BE SUBORDINATE TO CERTAIN PERMITS AND RESERVATIONS OF WATER. SEE SECTION 85-2-221 MCA.