

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:** 76H 214634-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM  
**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT  
**Version Status:** ACTIVE  
**Late Claim:** B

**Owners:** STEVENSVILLE, TOWN OF  
PO BOX 30  
STEVENSVILLE, MT 59870

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1909

**Enforceable Priority Date:** JUNE 30, 1973

CLAIM FILED LATE 11/16/1994 . 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):** MUNICIPAL

**Maximum Flow Rate:** 345.30 GPM

**Maximum Volume:** 555.93 AC-FT

**Source Name:** NORTH SWAMP CREEK

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

ALSO KNOWN AS SAPIEL CREEK

**Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:**

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1	1	N2	31	9N	19W	RAVALLI	

**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**Diversion Means:** PIPELINE

MEANS OF DIVERSION IS 8134 LINEAL FEET OF 10-INCH DIAMETER DRAIN TILES LAID IN A 14 TO 18-FOOT DEEP TRENCH WITHIIN THE POINT OF DIVERSION LEGAL DESCRIPTION.

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 to DECEMBER 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			W2	26	9N	20W	RAVALLI
2			E2	27	9N	20W	RAVALLI

**Remarks:**

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE ASSOCIATED. THEY ARE PART OF A MANIFOLD SYSTEM WHICH SUPPLIES MUNICIPAL WATER TO THE TOWN OF STEVENSVILLE. 7286-00, 9186-00, 76760-00, 88532-00, 89376-00, 214147-00, 214149-00, 214634-00, 214635-00, 214649-00.

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

WHENEVER THE WATER RIGHTS FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE COMBINED TO SUPPLY WATER FOR THE CLAIMED PURPOSE, EACH IS LIMITED TO THE HISTORICAL 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. 214147-00, 214149-00, 214634-00, 214635-00, 214649-00.

CLAIM FILED LATE 11/16/1994 . 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.