

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: 43BV 6972-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM
Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners: TRONRUD FAMILY RANCH LLC
820A MELVILLE RD
BIG TIMBER, MT 59011-7738

Priority Date: JUNE 29, 1904

Enforceable Priority Date: JUNE 29, 1904

Type of Historical Right: DECREED

Purpose (use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Maximum Flow Rate: 2.50 CFS

Maximum Volume: 550.28 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE

Maximum Acres: 111.00

Source Name: SWEET GRASS 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		NWNESW	27	5N	13E	SWEET GRASS

Period of Diversion: MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

Ditch Name: HOYEM DITCH

Period of Use: MAY 1 to OCTOBER 31

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	40.00		N2SW	34	5N	13E	SWEET GRASS
2	71.00		SE	34	5N	13E	SWEET GRASS
Total:	111.00						

Geocodes/Valid: 40-1414-34-4-01-04-0000 - Y

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.

6972-00 6974-00 6975-00 6976-00 100784-00 100785-00 100786-00
123994-00 123995-00

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

ALTHOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO, THE ACRES IRRIGATED HAS BEEN CHANGED TO REFLECT THE CHANGE IN PLACE OF USE. ALTHOUGH NOT OBJECTED TO, THE LEGAL DESCRIPTION FOR THE POINT(S) OF DIVERSION HAS BEEN CHANGED TO PROPERLY REFLECT ITS LOCATION. THESE CHANGES MAY BE HEARD AT THE PRELIMINARY DECREE STAGE.

NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 09/24/87.

OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 92395 RECEIVED 07/17/2008.