

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 7311-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM  
**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT  
**Version Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** JET G BIBLER  
30 TINA AVE  
MISSOULA, MT 59808  
JEANNIE BIBLER  
30 TINA AVE  
MISSOULA, MT 59808

**Priority Date:** MAY 1, 1884  
**Enforceable Priority Date:** MAY 1, 1884

**Type of Historical Right:** DECREED

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

**Maximum Flow Rate:** 56.32 GPM

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

**Climatic Area:** 3 - MODERATE

**Maximum Acres:** 5.02

**Source Name:** TIN CUP 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		SWSWSW	16	3N	21W	RAVALLI

**Period of Diversion:** APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 19  
**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE  
**Subdivision:** LAKE COMO ORCHARDS NO 2  
**Ditch Name:** MCINTOSH-MORELLO LOWLINE DITCH

**Period of Use:** APRIL 15 to OCTOBER 19

**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	5.02		SENWSE	16	3N	21W	RAVALLI

**Subdivision:** LAKE COMO ORCHARDS NO 2

**Total:** 5.02

THE PLACE OF USE INCLUDES LOTS 13 AND 14, BLOCK 14 OF LAKE COMO ORCHARDS #2.

**Geocodes/Valid:** 13-1176-16-3-01-25-0000 - Y

**Remarks:**

THE WATER RIGHTS LISTED FOLLOWING THIS STATEMENT ARE MULTIPLE USES OF THE SAME RIGHT. THE USE OF THIS RIGHT FOR SEVERAL PURPOSES DOES NOT INCREASE THE EXTENT OF THE WATER RIGHT. RATHER IT DECREES THE RIGHT TO ALTERNATE AND EXCHANGE THE USE (PURPOSE) OF THE WATER IN ACCORD WITH HISTORICAL PRACTICES.

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

**OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED**

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 5383 RECEIVED 10/24/2002.  
OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 137839 RECEIVED 12/16/2014.  
OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 149016 RECEIVED 08/12/2016.

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FLOW RATE MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE.  
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**Remarks:**

USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 179-78, DATED 08/02/79, APPEARS TO INDICATE 1.00 ACRE IRRIGATED. A DESCRIPTION OF THIS ACRE IS IN THE CLAIM FILE.

THE PRIORITY DATE IS IN QUESTION. THE PLACE OF USE DESCRIBED IN CASE NO. 4964, RAVALLI COUNTY, IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE.