

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:** 43QJ 117921-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Version Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:**

CHARLES J HERINGER JR  
2812 1ST AVE N STE 311  
BILLINGS, MT 59101

COUNTRYMAN CREEK RANCH  
PO BOX 486  
BILLINGS, MT 59103

KENNETH NITZEL  
PO BOX 1577  
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

JULIE NITZEL  
PO BOX 1577  
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

JEAN M WILSON  
250 CEDAR LAKE DR  
ABILENE, TX 79606-7137

WILLIAM S WILSON  
PO BOX 251  
COLUMBUS, MT 59019

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1904

**Enforceable Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1904

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose (use):** STOCK

**Maximum Flow Rate:**

**Maximum Volume:** THIS WATER RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCKWATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** COUNTRYMAN 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		SENE	21	2S	19E	STILLWATER

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		N2	22	2S	19E	STILLWATER
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**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

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3		N2N2	23	2S	19E	STILLWATER
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**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

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**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 to DECEMBER 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			SENE	21	2S	19E	STILLWATER
2			N2	22	2S	19E	STILLWATER
3			N2N2	23	2S	19E	STILLWATER

**Geocodes/Valid:** 32-0813-15-4-01-01-0000 - Y 32-0813-22-1-01-33-0000 - Y  
32-0813-22-1-01-41-0000 - Y 32-0813-22-1-01-45-0000 - Y

32-0813-22-1-01-47-0000 - Y

32-0813-22-1-01-49-0000 - Y

32-0813-22-1-01-50-0000 - Y

32-0813-23-2-01-32-0000 - Y

32-0813-23-2-01-33-0000 - Y

32-0813-23-2-01-50-0000 - Y

32-0813-23-2-01-52-0000 - Y

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**Remarks:**

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

NOTICE OF UNDIVIDED INTEREST, WATER RIGHT OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED 03/07/05.

**OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED**

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE 608 # 20686 RECEIVED 03/07/2005.