

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:** 40J 12363-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM  
**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT  
**Version Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:**  
DENNIS P KELLER  
21042 RD 475 N  
HAVRE, MT 59501  
  
GAYLE M KELLER  
21042 RD 475 N  
HAVRE, MT 59501

**Priority Date:** OCTOBER 20, 1968  
**Enforceable Priority Date:** OCTOBER 20, 1968

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose (use):** EROSION CONTROL  
**Maximum Flow Rate:** 50.00 CFS  
**Maximum Volume:** 5.00 AC-FT

**Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF CREEDMAN COULEE  
**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER  
ALSO KNOWN AS KAHN COULEE

**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		NENENW	35	37N	15E	HILL

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

**Reservoir:** ON STREAM  

<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
	NENENW	35	37N	15E	HILL

**Diversion to Reservoir:** DIVERSION # 1

**Period of Use:** MARCH 1 to OCTOBER 1

**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			NENENW	35	37N	15E	HILL

**Geocodes/Valid:** 12-4971-35-2-01-01-0000 - Y

**Remarks:**

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

NOTICE RECEIVED TO REMOVE DECEASED OWNER JOE PESKAC ON 05/26/92.

**OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED**

OWNERSHIP UPDATE TYPE DOR # 127188 RECEIVED 12/15/2014.

THE CLAIMED FLOW RATE WAS NOT EXAMINED AS NO FLOW RATE GUIDELINES FOR THIS PURPOSE HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED BY THE CLAIM EXAMINATION RULES.

THIS CLAIMED PURPOSE IS QUESTIONED AS A BENEFICIAL USE OF WATER EXISTING PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1973.

THE CLAIMED VOLUME WAS NOT EXAMINED AS NO VOLUME GUIDELINES FOR THIS PURPOSE HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED BY THE CLAIMS EXAMINATION RULES.