

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: 43D 180015-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM
Version: 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

Version Status: ACTIVE

Owners: KEEBLER, H ALLEN FAMILY TRUST
% HELEN KEEBLER, TRUSTEE
2461 APPLEWOOD AVE
BILLINGS, MT 59102

Priority Date: MAY 1, 1932

Enforceable Priority Date: MAY 1, 1932

Type of Historical Right: USE

Purpose (use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: FLOOD

Maximum Flow Rate:

NO FLOW RATE HAS BEEN DECREED FOR THIS USE FROM THIS ONSTREAM RESERVIOR.

Maximum Volume: 10.00 AC-FT

Climatic Area: 1 - HIGH

Maximum Acres: 5.00

Source Name: UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF COTTONWOOD 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		NWSE	20	4S	25E	YELLOWSTONE

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO SEPTEMBER 30

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>
	NWNWSE	20	4S	25E	YELLOWSTONE

Diversion to Reservoir: DIVERSION # 1

Surface Area: 0.50 ACRES

Original Capacity: 1.00 ACRE-FEET

Period of Use: APRIL 15 to SEPTEMBER 30

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	5.00		SENW	20	4S	25E	YELLOWSTONE

Total: 5.00

Geocodes/Valid: -- NO VALID GEOCODES --

Remarks:

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

WATER RIGHT OWNERSHIP UPDATE RECEIVED 09/10/01.

WHEN THIS CLAIM WAS ORIGINALLY DECREED, THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION WAS NOT INCLUDED AS AN ELEMENT OF THE CLAIM. IN 2008, THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION ELEMENT WAS ADDED TO ALL CLAIM ABSTRACTS. IT IS NOT CERTAIN IF THE PERIOD OF DIVERSION DATES ADDED TO THIS CLAIM ACCURATELY REFLECT THE HISTORICAL PERIOD OF DIVERSION. MORE INFORMATION IS REQUIRED.

THE YELLOWSTONE COUNTY WATER RESOURCES SURVEY (1943) APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED.

USDA AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH NO. 679-81, DATED 1979, APPEARS TO INDICATE 0.00 ACRES IRRIGATED. ACCORDING TO INFORMATION IN THE CLAIM FILE, THIS RIGHT WAS LAST USED IN THE LATE 1960'S.

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Remarks:

VOLUME MAY REQUIRE MODIFICATION BASED ON RESOLUTION OF MAXIMUM ACRES ISSUE.