

STATE OF MONTANA
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION
1424 9TH AVENUE P.O.BOX 201601 HELENA, MONTANA 59620-1601

GENERAL ABSTRACT

A version with a more recent operating authority date exists. Contact DNRC for details.

Water Right Number: 43D 26063-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM
Version: 2 -- CHANGE AUTHORIZATION
Version Status: ACTIVE

THIS AUTHORIZATION IS LIMITED TO THE AMOUNT OF THE HISTORIC USE RECOGNIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT IN THIS PROCEEDING AS SUBJECT TO CHANGE, AND WILL THEREAFTER NOT EXCEED THAT AMOUNT. IF THE HISTORIC USE IS REDUCED UNDER ADJUDICATION PROCEEDINGS PURSUANT TO TITLE 85, CHAPTER 2, PART 2, MCA, THIS AUTHORIZATION WILL BE LIMITED TO A LESSER AMOUNT.

Owners: MONTANA, STATE OF DEPT OF FISH WILDLIFE & PARKS
PO BOX 200701
HELENA, MT 59620-0701

Priority Date: MAY 17, 1947

Enforceable Priority Date: MAY 17, 1947

Purpose (use): FISH RACEWAYS

Maximum Flow Rate: 1,166.00 GPM

Maximum Volume: 1,876.00 AC-FT

Source Name: BIG BLUEWATER SPRING

Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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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		NESWNW	9	6S	24E	CARBON

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Flow Rate: 516.00 GPM

Source Name: BIG BLUEWATER SPRING

Diversion Means: HEADGATE

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			NWSWNW	9	6S	24E	CARBON
2			SWNWNW	9	6S	24E	CARBON

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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AUTHORIZATION TO CHANGE BY ADDING A SECOND POINT OF DIVERSION IN THE NW SW NW OF SECTION 9 OF TOWNSHIP 6 SOUTH, RANGE 24 EAST IN CARBON COUNTY ISSUED 09/25/2006. SEE CHANGE AUTHORIZATION 43D 30014974.

THE RIGHT ISSUED ON 09/25/2006 WAS REISSUED. THE RIGHT WAS REISSUED BECAUSE THE PROJECT COMPLETION DEADLINE WAS ADDED.

IF AT ANY TIME AFTER THIS RIGHT IS ISSUED, THE DEPARTMENT RECEIVES WRITTEN COMPLAINTS ALLEGING THAT DIVERTING FROM THIS SOURCE IS RESULTING IN ADVERSE IMPACTS TO EXISTING WATER RIGHTS, THE DEPARTMENT MAY MAKE A FIELD INVESTIGATION OF THE PROJECT. THE APPROPRIATOR MAY AT THIS TIME BE REQUIRED TO INSTALL EITHER AN ADEQUATE FLOW METERING DEVICE TO MEASURE THE AMOUNT AND RATE OF WATER DIVERTED OR AN ADEQUATE PRESSURE MONITORING DEVICE TO MEASURE HYDROSTATIC PRESSURE OF THE AQUIFER. IF A DEVICE IS REQUIRED, THE APPROPRIATOR SHALL KEEP A WRITTEN RECORD OF MEASUREMENTS WHICH SHALL BE SUBMITTED BY NOVEMBER 30TH OF EACH YEAR AND/OR UPON REQUEST TO THE WATER RESOURCES REGIONAL OFFICE.