

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:** 43Q 27137-00 STATEMENT OF CLAIM  
**Version:** 2 -- POST DECREE  
**Version Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** SHIRLEY WATSON  
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POMPEYS PILLAR, MT 59064  
MARK WATSON  
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POMPEYS PILLAR, MT 59064

**Priority Date:** APRIL 4, 1911  
**Enforceable Priority Date:** APRIL 4, 1911

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

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

**Maximum Flow Rate:** 287.30 GPM  
THE FLOW RATE OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN REDUCED TO THE 17 GPM PER ACRE GUIDELINE. THE FLOW RATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

**Maximum Volume:** 50.00 AC-FT  
THE VOLUME QUANTIFICATION IS THE RESULT OF A STIPULATION FILED BY THE PARTIES IN CASE 43Q-81. THE COURT HAS MADE NO DETERMINATION THAT THE VOLUME SHOULD BE QUANTIFIED AS PROVIDED IN 85-2-234(6)(B)(III)M.C.A.

**Climatic Area:** 1 - HIGH

**Maximum Acres:** 21.50

**Source Name:** SAND CREEK  
**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

**Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:**

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		NESWNE	20	3N	31E	YELLOWSTONE

**Period of Diversion:** MARCH 1 TO OCTOBER 19  
**Diversion Means:** HEADGATE

**Period of Use:** MARCH 1 to OCTOBER 19  
SETTLEMENT DOCUMENTS FILED ON NOVEMBER 5, 2001 IN CASE 43Q-81 SPECIFY THE ADDITION OF THE FOLLOWING REMARK: "SEASONAL IRRIGATION, NATURAL FLOODING, DITCHES AND DIKES ARE USED TO SPREAD THE WATER WHEN IT BECOMES AVAILABLE IN THE SPRINGTIME AND HEAVY SUMMER RAINS."

**Place of Use:**

<u>ID</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1	10.00		S2S2SW	17	3N	31E	YELLOWSTONE
2	11.50		N2NE	20	3N	31E	YELLOWSTONE
<b>Total:</b>	21.50						

**Geocodes/Valid:** 03-1237-17-3-01-01-0000 - Y      03-1237-20-1-09-01-0000 - Y  
03-1237-20-1-20-01-0000 - Y

**Remarks:**

STARTING IN 2008, PERIOD OF DIVERSION WAS ADDED TO MOST CLAIM ABSTRACTS, INCLUDING THIS ONE.  
NOTICE OF WATER RIGHT TRANSFER RECEIVED 01/29/99.