PUBLIC NOTICE PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

Notice to Water Users (Pursuant to Section 85-2-307, MCA)

The following application has been submitted to appropriate water in the State of Montana.

THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION PROPOSES TO GRANT AN APPLICATION FOR BENEFICIAL WATER USE PERMIT. DESCRIBED BELOW ARE THE PERTINENT FACTS WHICH SUMMARIZE THE APPLICATION. THE DRAFT PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION (PD) DOCUMENTING THE FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW AND ANY CONDITIONS ATTACHED TO THE WATER RIGHT ARE AVAILABLE ON THE INTERNET AT https://dnrc.mt.gov/Water-Resources/Water-Rights/application-status-environmental-assessments/.

PUBLIC COMMENT DEADLINE: JUNE 21, 2025. THE DEPARTMENT CAN ONLY ACCEPT PUBLIC COMMENTS FILED ON A PUBLIC COMMENT FORM, FORM 654. MAIL THE COMPLETED FORM TO THE DNRC, PO BOX 201601, HELENA, MT 59620-1601 BY THE DEADLINE SPECIFIED. THE FORM IS AVAILABLE ON THE DEPARTMENT'S WEBSITE. PER 85-2-307(5)(C), MCA, IF NO PUBLIC COMMENTS ARE RECEIVED, THE DRAFT PD WILL BE ADOPTED AS FINAL AND THERE WILL BE NO OPPORTUNITY TO OBJECT TO THIS APPLICATION.

DIRECT ANY QUESTIONS PERTAINING TO THE APPLICATION, OR REQUESTS TO OBTAIN THE DRAFT PD OR PUBLIC COMMENT FORM TO THE WATER RESOURCES OFFICE AT 2705 SPURGIN RD, BLDG C, PO BOX 5004, MISSOULA, MT 59804-5004, PHONE: 406-721-4284, FAX: 406-542-5899.

IF ISSUED, THE RIGHT WILL BE SUBJECT TO PRIOR EXISTING WATER RIGHTS.

Application Number: 76M 30164989

Owners: GRASS VALLEY GARDENS LLC

2829 N GREAT NORTHERN LP STE 200

MISSOULA, MT 59808-1752

DECEMBER 9, 2024 at 11:00 A.M. **Priority Date:**

COMMERCIAL Purpose (Use):

IRRIGATION

155.95 AC-FT

LAWN AND GARDEN MULTIPLE DOMESTIC

Maximum Flow Rate: 1.34 CFS **Maximum Volume:**

Maximum Acres: 14.40

Source Name: GROUNDWATER

> **GROUNDWATER Source Type:**

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

<u>ID</u> **County Govt Lot** Otr Sec <u>Sec</u> <u>Twp</u> Rge **MISSOULA** NESWSE 14N 1

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31 Flow Rate: .84 CFS

Diversion Means: WELL

Well Depth: 340.00 FEET **Static Water Level:** 104.00 FEET **Casing Diameter:** 8.00 INCHES

Flowing: NO

MISSOULA NESWSE 20 14N 20W

JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31 Period of Diversion: Flow Rate: .50 CFS

Diversion Means: WELL

Well Depth: 400.00 FEET 106.00 FEET **Static Water Level: Casing Diameter:** 8.00 INCHES

Flowing: NO

Purpose (Use): COMMERCIAL

> Volume: 4.39 AC-FT

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 to DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

<u>ID</u>	<u>Acres</u>	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	Sec	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	County
1			SWNESE	20	14N	20W	MISSOULA
2			NWSE	20	14N	20W	MISSOULA
3			NWSESE	20	14N	20W	MISSOULA

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER
Climatic Area: 3 - MODERATE
Volume: 6.05 AC-FT

Period of Use: APRIL 15 to OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

IDAcresGovt LotQtr SecSecTwpRgeCounty13.20N2SWSE2014N20WMISSOULA

Total: 3.20

Purpose (Use): LAWN AND GARDEN

Volume: 21.17 AC-FT

Period of Use: APRIL 15 to OCTOBER 15

Place of Use:

<u>ID</u>	<u>Acres</u>	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	County
1	3.75		NWSE	20	14N	20W	MISSOULA
2	0.05		NWSESE	20	14N	20W	MISSOULA
3	0.95		N2SWSE	20	14N	20W	MISSOULA
4	5.20		NESW	20	14N	20W	MISSOULA
5	0.90		E2NWSW	20	14N	20W	MISSOULA
6	0.35		NESESW	20	14N	20W	MISSOULA
Total:	11.20						

Purpose (Use): MULTIPLE DOMESTIC

Household: 444

Volume: 124.34 AC-FT

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 to DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

<u>ID</u>	<u>Acres</u>	Govt Lot	Qtr Sec	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	County
1			N2SWSE	20	14N	20W	MISSOULA
2			NWSE	20	14N	20W	MISSOULA
3			NESW	20	14N	20W	MISSOULA
4			E2NWSW	20	14N	20W	MISSOULA
5			NESESW	20	14N	20W	MISSOULA

Remarks:

CLARK FORK RIVER BASIN LAW

THIS PROVISIONAL WATER USE PERMIT HAS A PRIORITY DATE THAT IS JUNIOR TO THE RIGHTS OF SENIOR WATER RIGHT HOLDERS IN THE CLARK FORK RIVER BASIN. IN ACCORDANCE WITH MONTANA LAW, YOU MAY BE SUBJECT TO A CALL BY SENIOR WATER RIGHT HOLDERS, IN WHICH CASE YOU MAY BE REQUIRED TO DISCONTINUE YOUR USE OF WATER FOR THE PERIOD OF THE CALL.

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