

**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30106528 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** MONTANA, STATE BOARD OF LAND COMMISSIONERS  
TRUST LAND MANAGEMENT DIVISION  
PO BOX 201601  
HELENA, MT 59620 1601

**Priority Date:** MAY 7, 1909

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** BIG MUDDY 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		W2NW	16	37N	52E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

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			W2NW	16	37N	52E	SHERIDAN

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30109442 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** JO ELLEN BARKLEY  
472 COUNTY RD 2045  
FROID, MT 59226 9702

JAY BARKLEY  
472 COUNTY RD 2045  
FROID, MT 59226 9702

**Priority Date:** JANUARY 1, 1890

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(usage):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** SAND CREEK

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

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<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		S2S2NE	10	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

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

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2		SESW	11	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
3		W2SW	11	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
4		W2	14	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
<b>Period of Use:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						

**\*Place of Use:**

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1			S2S2NE	10	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
2			SESW	11	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
3			W2SW	11	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
4			W2	14	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30113131 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** PHILLIP G BAKER  
PO BOX 42  
WHITETAIL, MT 59276

CHERIE M BAKER  
PO BOX 42  
WHITETAIL, MT 59276

**Priority Date:** FEBRUARY 5, 1947

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

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**\*Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF GOODALE COULEE

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

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1		S2	SENE	6	36N	51E	DANIELS

**Period of Diversion:** MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

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2		E2NESE	6	36N	51E	DANIELS
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 30						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
3		S2NWSW	5	36N	51E	DANIELS
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 30						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
<b>Period of Use:</b> MAY 1 TO NOVEMBER 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			S2SENE	6	36N	51E	DANIELS
2			E2NESE	6	36N	51E	DANIELS
3			S2NWSW	5	36N	51E	DANIELS

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30113132 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** CHERIE M BAKER  
PO BOX 42  
WHITETAIL, MT 59276

PHILLIP G BAKER  
PO BOX 42  
WHITETAIL, MT 59276

**Priority Date:** FEBRUARY 5, 1947

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

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**Source Name:** WHITETAIL CREEK

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

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<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1	2	SWNW	7	36N	51E	DANIELS

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

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<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
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4		E2NE	7	36N	51E	DANIELS
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
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5		E2SESE	6	36N	51E	DANIELS
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
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<b>Period of Use:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						

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1		2	SWNW	7	36N	51E	DANIELS
2			SWSNW	7	36N	51E	DANIELS
3			S2SWNE	7	36N	51E	DANIELS
4			E2NE	7	36N	51E	DANIELS
5			E2SESE	6	36N	51E	DANIELS
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**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** CHERIE M BAKER  
PO BOX 42  
WHITETAIL, MT 59276

PHILLIP G BAKER  
PO BOX 42  
WHITETAIL, MT 59276

**Priority Date:** FEBRUARY 5, 1947

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(usage):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

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**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

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1		S	WSENE	7	36N	51E DANIELS

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30113191 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** RONALD R CAMPBELL  
21 8TH AVE SE  
CUT BANK, MT 59427

**Priority Date:** JUNE 24, 1919

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

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**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		S	WSENE	33	34N	51E DANIELS

**Period of Diversion:** APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 30

**\*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			S	WSENE 33	34N	51E	DANIELS

**Remarks:**

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 04/06/2020.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30113378 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** MCCALL, WILLIAM S TESTAMENTARY BYPASS TRUST  
JEFF MCCALL, TRUSTEE  
1510 CAMBRIDGE CIRCLE  
ABERDEEN, SD 57401 3261

**Priority Date:** JANUARY 1, 1928

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**Volume:** 2.50 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Maximum Acres:** 0.50

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		SWSWSW	35	37N	56E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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	0.50		SWSWSW	35	37N	56E	SHERIDAN

**Total:** 0.50

**Remarks:**

THE VOLUME WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 04/17/2020.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30113583 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** PHILLIP G BAKER  
PO BOX 42  
WHITETAIL, MT 59276

CHERIE M BAKER  
PO BOX 42  
WHITETAIL, MT 59276

**\*Priority Date:** FEBRUARY 5, 1947

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(usage):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GOODALE COULEE

**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>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		E2N	SW	35	37N	50E	DANIELS

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

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			E2	NESW 35	37N	50E	DANIELS

Remarks:

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30113778 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** MARY ELLEN KISTLER  
1 KEVIN COURT  
HELENA, MT 59601

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1902

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** ANTELOPE 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		NENE	25	34N	55E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			NENE	25	34N	55E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30113794 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** ANDERSON FARMS INC  
102 DANIELS DR  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1940

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

**Volume:** 4.00 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Maximum Acres:** 1.00

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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	4	SWSW	19	37N	56E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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	1.00	4	SWSW	19	37N	56E	SHERIDAN
<b>Total:</b>	1.00						

**Remarks:**

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 05/04/2020: VOLUME, TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT.

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

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BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30113810 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** LAGRANGE-OLSON FARMS INC  
402 ROSEBUD AVE  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1935

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**\*Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF HARRYS 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		E2E2W2SE	9	36N	54E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			E2E2W2SE	9	36N	54E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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**THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30114253 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** GREG SUNWALL  
PO BOX 313  
FROID, MT 59226

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1910

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** SHEEP 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		W2W2	11	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT

**\*Period of Diversion:** MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		SESW	11	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT
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**\*Period of Diversion:** MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**\*Period of Use:** MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

**\*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			W2W2	11	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT
2			SESW	11	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT

**Remarks:**

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.  
 FILING FEE INSUFFICIENT TO COVER CLAIM. TOTAL AMOUNT DUE \$130.00.

ACCORDING TO CADASTRAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP RECORDS, AS OF 03/30/2020 , THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY GREG SUNWALL & JULIE ERICKSON.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30114424 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** REEDS BORDER POLLED HEREFORD STOCK FARM  
4164 FOX RIDGE DR  
HELENA, MT 59602 9181

**\*Priority Date:** JULY 1, 1965

THE PRIORITY DATE OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN CHANGED TO THE DATE OF FILING THE NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER APPROPRIATION ( FORM GW2 ). THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

**\*Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 8.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

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

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		SE	SE	SE	SW	34	36N 54E SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

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			SESESESW	34	36N	54E	SHERIDAN

Remarks:

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 05/06/2020.

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30114978 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** SANDCREEK HOLDINGS LLC  
PO BOX 667  
LAWRENCE, KS 66044

**Priority Date:** JANUARY 1, 1886

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**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		E2NE	8	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		S2NE	9	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
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**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**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>
3		S2	9	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
4		N2S2	10	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
<b>Period of Use:</b> 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			E2NE	8	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
2			S2NE	9	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
3			S2	9	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
4			N2S2	10	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT

**Remarks:**

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 05/04/2020: SOURCE OF WATER, POINT OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010. A PORTION OF THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE DOES NOT MEET THE DEFINITION OF AN EXEMPT RIGHT UNDER 85-2-222, MCA, AND INVOLVES AN ON-STREAM RESERVOIR.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30114980 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** SANDCREEK HOLDINGS LLC  
PO BOX 667  
LAWRENCE, KS 66044

**Priority Date:** JANUARY 1, 1886

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF 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		N2NE	7	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		W2SW	8	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
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**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**\*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>
3		E2SW	17	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
4		E2SWSW	17	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
<b>Period of Use:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						

**\*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			N2NE	7	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
2			W2SW	8	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
3			E2SW	17	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
4			E2SWSW	17	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT

**Remarks:**

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30114981 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** SANDCREEK HOLDINGS LLC  
PO BOX 667  
LAWRENCE, KS 66044

**Priority Date:** JANUARY 1, 1886

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SAND CREEK

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

UNNAMED NATURAL LAKE

**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		N2NW	9	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		E2SENW	9	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
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**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

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			N2NW	9	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
2			E2SENW	9	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 05/04/2020: SOURCE OF WATER, POINT OF DIVERSION, MEANS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30115185 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** LANETTE HANSEN  
4314 RD 1007  
FROID, MT 59226

RICK A HANSEN  
4314 RD 1007  
FROID, MT 59226

**Priority Date:** JANUARY 1, 1886

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF 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		N2SW	3	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**\*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>
2		NWSWSW	3	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
3		S2	4	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
4	1	NENE	5	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
5	2	NWNE	5	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
6		SENE	5	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
7	3	NENW	5	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
<b>Period of Use:</b> 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			N2SW	3	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
2			NWSWSW	3	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
3			S2	4	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
4		1	NENE	5	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
5		2	NWNE	5	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
6			SENE	5	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
7		3	NENW	5	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT

**Remarks:**

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 05/04/2020: POINT OF DIVERSION, MEANS OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE.

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BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30115187 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:**  
RICK A HANSEN  
4314 RD 1007  
FROID, MT 59226  
  
LANETTE HANSEN  
4314 RD 1007  
FROID, MT 59226

**Priority Date:** JANUARY 1, 1953

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(usage):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 6.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**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		SE	SESW	5	30N	58E ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			SE	SESW	5	30N	58E ROOSEVELT

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4314 RD 1007  
FROID, MT 59226  
  
LANETTE HANSEN  
4314 RD 1007  
FROID, MT 59226

**Priority Date:** JANUARY 1, 1886

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**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>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		SENW	5	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT	

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**\*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>
2		NESW	5	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
3	3	NENW	5	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
4	4	NWNW	5	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
<b>Period of Use:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						

**\*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			SE	5	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
2			NE	5	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
3		3	NE	5	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT
4		4	NW	5	30N	58E	ROOSEVELT

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30116300 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** FOX REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST  
SANDRA FOX, TRUSTEE  
10 W GEORGIA AVE UNIT 23  
PHOENIX, AZ 85013 2005

PARKIN REVOCABLE LIVING TRUST  
LINDA PARKIN, TRUSTEE  
4415 SEDONA DR  
PASCO, WA 99301

**\*Priority Date:** JULY 9, 1962

THE PRIORITY DATE OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN CHANGED TO THE DATE OF FILING THE NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER APPROPRIATION ( FORM GW2 ). THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 3.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

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<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1	1	NENE	2	29N	55E	ROOSEVELT

**\*Period of Diversion:** JUNE 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**\*Period of Use:** JUNE 1 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		1	NENE	2	29N	55E	ROOSEVELT

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30116619 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** LINDA L GRIMSRUD  
PO BOX 360  
COLSTRIP, MT 59323  
  
RONALD E GRIMSRUD  
PO BOX 360  
COLSTRIP, MT 59323

**\*Priority Date:** JANUARY 14, 1917

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**\*Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF FOLSOM COULEE

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

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

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1		NWSESE	32	34N	56E	SHERIDAN

**\*Period of Diversion:** JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**\*Period of Use:** JUNE 1 TO OCTOBER 31

**\*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			NW	SESE	32	34N	56E SHERIDAN

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BIG MUDDY CREEK  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30117095 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** WILLIAM D BAKKEN  
6921 HWY 16 S  
HOMESTEAD, MT 59242

**Priority Date:** APRIL 1, 1952

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** BIG MUDDY 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	2	SWNE	15	31N	55E	SHERIDAN

**Period of Diversion:** APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2	3	N2S2	15	31N	55E	SHERIDAN
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**Period of Diversion:** APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

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3	4	SESW	15	31N	55E	SHERIDAN
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4	2	SESE	21	31N	55E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1						
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5	1	NESE	21	31N	55E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
6	1	N2N2	22	31N	55E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1						
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7	2	S2N2	22	31N	55E	SHERIDAN
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8	3	NESW	22	31N	55E	SHERIDAN
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10	5	SWSW	22	31N	55E	SHERIDAN
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<b>Period of Use:</b> APRIL 1 TO NOVEMBER 1						

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2		3	N2S2	15	31N	55E	SHERIDAN
3		4	SESW	15	31N	55E	SHERIDAN
4		1	NESE	21	31N	55E	SHERIDAN
5		2	SESE	21	31N	55E	SHERIDAN
6		1	N2N2	22	31N	55E	SHERIDAN
7		2	S2N2	22	31N	55E	SHERIDAN
8		3	NESW	22	31N	55E	SHERIDAN
9		4	NWSW	22	31N	55E	SHERIDAN
10		5	SWSW	22	31N	55E	SHERIDAN

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THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 04/13/2020: PERIOD OF USE, PERIOD OF DIVERSION.

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30117720 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** JAMES MULLER  
1416 16TH AVE E  
WEST FARGO, ND 58078 3410

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1920

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 15.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NWSEW	9	31N	59E	SHERIDAN

**Period of Diversion:** APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 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			NWSEW	9	31N	59E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30117721 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** JAMES MULLER  
1416 16TH AVE E  
WEST FARGO, ND 58078 3410

**Priority Date:** JUNE 8, 1917

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**\*Source Name:** BRUSH MOUNTAIN CREEK, EAST FORK

**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		E2NE	8	31N	59E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		SWNE	8	31N	59E	SHERIDAN
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**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**\*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>
3		SENW	8	31N	59E	SHERIDAN

**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31  
**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

4		N2NW	9	31N	59E	SHERIDAN
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**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31  
**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**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			E2NE	8	31N	59E	SHERIDAN
2			SWNE	8	31N	59E	SHERIDAN
3			SENW	8	31N	59E	SHERIDAN
4			N2NW	9	31N	59E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 04/20/2020.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30117874 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** MARYNA HOLMES  
133 N WASHINGTON ST  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 1826

PHILIP R HOLMES JR  
133 N WASHINGTON ST  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 1826

**Priority Date:** JANUARY 17, 1972

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**\*Purpose(use):** LAWN AND GARDEN

**Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

**Volume:** 1.50 AC-FT

**Maximum Acres:** 0.63

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		N2	SENE 19	35N	55E	SHERIDAN

**\*Period of Diversion:** MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Survey Tract:** 595

**\*Period of Use:** MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

**\*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	0.63		N2	SENE 19	35N	55E	SHERIDAN

**\*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>
<b>Total:</b>	0.63						

TRACT 595

**Remarks:**

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 04/16/2020.

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BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30119908 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** STUART REED  
191 MAIL RTE RD  
FLAXVILLE, MT 59222

NAOMI REED  
191 MAIL RTE RD  
FLAXVILLE, MT 59222

**\*Priority Date:** APRIL 30, 1942

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 11.00 GPM

**Volume:** 5.01 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Maximum Acres:** 1.75

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NWSWN	20	35N	50E	DANIELS

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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	1.75		NWSWNW	20	35N	50E	DANIELS
<b>Total:</b>	1.75						

**Remarks:**

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THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.

ONLY .46 ACRES OF THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE APPEAR IRRIGATED FOR DOMESTIC PURPOSES.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT AND PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE. DOCUMENTATION TO SUPPORT THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT AND PRIORITY DATE WAS NOT SUBMITTED WITH THIS CLAIM.

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

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30120406 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:**

ANITA PRITCHARD  
513 EAST F ST  
TEHACHAPI, CA 93561

LEILA MICHELS  
3212 DAVIS VALLEY RD  
RESERVE, MT 59258

AMY CHRISTENSEN  
3042 KINCAID RD  
BILLINGS, MT 59101

MERNA RIERSON  
1180 DONEGAL ST  
CASPER, WY 82609

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1906

**\*Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 12.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

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

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1		SESESW	20	32N	58E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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			SESESW	20	32N	58E	SHERIDAN

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BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30120407 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:**

ANITA PRITCHARD  
513 EAST F ST  
TEHACHAPI, CA 93561

LEILA MICHELS  
3212 DAVIS VALLEY RD  
RESERVE, MT 59258

MERNA RIERSON  
1180 DONEGAL ST  
CASPER, WY 82609

AMY CHRISTENSEN  
3042 KINCAID RD  
BILLINGS, MT 59101

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1940

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 12.00 GPM

**Volume:** 3.50 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Maximum Acres:** 1.00

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		SESWSE	20	32N	58E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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	1.00		SWSE	20	32N	58E	SHERIDAN
<b>Total:</b>	1.00						

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BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30120408 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:**

MERNA RIERSON  
1180 DONEGAL ST  
CASPER, WY 82609

LEILA MICHELS  
3212 DAVIS VALLEY RD  
RESERVE, MT 59258

ANITA PRITCHARD  
513 EAST F ST  
TEHACHAPI, CA 93561

AMY CHRISTENSEN  
3042 KINCAID RD  
BILLINGS, MT 59101

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 17, 1968

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**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		W2SWSE	32	32N	58E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			W2SWSE	32	32N	58E	SHERIDAN

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30120410 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:**

AMY CHRISTENSEN  
3042 KINCAID RD  
BILLINGS, MT 59101

MERNA RIERSON  
1180 DONEGAL ST  
CASPER, WY 82609

ANITA PRITCHARD  
513 EAST F ST  
TEHACHAPI, CA 93561

LEILA MICHELS  
3212 DAVIS VALLEY RD  
RESERVE, MT 59258

**Priority Date:** MARCH 1, 1912

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** COTTONWOOD 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		SESW	19	32N	58E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
2	4	SWSW	19	32N	58E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
3		E2NESE	20	32N	58E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
4		SWSE	20	32N	58E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
5		SESW	20	32N	58E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
6		S2SENE	21	32N	58E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
7		NWSW	21	32N	58E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
<b>Period of Use:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						

**\*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			SESW	19	32N	58E	SHERIDAN
2		4	SWSW	19	32N	58E	SHERIDAN
3			E2NESE	20	32N	58E	SHERIDAN
4			SWSE	20	32N	58E	SHERIDAN
5			SESW	20	32N	58E	SHERIDAN
6			S2SENE	21	32N	58E	SHERIDAN
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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30122891 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:**

CAROL MEEKS  
48633 282ND AVE SE  
ENUMCLAW, WA 98022

JENSEN FAMILY TRUST  
PATRICIA JENSEN-MENDEZ  
3008 GREENHALL WAY  
ANTIOCH, CA 94509

THOMAS SANGER  
1100 GRAND FIR DR  
ENUMCLAW, WA 98022

MARGARET J CARTER  
18003 ALMOND RD  
CASTRO VALLEY, CA 94546

JON M KING  
4218 S PALATINO AVE  
MERIDIAN, ID 83642 9265

ROCHELLE S ROMBOUGH  
332 LINDEN WAY  
PLEASANTON, CA 94566

**Priority Date:** MARCH 12, 1941

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER  
**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**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		NENESW	10	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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			NENESW	10	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT

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BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30122894 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:**

THOMAS SANGER  
1100 GRAND FIR DR  
ENUMCLAW, WA 98022

MARGARET J CARTER  
18003 ALMOND RD  
CASTRO VALLEY, CA 94546

ROCHELLE S ROMBOUGH  
332 LINDEN WAY  
PLEASANTON, CA 94566

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48633 282ND AVE SE  
ENUMCLAW, WA 98022

JON M KING  
4218 S PALATINO AVE  
MERIDIAN, ID 83642 9265

**Priority Date:** MARCH 12, 1941

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**Volume:** 4.00 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Maximum Acres:** 1.00

Source Name: GROUNDWATER  
Source Type: GROUNDWATER

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		NENSW	10	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

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	1.00		NENSW	10	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Total:</b>	1.00						

Remarks:

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 06/29/2020: MAXIMUM ACRES, PLACE OF USE, VOLUME.

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30122944 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** SHARON R YOUNG  
4397 RD 1020  
FROID, MT 59226 9105  
  
CHARLES C YOUNG  
4397 RD 1020  
FROID, MT 59226 9105

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1920

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** LOST 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		NWSW	8	30N	56E	ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

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2		S2NESW	8	30N	56E	ROOSEVELT
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<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
5		SESESE	8	30N	56E	ROOSEVELT
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
<b>Period of Use:</b> 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			NWSW	8	30N	56E	ROOSEVELT
2			S2NESW	8	30N	56E	ROOSEVELT
3			NESESW	8	30N	56E	ROOSEVELT
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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30122945 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** SHARON R YOUNG  
4397 RD 1020  
FROID, MT 59226 9105

CHARLES C YOUNG  
4397 RD 1020  
FROID, MT 59226 9105

**Priority Date:** OCTOBER 31, 1958

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(usage):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 2.50 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**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		SWSWSW	8	30N	56E	ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

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1			SWSWSW	8	30N	56E	ROOSEVELT

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30123548 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** RODERICK J SNYDER  
1400 RD 2052  
CULBERTSON, MT 59218 9318

GINA SNYDER  
1400 RD 2052  
CULBERTSON, MT 59218 9318

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1938

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 20.00 GPM

**Volume:** 4.00 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**\*Maximum Acres:** 1.00

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NE	SE	32N	56E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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	1.00		SESESE	18	32N	56E	SHERIDAN
<b>Total:</b>	1.00						

**Remarks:**

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THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 05/26/2020: PLACE OF USE, VOLUME, PERIOD OF USE.

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30123549 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:**  
GINA SNYDER  
1400 RD 2052  
CULBERTSON, MT 59218 9318  
  
RODERICK J SNYDER  
1400 RD 2052  
CULBERTSON, MT 59218 9318

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1938

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(usage):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 20.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

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

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1		NESESE	18	32N	56E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			NE	SE	18	32N	56E SHERIDAN

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BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30123552 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** CARTER JENSEN  
1721A RY TRAIL  
FLAXVILLE, MT 59222

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1920

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**Volume:** 1.50 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

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

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		N	W	SW	SE	24	33N 50E DANIELS

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*Place of Use:**

<u>ID</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1			N	W	SW	SE	24 33N 50E DANIELS	

**Remarks:**

THIS WATER RIGHT IS LOCATED, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, WITHIN THE BOUNDARY OF THE FORT PECK INDIAN RESERVATION.

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30123875 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** RUSSELL D SAMUELSON  
97 COMERTOWN RD  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254

VICKI L SAMUELSON  
97 COMERTOWN RD  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1910

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF LAKE CREEK

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

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

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1			S2N2	4	35N	57E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**\*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>
2	1	NENE	4	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
3	2	NWNE	4	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
4	3	NENW	4	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
5	4	NWNW	4	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
6		N2S2	4	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
7		S2NE	10	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
8		N2SE	10	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
9		SWSE	10	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
10		SENESE	15	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
11		SWNESE	15	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
12		S2SE	15	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
<b>Period of Use:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						

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1			S2N2	4	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
2		1	NENE	4	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
3		2	NWNE	4	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
4		3	NENW	4	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
5		4	NWNW	4	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
6			N2S2	4	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
7			S2NE	10	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
8			N2SE	10	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
9			SWSE	10	35N	57E	SHERIDAN

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10			SENESE	15	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
11			SWNESE	15	35N	57E	SHERIDAN
12			S2SE	15	35N	57E	SHERIDAN

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30123876 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:**

LORI DREW  
97 COMERTOWN RD  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254

RUSSELL D SAMUELSON  
97 COMERTOWN RD  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254

WADE DREW  
97 COMERTOWN RD  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1912

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

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Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30124490 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** DAWN HJORT-JONES  
PO BOX 76  
RAYMOND, MT 59256 0076

ROBERT JONES  
PO BOX 76  
RAYMOND, MT 59256 0076

**Priority Date:** JULY 15, 1951

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 6.00 GPM

**Volume:** 1.50 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NE	SENE	13	36N	54E SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Subdivision:** RAYMOND ORIGINAL TOWNSITE TRACT/LOT: 8 BLOCK: 4

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			NE	SENE 13	36N	54E	SHERIDAN
<b>Subdivision:</b>		RAYMOND ORIGINAL TOWNSITE TRACT/LOT: 8 BLOCK: 4					

**Remarks:**

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 05/15/2020: VOLUME, PRIORITY DATE, TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT.

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30124493 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** RONALD D LILLEY  
PO BOX 375  
KEYPORT, WA 98345

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1911

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 6.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**\*Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, NORTH FORK

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		SWNWSW	34	36N	51E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** PIPELINE

**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			SWNWSW	34	36N	51E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 11/09/2020.

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30124511 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** NATHE, GERALD A TRUST  
11448 BRONZEDAILE RD  
OAKTON, VA 22124

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1900

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**\*Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, NORTH FORK

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		SWSWSE	25	36N	51E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** SPRING BOX

**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			SWSWSE	25	36N	51E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30124512 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** CORAL DEWILLIAM STUDER  
PO BOX L  
BONNERS FERRY, ID 83805 1170  
  
BRADLY W STUDER  
PO BOX L  
BONNERS FERRY, ID 83805 1170

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1920

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

**Volume:** 1.50 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

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

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		SW	SE	SW	3	36N	50E DANIELS

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Subdivision:** WHITETAIL ORIGINAL TOWNSITE TRACT/LOT: 11 BLOCK: 4

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			SW	3	36N	50E	DANIELS
	<b>Subdivision:</b>	WHITETAIL ORIGINAL TOWNSITE TRACT/LOT: 11 BLOCK: 4					
2			SW	3	36N	50E	DANIELS
	<b>Subdivision:</b>	WHITETAIL ORIGINAL TOWNSITE TRACT/LOT: 12 BLOCK: 4					

**Remarks:**

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 05/11/2020.

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30124533 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** SUE A SMITH  
PO BOX 28  
FORT PECK, MT 59223

**Priority Date:** NOVEMBER 14, 1951

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 20.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NWNESE	25	34N	55E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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			NWNESE	25	34N	55E	SHERIDAN

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30124534 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** SUE A SMITH  
PO BOX 28  
FORT PECK, MT 59223

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1902

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**\*Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF ANTELOPE 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		NWNWNE	36	34N	55E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			NWNWNE	36	34N	55E	SHERIDAN

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30124535 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** SUE A SMITH  
PO BOX 28  
FORT PECK, MT 59223

**Priority Date:** JANUARY 1, 1956

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 1.25 GPM

**Volume:** 1.50 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Maximum Acres:** 1.00

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**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		NENWSE	25	34N	55E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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	1.00		NENWSE	25	34N	55E	SHERIDAN

**Total:** 1.00

**Remarks:**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30124536 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** SUE A SMITH  
PO BOX 28  
FORT PECK, MT 59223

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1902

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** ANTELOPE 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>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		E2SE	25	34N	55E	SHERIDAN	

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			E2SE	25	34N	55E	SHERIDAN

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30124971 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** BAYARD G BREKKE  
255 NORWAY ROAD  
ANTELOPE, MT 59211

**Priority Date:** JANUARY 1, 1911

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

**Volume:** 2.75 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Maximum Acres:** 0.50

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**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		SWSENE	4	33N	56E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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	0.50		SESWNE	4	33N	56E	SHERIDAN

**Total:** 0.50

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**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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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30124973 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** BAYARD G BREKKE  
255 NORWAY ROAD  
ANTELOPE, MT 59211

**Priority Date:** JANUARY 1, 1911

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**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		SWSENE	4	33N	56E	SHERIDAN

**Period of Diversion:** SEPTEMBER 1 TO JUNE 1

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** SEPTEMBER 1 TO JUNE 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			SWSENE	4	33N	56E	SHERIDAN

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BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30124974 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** BAYARD G BREKKE  
255 NORWAY ROAD  
ANTELOPE, MT 59211

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 1, 1940

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**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		SWNESE	8	33N	56E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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			SWNESE	8	33N	56E	SHERIDAN

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30125582 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** T BAR HEART LLC  
5700 51ST ST SE  
MINOT, ND 58701

**\*Priority Date:** NOVEMBER 1, 1928

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

**Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK

**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		W2SE	17	35N	51E	DANIELS

**Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**\*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>
2		N2S2NE	17	35N	51E	DANIELS

**Source Name:** EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK  
**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31  
**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

3		SWNE	17	35N	51E	DANIELS
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**Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK  
**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31  
**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**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			W2SE	17	35N	51E	DANIELS
2			N2S2NE	17	35N	51E	DANIELS
3			SWNE	17	35N	51E	DANIELS

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BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30125592 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** T BAR HEART LLC  
5700 51ST ST SE  
MINOT, ND 58701

**\*Priority Date:** OCTOBER 31, 1941

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

**Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

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1		E2N	17	35N	51E	DANIELS

**Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**\*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>
2		S2NWNW	17	35N	51E	DANIELS
	<b>Source Name:</b> EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK					
	<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
3		SWNWNW	17	35N	51E	DANIELS
	<b>Source Name:</b> UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK					
	<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
4		E2E2SW	17	35N	51E	DANIELS
	<b>Source Name:</b> UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK					
	<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
5		N2SESW	17	35N	51E	DANIELS
	<b>Source Name:</b> EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK					
	<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
6		W2W2	17	35N	51E	DANIELS
	<b>Source Name:</b> UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK					
	<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
7		NWNW	20	35N	51E	DANIELS
	<b>Source Name:</b> UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK					
	<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
<b>Period of Use:</b> 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			E2NWNW	17	35N	51E	DANIELS
2			S2NWNW	17	35N	51E	DANIELS
3			SWNWNW	17	35N	51E	DANIELS
4			E2E2SW	17	35N	51E	DANIELS
5			N2SESW	17	35N	51E	DANIELS
6			W2W2	17	35N	51E	DANIELS
7			NWNW	20	35N	51E	DANIELS

**Remarks:**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

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**OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF INTERLOCUTORY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."**

**Water Right Number:** 40R 30125632 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** T BAR HEART LLC  
5700 51ST ST SE  
MINOT, ND 58701

**\*Priority Date:** APRIL 17, 1943

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

**Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK

**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>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		NESE	9	35N	51E	DANIELS	

**Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**\*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>
2		N2	NESE	9	35N	51E DANIELS
<b>Source Name:</b> EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK						
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
3		SW	NESE	9	35N	51E DANIELS
<b>Source Name:</b> EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK						
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
4			SESE	9	35N	51E DANIELS
<b>Source Name:</b> UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK						
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
5		NW	SESE	9	35N	51E DANIELS
<b>Source Name:</b> EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK						
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
<b>Period of Use:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						

**\*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				NESE	9	35N	51E DANIELS
2				N2NESE	9	35N	51E DANIELS
3				SWNESE	9	35N	51E DANIELS
4				SESE	9	35N	51E DANIELS
5				NWSESE	9	35N	51E DANIELS

**Remarks:**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30125639 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** T BAR HEART LLC  
5700 51ST ST SE  
MINOT, ND 58701

**\*Priority Date:** APRIL 23, 1958

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

**Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK

**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		N2NWNE	10	35N	51E	SHERIDAN

**Source Name:** EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**\*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>
2		W2NE	10	35N	51E	SHERIDAN
<b>Source Name:</b>	UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK					
<b>Period of Diversion:</b>	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
<b>Diversion Means:</b>	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
3		SEnw	10	35N	51E	SHERIDAN
<b>Source Name:</b>	UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK					
<b>Period of Diversion:</b>	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
<b>Diversion Means:</b>	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
4		SWNW	10	35N	51E	SHERIDAN
<b>Source Name:</b>	UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK					
<b>Period of Diversion:</b>	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
<b>Diversion Means:</b>	LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
<b>Period of Use:</b>	JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					

**\*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			N2NWNE	10	35N	51E	SHERIDAN
2			W2NE	10	35N	51E	SHERIDAN
3			SEnw	10	35N	51E	SHERIDAN
4			SWNW	10	35N	51E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30125641 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** T BAR HEART LLC  
5700 51ST ST SE  
MINOT, ND 58701

**\*Priority Date:** NOVEMBER 1, 1928

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 28.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		SWNWSE	17	35N	51E	DANIELS

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

**Diversion Means:** DEVELOPED SPRING

**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			SWNWSE	17	35N	51E	DANIELS

**Remarks:**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30125644 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** T BAR HEART LLC  
5700 51ST ST SE  
MINOT, ND 58701

**\*Priority Date:** APRIL 23, 1958

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 12.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NWSWSE	10	35N	51E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** SPRING BOX

**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			NWSWSE	10	35N	51E	SHERIDAN

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BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30125650 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** T BAR HEART LLC  
5700 51ST ST SE  
MINOT, ND 58701

**\*Priority Date:** OCTOBER 31, 1941

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK

**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>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		NW	SE	17	35N	51E	DANIELS

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			NW	SE	17	35N	51E DANIELS

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

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**OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF INTERLOCUTORY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."**

**Water Right Number:** 40R 30125652 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** T BAR HEART LLC  
5700 51ST ST SE  
MINOT, ND 58701

**\*Priority Date:** OCTOBER 31, 1941

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK

**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		SE	17	35N	51E	DANIELS

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			SE	17	35N	51E	DANIELS

**Remarks:**

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

**THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30125655 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** T BAR HEART LLC  
5700 51ST ST SE  
MINOT, ND 58701

**\*Priority Date:** OCTOBER 31, 1941

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK

**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		SWNWSW	17	35N	51E	DANIELS

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			SWN	SW	17	35N	51E DANIELS

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30125656 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** T BAR HEART LLC  
5700 51ST ST SE  
MINOT, ND 58701

**\*Priority Date:** OCTOBER 31, 1941

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE CREEK, MIDDLE FORK

**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		NWSWN	17	35N	51E	DANIELS

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			NWSWNW	17	35N	51E	DANIELS

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30125659 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** T BAR HEART LLC  
5700 51ST ST SE  
MINOT, ND 58701

**\*Priority Date:** APRIL 23, 1958

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF EAGLE 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		SENWSE	10	35N	51E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			SENWSE	10	35N	51E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30126373 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** GARY CLAWSON  
PO BOX 342  
OUTLOOK, MT 59252

**\*Priority Date:** JUNE 21, 2019

THE PRIORITY DATE OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN CHANGED TO THE FILING DATE OF THE STATEMENT OF CLAIM. THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

THIS IS AN EXISTING RIGHT. ITS POST-1973 PRIORITY DATE IS DECREED PURSUANT TO SECTION 85-2-306(4) MCA.

**\*Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

**Volume:** 2.50 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Maximum Acres:** 2.50

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

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

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		SW	NE	11	37N	54E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

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	2.50		SW	NESE	11	37N	54E SHERIDAN
<b>Total:</b>	2.50						

Remarks:

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30126470 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** GARY CLAWSON  
PO BOX 342  
OUTLOOK, MT 59252

**\*Priority Date:** JUNE 21, 2019

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**\*Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**\*Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF LONETREE LAKE

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NENWNE	9	37N	55E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** PIPELINE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			NENWNE	9	37N	55E	SHERIDAN

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30126476 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** GARY CLAWSON  
PO BOX 342  
OUTLOOK, MT 59252

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1952

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**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		NWSWSW	12	37N	54E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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			NWSWSW	12	37N	54E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30126477 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** GARY CLAWSON  
PO BOX 342  
OUTLOOK, MT 59252

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1946

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		SWSESW	12	37N	54E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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			SWSESW	12	37N	54E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF INTERLOCUTORY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."**

**Water Right Number:** 40R 30126489 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** GARY CLAWSON  
PO BOX 342  
OUTLOOK, MT 59252

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1946

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**\*Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF LONETREE LAKE

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**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		NWSWSE	9	37N	55E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** SPRING BOX

**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			NWSWSE	9	37N	55E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30126510 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** GARY CLAWSON  
PO BOX 342  
OUTLOOK, MT 59252

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1952

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**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		SWSWSW	12	37N	54E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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			SWSWSW	12	37N	54E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30132245 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** WILBUR REID  
PO BOX 432  
POPLAR, MT 59255 0432

**Priority Date:** JANUARY 1, 1930

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

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**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NWNWSW	35	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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			NWNWSW	35	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT

**Remarks:**

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010. ACCORDING TO CADASTRAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP RECORDS, AS OF 06/23/2020 , THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY ROYAN RANCH INC.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30132988 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** JAMES A CLARK  
1111 RD 2042  
FROID, MT 59226

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1920

**Type of Historical Right:**

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**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		NWNE	30	31N	58E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		SESESW	30	31N	58E	SHERIDAN
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**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			NWNE	30	31N	58E	SHERIDAN
2			SESESW	30	31N	58E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.  
 NO TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT WAS CLAIMED. DOCUMENTATION TO SUPPORT THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT WAS NOT SUBMITTED WITH THIS CLAIM.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30132993 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** JAMES A CLARK  
1111 RD 2042  
FROID, MT 59226

**\*Priority Date:** JUNE 12, 2019

THE PRIORITY DATE OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN CHANGED TO THE FILING DATE OF THE STATEMENT OF CLAIM. THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

THIS IS AN EXISTING RIGHT. ITS POST-1973 PRIORITY DATE IS DECREED PURSUANT TO SECTION 85-2-306(4) MCA.

**\*Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

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

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		NE	34	31N	57E	SHERIDAN	

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

THE POINT OF DIVERSION IS LOCATED IN THE CENTER OF THE NE QUARTER.

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

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			NE	34	31N	57E	SHERIDAN

THE PLACE OF USE IS LOCATED IN THE CENTER OF THE NE QUARTER.

Remarks:

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133018 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** WILLARD J MICHELS  
101 N MAIN ST  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 1817

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1930

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**\*Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BIG MUDDY CREEK

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NWNENW	10	34N	55E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** SPRING BOX

**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			NWNENW	10	34N	55E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133022 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** JAMES BAKKEN  
PO BOX 52  
MEDICINE LAKE, MT 59247 0052

**\*Priority Date:** APRIL 9, 1971

THE PRIORITY DATE OF THIS WATER RIGHT HAS BEEN CHANGED TO THE DATE OF FILING THE NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER APPROPRIATION ( FORM GW2 ). THE PRIORITY DATE MAY BE CONTESTED BY PROPER OBJECTION.

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

**Volume:** 3.50 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Maximum Acres:** 1.00

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NWNENE	20	31N	56E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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	1.00		NWNENE	20	31N	56E	SHERIDAN
<b>Total:</b>	1.00						

**Remarks:**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133034 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** VALORIE J ROBBINS  
3159 7TH ST E  
HAVRE, MT 59501 6406

**Priority Date:** MAY 20, 1963

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		SWNESW	22	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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			SWNESW	22	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT

**Remarks:**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133042 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** VALORIE J ROBBINS  
3159 7TH ST E  
HAVRE, MT 59501 6406

**Priority Date:** JUNE 1, 1936

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** SHEEP 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		S2NWNE	14	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		SWNE	14	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT
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**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**\*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>
3		SENE	14	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*Place of Use:**

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1			S2NWNE	14	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT
2			SWNE	14	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT
3			SENE	14	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133043 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** VALORIE J ROBBINS  
3159 7TH ST E  
HAVRE, MT 59501 6406

**Priority Date:** JUNE 1, 1942

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

**Volume:** 1.83 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Maximum Acres:** 0.13

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NESENE	14	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**Place of Use:**

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1	0.13		NESENE	14	30N	55E	ROOSEVELT

**Total:** 0.13

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133046 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** VALORIE J ROBBINS  
3159 7TH ST E  
HAVRE, MT 59501 6406

**Priority Date:** APRIL 27, 1940

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**Volume:** 1.50 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NE	SENE	14	30N	55E ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

THE MEANS OF DIVERSION IS A HAND PUMP.

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**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			NE	SENE	14	30N	55E ROOSEVELT

**Remarks:**

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 7/20/2020.

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BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133117 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** ALAN R MEHL  
PO BOX 46  
CRANE, MT 59217 0046

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 1, 1950

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 15.00 GPM

**Volume:** 1.50 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NENENE	12	35N	55E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**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			NENENE	12	35N	55E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.

ACCORDING TO CADASTRAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP RECORDS, AS OF 06/24/2020 , THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY CORALIE LINDER AND ALAN R MEHL.

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133121 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** ROBERT KIRBY  
1088 RESERVE HWY E  
DAGMAR, MT 59219 9728

LISA KIRBY  
1088 RESERVE HWY E  
DAGMAR, MT 59219 9728

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1959

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(usage):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 20.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NESWSW	13	33N	57E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			NESWSW	13	33N	57E	SHERIDAN

**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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**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

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BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133122 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** ROBERT KIRBY  
1088 RESERVE HWY E  
DAGMAR, MT 59219 9728

LISA KIRBY  
1088 RESERVE HWY E  
DAGMAR, MT 59219 9728

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1959

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 20.00 GPM

**Volume:** 9.00 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Maximum Acres:** 3.00

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NESWSW	13	33N	57E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			NESWSW	13	33N	57E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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THE VOLUME WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 07/15/2020.

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133125 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** THUESEN & SONS LAND & LIVESTOCK INC  
PO BOX 2  
DAGMAR, MT 59219 0002

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1940

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

**Volume:** 6.47 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Maximum Acres:** 1.99

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		SENE	7	29N	59E	ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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	1.99		SENE	7	29N	59E	ROOSEVELT

**Total:** 1.99

**Remarks:**

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 08/12/2020: MAXIMUM ACRES, FLOW RATE, VOLUME, PLACE OF USE.

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133134 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** HAMMER FARMS INC  
62 HAMMER RD  
FLAXVILLE, MT 59222 9524

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1940

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

**Volume:** 2.00 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Maximum Acres:** 2.00

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

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

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		NWSWSW	28	35N	50E	DANIELS	

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**Place of Use:**

<u>ID</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1	2.00		NWSWSW	28	35N	50E	DANIELS	

**Total:** 2.00

**Remarks:**

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 08/20/2020.

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133138 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** HAMMER FARMS INC  
62 HAMMER RD  
FLAXVILLE, MT 59222 9524

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1945

**\*Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		SENE	29	35N	50E	DANIELS

**\*Period of Diversion:** NOVEMBER 1 TO MAY 31

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**\*Period of Use:** NOVEMBER 1 TO MAY 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			SENE	29	35N	50E	DANIELS

**Remarks:**

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 09/10/2020.

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010. ACCORDING TO CADASTRAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP RECORDS, AS OF 07/01/2020 , THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY GILBERT M HAMMER.

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133139 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** HAMMER FARMS INC  
62 HAMMER RD  
FLAXVILLE, MT 59222 9524

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1945

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 3.00 GPM

**Volume:** 2.50 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Maximum Acres:** 2.00

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		SENESE	20	35N	50E	DANIELS

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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	2.00		SENESE	20	35N	50E	DANIELS

**Total:** 2.00

**Remarks:**

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 08/20/2020: PRIORITY DATE, TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT.

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.

ACCORDING TO CADASTRAL PROPERTY OWNERSHIP RECORDS, AS OF 07/02/2020 , THE PROPERTY ON WHICH THIS WATER RIGHT IS USED APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY GILBERT M HAMMER.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133140 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** HAMMER FARMS INC  
62 HAMMER RD  
FLAXVILLE, MT 59222 9524

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1940

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 10.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NWSWSW	28	35N	50E	DANIELS

**\*Period of Diversion:** NOVEMBER 1 TO MAY 31

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**\*Period of Use:** NOVEMBER 1 TO MAY 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			NWSWSW	28	35N	50E	DANIELS

**Remarks:**

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 08/20/2020.

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BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133257 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:**

CAROL A WETZ  
PO BOX 454  
NYE, MT 59061

DONNA J EVANS  
209 HOWARD ST  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 1612

**Priority Date:** JUNE 30, 1945

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 3.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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	1	NENE	1	35N	57E	SHERIDAN

**Period of Diversion:** MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** MAY 1 TO OCTOBER 31

**\*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		1	NENE	1	35N	57E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133266 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** LOREN C HENKE  
1022 S DAGMAR RD  
DAGMAR, MT 59219

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1950

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 20.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		SESESE	28	32N	58E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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			SESESE	28	32N	58E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.

THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE COULD NOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM DATA SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE WELL CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT AND PRIORITY DATE MAY BE QUESTIONABLE.

DOCUMENTATION TO SUPPORT THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT AND PRIORITY DATE WAS NOT SUBMITTED WITH THIS CLAIM.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133273 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** THUESEN & SONS LAND & LIVESTOCK INC  
PO BOX 2  
DAGMAR, MT 59219 0002

**Priority Date:** JANUARY 1, 1909

**\*Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 6.00 GPM

**Volume:** 5.43 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Maximum Acres:** 3.93

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**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		SWSWSE	24	33N	57E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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	3.93		SWSWSE	24	33N	57E	SHERIDAN

**Total:** 3.93

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**Remarks:**

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 08/12/2020: POINT OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE, MAXIMUM ACRES, FLOW RATE, VOLUME.

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133276 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** THUESEN & SONS LAND & LIVESTOCK INC  
PO BOX 2  
DAGMAR, MT 59219 0002

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1911

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF SAND CREEK

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER  
UNNAMED NATURAL LAKE

**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		SWNE	12	29N	58E	ROOSEVELT

**\*Period of Diversion:** MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**\*Period of Use:** MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

**\*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			SWNE	12	29N	58E	ROOSEVELT

**Remarks:**

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 08/12/2020: SOURCE, POINT OF DIVERSION.

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BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133278 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** THUESEN & SONS LAND & LIVESTOCK INC  
PO BOX 2  
DAGMAR, MT 59219 0002

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1911

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**\*Source Name:** SAND CREEK

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

UNNAMED NATURAL LAKE

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

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		SE	SWNE	12	29N	58E	ROOSEVELT

**\*Period of Diversion:** MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**\*Period of Use:** MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

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			SE	SWNE	12	29N	58E ROOSEVELT

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ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133279 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** THUESEN & SONS LAND & LIVESTOCK INC  
PO BOX 2  
DAGMAR, MT 59219 0002

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1911

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF 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		NENWNE	12	29N	58E	ROOSEVELT

**\*Period of Diversion:** MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**\*Period of Use:** MAY 1 TO SEPTEMBER 30

**\*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			NENWNE	12	29N	58E	ROOSEVELT

**Remarks:**

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 08/12/2020: SOURCE, POINT OF DIVERSION.

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133305 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** CARPENTER LAND & LIVESTOCK LLC  
PO BOX 249  
OUTLOOK, MT 59252

**Priority Date:** JULY 6, 1960

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 4.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NWSEW	12	37N	50E	DANIELS

**\*Period of Diversion:** APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 31

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**\*Period of Use:** APRIL 1 TO OCTOBER 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			NWSEW	12	37N	50E	DANIELS

**Remarks:**

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 08/17/2020.

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BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133329 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** KEITH CLAWSON  
PO BOX 42  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 0042

LAUREL CLAWSON  
PO BOX 42  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 0042

**\*Priority Date:** JANUARY 17, 1913

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** MCCOY 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>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		E2	SWNE	10	35N	54E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**\*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>
2		SENE	10	35N	54E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
3		NWSE	10	35N	54E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
4		SWSE	10	35N	54E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
5		SWSESE	10	35N	54E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
6		N2NE	15	35N	54E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
7		W2NWNW	14	35N	54E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
<b>Period of Use:</b> 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			E2SWNE	10	35N	54E	SHERIDAN
2			SENE	10	35N	54E	SHERIDAN
3			NWSE	10	35N	54E	SHERIDAN
4			SWSE	10	35N	54E	SHERIDAN
5			SWSESE	10	35N	54E	SHERIDAN
6			N2NE	15	35N	54E	SHERIDAN
7			W2NWNW	14	35N	54E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133339 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** KEITH CLAWSON  
PO BOX 42  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 0042

LAUREL CLAWSON  
PO BOX 42  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 0042

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1917

**Type of Historical Right:**

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 2.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**\*Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF MCCOY CREEK

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**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		NWSWNE	10	35N	54E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** GRAVITY FLOW/DIRECT

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

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			N	10	35N	54E	SHERIDAN

Remarks:

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

- THE CLAIMED MEANS OF DIVERSION CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.
- THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.
- THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE COULD NOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM DATA SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM.
- THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE DEVELOPED SPRING CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.
- NO TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT WAS CLAIMED. DOCUMENTATION TO SUPPORT THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT WAS NOT SUBMITTED WITH THIS CLAIM.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133394 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** NELSON EDEN VALLEY FARMS  
207 VALLEY VIEW RD  
ANTELOPE, MT 59211 9611

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1941

**Type of Historical Right:**

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**Volume:**

**Households:** 1

**Maximum Acres:** 3.00

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		SWSWSW	1	33N	56E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**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	3.00		SWSWSW	1	33N	56E	SHERIDAN

**Total:** 3.00

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**Remarks:**

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THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.

THE CLAIMED PLACE OF USE AND IRRIGATED ACRES COULD NOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM DATA SUBMITTED WITH THE CLAIM.

THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION IS IN QUESTION. THE LOCATION OF THE WELL CANNOT BE IDENTIFIED FROM AVAILABLE DATA.

NO TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT WAS CLAIMED. DOCUMENTATION TO SUPPORT THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT WAS NOT SUBMITTED WITH THIS CLAIM.

NO VOLUME HAS BEEN CLAIMED.

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133579 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** NATHAN SHACKELFORD  
2911 HWY 5 W  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 9732

JESSICA SHACKELFORD  
2911 HWY 5 W  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 9732

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1917

**\*Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

WELL NO. 1

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

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		NWN	WSW	35	36N	52E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			NWN	SW 35	36N	52E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133581 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** NATHAN SHACKELFORD  
2911 HWY 5 W  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 9732

JESSICA SHACKELFORD  
2911 HWY 5 W  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 9732

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1913

**\*Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(usage):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

WELL NO. 3

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

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		NWN	WSW	35	36N	52E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			NWN	SW 35	36N	52E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133582 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** NATHAN SHACKELFORD  
2911 HWY 5 W  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 9732

JESSICA SHACKELFORD  
2911 HWY 5 W  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 9732

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1956

**\*Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

WELL NO. 2

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

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		NWN	WSW	35	36N	52E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			NWN	SW 35	36N	52E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133583 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** NATHAN SHACKELFORD  
2911 HWY 5 W  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 9732

JESSICA SHACKELFORD  
2911 HWY 5 W  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 9732

**Priority Date:** FEBRUARY 19, 1915

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(usage):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** BIG MUDDY 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		SW	NENW	27	36N	52E SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			SWNENW	27	36N	52E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133584 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** JESSICA SHACKELFORD  
2911 HWY 5 W  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 9732

NATHAN SHACKELFORD  
2911 HWY 5 W  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 9732

**Priority Date:** JANUARY 17, 1913

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** BIG MUDDY 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		S2SENE	18	35N	53E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**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>
2		S2SWNW	17	35N	53E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
3		N2SW	17	35N	53E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
4		SWNE	17	35N	53E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
5		E2NE	17	35N	53E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
<b>Period of Use:</b> 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			S2SENE	18	35N	53E	SHERIDAN
2			S2SWNW	17	35N	53E	SHERIDAN
3			N2SW	17	35N	53E	SHERIDAN
4			SWNE	17	35N	53E	SHERIDAN
5			E2NE	17	35N	53E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 08/31/2020: POINT OF DIVERSION, PLACE OF USE, PRIORITY DATE.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133585 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** JESSICA SHACKELFORD  
2911 HWY 5 W  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 9732

NATHAN SHACKELFORD  
2911 HWY 5 W  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 9732

**\*Priority Date:** MAY 31, 1942

**\*Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**\*Source Name:** SPRING, UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BIG MUDDY CREEK

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		SES	SW	8	35N	53E SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** SPRING BOX

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			SE	SW	8	35N	53E SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133587 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** NATHAN SHACKELFORD  
2911 HWY 5 W  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 9732

JESSICA SHACKELFORD  
2911 HWY 5 W  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 9732

**\*Priority Date:** MAY 31, 1942

**\*Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(usage):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

WELL NO. 2

**\*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		NWSWSW	8	35N	53E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			NWSWSW	8	35N	53E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 08/31/2020.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133590 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** NATHAN SHACKELFORD  
2911 HWY 5 W  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 9732

JESSICA SHACKELFORD  
2911 HWY 5 W  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 9732

**\*Priority Date:** MAY 31, 1942

**\*Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(usage):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

WELL NO. 1

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

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>Qtr</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		SES	WSW	8	35N	53E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			SES	SW	8	35N	53E SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

THE FLOW RATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 08/31/2020.

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133678 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** NELSON, SHIRLEY REVOCABLE TRUST  
1831 Eastridge Dr  
Billings, MT 59102 7919

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1942

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

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

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1		NESWNW	9	33N	56E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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			NESWNW	9	33N	56E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 09/02/2020: PURPOSE, FLOW RATE, PERIOD OF USE, TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 09/30/2020.

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133679 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** NELSON, SHIRLEY REVOCABLE TRUST  
1831 Eastridge Dr  
Billings, MT 59102 7919

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1914

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(Use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**Volume:** 1.50 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		SWNWNW	22	36N	53E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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			SWNWNW	22	36N	53E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 09/02/2020: FLOW RATE, VOLUME, PERIOD OF USE, PERIOD OF DIVERSION.

THE TYPE OF HISTORICAL RIGHT WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 09/30/2020.

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133681 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** NELSON, SHIRLEY REVOCABLE TRUST  
1831 Eastridge Dr  
Billings, MT 59102 7919

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1917

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(Use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**Volume:** 2.00 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NWNWSE	10	33N	56E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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			NWNWSE	10	33N	56E	SHERIDAN

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THE CLAIMED VOLUME EXCEEDS THE 1.50 ACRE-FEET GUIDELINE FOR THIS PURPOSE. ITS ACCURACY CANNOT BE CONFIRMED DUE TO LACK OF DATA.

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133692 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** NELSON, SHIRLEY REVOCABLE TRUST  
1831 Eastridge Dr  
Billings, MT 59102 7919

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1960

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**Volume:**

**Households:** 1

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		SWSWSE	18	33N	56E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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			SWSWSE	18	33N	56E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

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THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.

AS OF 07/23/2020 , THIS WATER RIGHT APPEARS TO BE OWNED BY NELSON FAMILY REVOCABLE TRUST , 1831 EASTRIDGE DR , BILLINGS , MT 59102-7919.

THE PURPOSE OF THIS CLAIM IS UNCLEAR AS MULTIPLE PURPOSES HAVE BEEN CLAIMED. THE CLAIMED PURPOSES INCLUDE DOMESTIC AND STOCK . MORE THAN ONE WATER RIGHT MAY BE INVOLVED.

NO VOLUME HAS BEEN CLAIMED.

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BASIN 40R  
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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133940 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:**

RICK A HILYARD  
PO BOX 381  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 0381

FAYE I HILYARD  
213 N JEFFERSON ST  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 1814

**Priority Date:** JULY 12, 1906

**Type of Historical Right:** FILED

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**\*Source Name:** PLENTYWOOD CREEK

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

**\*Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF PLENTYWOOD 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		SWSW	4	35N	54E	SHERIDAN
<b>*Source Name:</b> UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF PLENTYWOOD CREEK						
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
2		SWSWSW	4	35N	54E	SHERIDAN
<b>Source Name:</b> PLENTYWOOD CREEK						
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
3		N2N2SENE	6	35N	54E	SHERIDAN
<b>Source Name:</b> PLENTYWOOD CREEK						
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
<b>Period of Use:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						

**\*Place of Use:**

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1			SWSW	4	35N	54E	SHERIDAN
2			SWSWSW	4	35N	54E	SHERIDAN
3			N2N2SENE	6	35N	54E	SHERIDAN

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133946 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:**

SHERI UELAND  
PO BOX 381  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 0381

RICK A HILYARD  
PO BOX 381  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 0381

FAYE I HILYARD  
213 N JEFFERSON ST  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 1814

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 5, 1907

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** BIG MUDDY 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		E2NW	33	35N	55E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
2		SWNE	33	35N	55E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
3		N2SE	33	35N	55E	SHERIDAN
<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						
<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE						
<b>Period of Use:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31						

**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			E2NW	33	35N	55E	SHERIDAN
2			SWNE	33	35N	55E	SHERIDAN
3			N2SE	33	35N	55E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30133952 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:**

SHERI UELAND  
PO BOX 381  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 0381

FAYE I HILYARD  
213 N JEFFERSON ST  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 1814

RICK A HILYARD  
PO BOX 381  
PLENTYWOOD, MT 59254 0381

**Priority Date:** DECEMBER 5, 1907

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** BOX ELDER CREEK

**Source Type:** SURFACE WATER

**Source Name:** UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOX ELDER 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		S2SWSE	28	35N	55E	SHERIDAN
	<b>Source Name:</b> UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOX ELDER CREEK					
	<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
2		SESESW	28	35N	55E	SHERIDAN
	<b>Source Name:</b> UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOX ELDER CREEK					
	<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
3		N2NE	33	35N	55E	SHERIDAN
	<b>Source Name:</b> BOX ELDER CREEK					
	<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
4		NENENE	33	35N	55E	SHERIDAN
	<b>Source Name:</b> UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOX ELDER CREEK					
	<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
5		N2N2NWNE	33	35N	55E	SHERIDAN
	<b>Source Name:</b> UNNAMED TRIBUTARY OF BOX ELDER CREEK					
	<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
6		SWNE	33	35N	55E	SHERIDAN
	<b>Source Name:</b> BOX ELDER CREEK					
	<b>Period of Diversion:</b> JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31					
	<b>Diversion Means:</b> LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE					
<b>Period of Use:</b> 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			S2SWSE	28	35N	55E	SHERIDAN
2			SESESW	28	35N	55E	SHERIDAN
3			N2NE	33	35N	55E	SHERIDAN
4			NENENE	33	35N	55E	SHERIDAN
5			N2N2NWNE	33	35N	55E	SHERIDAN
6			SWNE	33	35N	55E	SHERIDAN

**Remarks:**

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010. A PORTION OF THE CLAIMED POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE DOES NOT MEET THE DEFINITION OF AN EXEMPT RIGHT UNDER 85-2-222, MCA, AND INVOLVES AN ON-STREAM RESERVOIR.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30142664 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MGMT)  
5001 SOUTHGATE DR  
BILLINGS, MT 59101 4669

**Priority Date:** MARCH 16, 1938

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**Source Name:** BIG MUDDY 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	3	NWSE	17	29N	54E	ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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		3	NWSE	17	29N	54E	ROOSEVELT

**Remarks:**

BLM FILED ELECTRONIC CLAIMS. THIS CLAIM REFERENCES BLM CLAIM ID BLM3306 AND GRAZING ALLOTMENT MT00559.

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30142665 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MGMT)  
5001 SOUTHGATE DR  
BILLINGS, MT 59101 4669

**Priority Date:** MARCH 16, 1938

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**\*Flow Rate:** A SPECIFIC FLOW RATE HAS NOT BEEN DECREED BECAUSE THIS USE CONSISTS OF STOCK DRINKING DIRECTLY FROM THE SOURCE, OR FROM A DITCH SYSTEM. THE FLOW RATE IS LIMITED TO THE MINIMUM AMOUNT HISTORICALLY NECESSARY TO SUSTAIN THIS PURPOSE.

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**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		E2S	SW 4	29N	55E	ROOSEVELT

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

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

2		SEN	WNW 9	29N	55E	ROOSEVELT
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**Period of Diversion:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**Diversion Means:** LIVESTOCK DIRECT FROM SOURCE

**Period of Use:** JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

**\*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			E2S	SW 4	29N	55E	ROOSEVELT
2			SEN	WNW 9	29N	55E	ROOSEVELT

**Remarks:**

BLM FILED ELECTRONIC CLAIMS. THIS CLAIM REFERENCES BLM CLAIM ID BLM3307 AND GRAZING ALLOTMENT MT00526.

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**Water Right Number:** 40R 30147582 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** CHRISTENSEN CORP  
63 NATHANAEL RD  
ANTELOPE, MT 59211

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1915

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** DOMESTIC

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**Volume:** 1.63 AC-FT

**Households:** 1

**Maximum Acres:** 0.25

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NENWSE	18	34N	57E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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	0.25		NENWSE	18	34N	57E	SHERIDAN

**Total:** 0.25

**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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THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 06/25/2020: MAXIMUM ACRES, PLACE OF USE.

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 12/12/2019.

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

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**INTERLOCUTORY DECREE  
BIG MUDDY CREEK  
BASIN 40R  
ABSTRACT OF WATER RIGHT CLAIM**

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**OBJECTIONS MAY BE FILED ACCORDING TO THE PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF INTERLOCUTORY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."**

**Water Right Number:** 40R 30147584 STATEMENT OF CLAIM

**Version:** 1 -- ORIGINAL RIGHT

**Status:** ACTIVE

**Owners:** CHRISTENSEN CORP  
63 NATHANAEL RD  
ANTELOPE, MT 59211

**\*Priority Date:** DECEMBER 31, 1915

**Type of Historical Right:** USE

**Purpose(use):** STOCK

**Flow Rate:** 5.00 GPM

**\*Volume:** THIS RIGHT INCLUDES THE AMOUNT OF WATER CONSUMPTIVELY USED FOR STOCK WATERING PURPOSES AT THE RATE OF 30 GALLONS PER DAY PER ANIMAL UNIT. ANIMAL UNITS SHALL BE BASED ON REASONABLE CARRYING CAPACITY AND HISTORICAL USE OF THE AREA SERVICED BY THIS WATER SOURCE.

**Source Name:** GROUNDWATER

**Source Type:** GROUNDWATER

**\*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		NENWSE	18	34N	57E	SHERIDAN

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

**Diversion Means:** WELL

**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>
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**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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THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS WERE AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 06/25/2020: PERIOD OF DIVERSION, PERIOD OF USE.

THE PRIORITY DATE WAS AMENDED BY THE CLAIMANT ON 12/12/2019.

**THE FOLLOWING ISSUES WERE IDENTIFIED BY THE DNRC DURING ITS EXAMINATION OF THIS WATER RIGHT CLAIM.**

THIS CLAIM NUMBER WAS NOT INCLUDED IN THE BASIN 40R DECREE ISSUED 01/28/2010.

**A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT CAN BE OBTAINED BY COMPARING YOUR RIGHT WITH OTHER CLAIMS IN THE BASIN. FOR EXAMPLE, COMPARE PRIORITY DATES, FLOW RATES, VOLUMES, OR ACRES IRRIGATED. ALSO, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO WATER RIGHTS IN ADJOINING SUBBASINS OR BASINS AS WELL AS BEING SUBJECT TO OTHER RIGHTS ON YOUR SOURCE OF SUPPLY. FINALLY, YOUR WATER RIGHT MAY BE SUBJECT TO INDIAN RESERVED AND FEDERAL RESERVED WATER RIGHTS.**

**COMPLETE DETAILS REGARDING THE DNRC PREPARATION OF THIS INTERLOCUTORY DECREE AND RELATED MATERIALS CAN BE REVIEWED AT THE OFFICE LOCATIONS IDENTIFIED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF INTERLOCUTORY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY."**

**SEE GENERAL FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW FOR FURTHER EXPLANATION OF YOUR CLAIMED WATER RIGHT. THESE FINDINGS CAN BE FOUND AS INDICATED IN THE DOCUMENT ENTITLED "NOTICE OF ENTRY OF INTERLOCUTORY DECREE AND NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY." IF YOU NEED OBJECTION FORMS, OR HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT WATER COURT PROCEDURES OR CHANGES TO YOUR RIGHT, YOU CAN CONTACT THE WATER COURT BY CALLING 1-800-624-3270 (WITHIN MONTANA ONLY) OR 1-406-586-4364, OR BY WRITING TO P.O. BOX 1389, BOZEMAN, MT 59771-1389.**