**STATE OF MONTANA**

**ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE**

**OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER**

### Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. **Frank J. Southworth**  
   (Name of Appropriator)  
   (Address)  
   (Town)

   County of **Fergus**  
   State of **Montana**

   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

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   Indicate point of appropriation and place of use, if possible.  
   Each small square represents 10 acres.

   2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based

   3. **1915. Continuous since then**

   4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) **10 Gallons per minute**

   5. **Not applicable**

   6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal

   7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater

   8. The depth of water table

   9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater

   10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year

   11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available

   12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record

   Signature of **Frank J. Southworth**

   Date **December 30, 1965**

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; Triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology and Quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
State of Montana,
County of Fergus, 1st

Filed DEC 2, 1963
at 8:30 o'clock A.M.

$2.00 paid to County Clerk and Recorder

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Form No. 8
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T. R. County

MONTANA BUREAU OF MINES AND GEOLOGY
Butte, Montana

(over)
DECLARATION OF VESTED GROUNDWATER RIGHTS
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

Lester M. Suggett, Jr. and
Janet Suggett, husband and wife
(Name of Appropriate) (Address) (Town)

County of Fergus State of Montana

have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: stock water and domestic irrigation.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use: and how continuous the use has been: January 1, 1961.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 1.85, gals. per minute.

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof: 180 acres in Sec. 2-11-6-13 of Township 18 N, Range 26 East, Fergus County, Montana.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: artesian.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: 1901.

8. The depth of water table: 1300 feet to 2300 feet.

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: 1.00 inch per square inch. County 0.1450 feet steel 3/4 inch. 1400 feet to 2000 feet steel 3 inch. perforated: 1900 feet to 2009 feet at Kents.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year.

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: unknown.

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record: unknown.

Signature of Owner: Carol Suggett
Date: June 26, 1973

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; triplicate to the School of Mines and quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
STATE OF MONTANA  
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE  
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER  

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights  
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)  

Frank J. Southworth  
of Roy  
(Address)  
(Town)  
County of Fergus  
State of Montana  

I have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:  

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based  
   stockwater  

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been  
   1867. Used continuously since that time.  

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute)  
   all flood waters entrapped by dam of 8000 cubic yards capacity  

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof  
   not applicable  

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal  
   flood waters  

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater  
   1867  

8. The depth of water table  
   not applicable  

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater  
   dam impounding 6000 cubic yards capacity  

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year  
    see above  

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available  
    not applicable  

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record  
    not applicable  

Signature of Owner:  

Date: December 30, 1963  

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.  

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.  

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State of Montana, County of Fergus, ss.

Filed ______________________ DEC 2 1 1963

8:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m.

MAY RATHBUN
County Clerk and Recorder
**Notice of Completion of Groundwater Appropriation by Means of Well**

### Top of Groundwater

- **File No.**
- **County:** Fergus
- **Owner:** F. J. Southworth
- **Address:** Lowistown, Mont.
- **Driller:** C & L Drilling
- **Address:** Minett, Mont.
- **Date of Notice of Appropriation of Groundwater:** 6/16/64
- **Date well started:** 5/16/64
- **Date Completed:** 6/16/64
- **Type of well drilled:** rotary
- **Equipment Used:** Churn, drill, rotary, or drilled
- **Water Use:** Domestic

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### Static Water Level

- **Static Water Level for non-flowing Well:** __________ feet.

### Shut-in Pressure

- **Shut-in Pressure for Flowing Well:** __________ feet at __________ gal. per minute.

### Water Level

- **Discharge in gal. per min. of flowing well:** __________ gal. per min.

### Remarks

- **Remarks:** (Gravel packing, cementing, packers, type of shutoff, location of place of use of groundwater if not at well, and any other pertinent information, including number of acres irrigated, if used for irrigation)

### Indicate Location

- **Indicate location of well and place of use, if possible.**

### Casing Anchor Packer

- **Larkin #21 Casing Anchor Packer Set at 186 ft.**

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**Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.**

**Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; triplicate to the School of Mines and Quadruplicate for the Appropriator.**

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**Driller's Signature:**

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Frank J. & Linnie L. Southworth
   (Name of Appropriator)
   (Address) (Town)

   County of Fergus
   State of Montana

   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

   2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based _____________ stockwater

   3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use, and how continuous the use has been 1912

   4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) enough to fill a tank holding 3000 cubic yards capacity

   5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof not applicable

   6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of the well or other means of withdrawal by dam impounding floodwaters to extent of 3000 cubic yards capacity

   7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater 1918

   8. The depth of water table surface water

   9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater none available

   10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year 100000 Gallons

   11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available none available

   12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record none

   Signature of Owner Frank J. Southworth
   Date December 20, 1963

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Frank J. & Winnie L. Southworth of Day (Name of Appropriator)
   (Address) (Town)
   County of Fergus State of Montana
   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

   2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: {Insert information}

   3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: {Insert information}

   4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) sufficient to fill dam holding 4000 cubic yards capacity: {Insert information}

   5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof: {Insert information}

   6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: {Insert information}

   7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: {Insert information}

   8. The depth of water table: {Insert information}

   9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: {Insert information}

   10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: {Insert information}

   11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: {Insert information}

   12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record: {Insert information}

Signature of Owner: {Signature}
Date: December 20, 1962

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology and quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
State of Montana,
Circuit Court of

Filed: DEC 2 1963
at 8:30 o'clock A.M.

[Signature]
County Clerk and Recorder
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Frank J. Southworth, of Roy, County of Fergus, State of Montana, have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

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Indicate point of appropriation and place of use, if possible. Each small square represents 10 acres.

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: stockwater.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been since that time: 1968. Used continuously.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): all flood waters entrapped by dam of 4000 cubic yards capacity.

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof: not applicable.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: flood waters.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: 1968.

8. The depth of water table: not applicable.

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: dam impounding 4000 cubic yards capacity.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: see above.

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: not applicable.

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record: not applicable.

Signature of Owner: Frank J. Southworth
Date: December 30, 1968.

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located. Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; Triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology and Quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
State of Montana, County of Fergus ss.

Filed December 31, 1953 at 8:30 A.M.

MAY RATHBUN
County Clerk and Recorder
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Frank & Minnie L. Backworth
   (Name of Appropriator)
   of
   (Address)
   (Town)

   County of Fergus
   State of Montana

   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based
   __________________________________________________________________________
   Stockwater

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been since that time.
   __________________________________________________________________________
   1919. Used continuously

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) all floodwaters encropped by dam of 12,000 cu. yd. capacity
   __________________________________________________________________________

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof __________________________________________________________________________
   not applicable

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal
   __________________________________________________________________________

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater __________________________________________________________________________
   1919

8. The depth of water table __________________________________________________________________________
   not applicable

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater
   __________________________________________________________________________
   dam impounding 12,000 cubic yard capacity

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year __________________________________________________________________________
    not above

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available __________________________________________________________________________
    not applicable

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record __________________________________________________________________________
    not applicable

Signature of Owner: __________________________
Date: December 20, 1969

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; Triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology and Quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
State of Montana,  
County of Fergus, ss.

Filed: DEC 3 1 1963 19  
8:30 o'clock A.M.

[Signature]
County Clerk and Recorder
### Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. **Name of Appropriator**: Manie L & Frank J. Southworth
   **Address**: [Address]
   **Town**: [Town]
   **County**: Fergus
   **State**: Montana

   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: 
   **Use**: Stockwater

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: 1887

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 150 gallons per minute

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof: not applicable

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: hand drawn wells, pumped from well

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: 1887

8. The depth of water table: approximately 30 feet

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: none additional

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 500,000 gallons

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: not available

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record: none

**Signature of Owner**: 
**Date**: December 20, 1963

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology and quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
State of Montana,
County of Pursuant

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at 9:30 a.m.

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County Clerk and Recorder
## Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

**STATE OF MONTANA**

**ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE**

**OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER**

**Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights**

Frank J. Southworth, of Roy, State of Montana, have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

1. **Name of Appropriator:** Frank J. Southworth
   **Address:** Roy
   **County:** Fergus
   **State:** Montana

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: stockwater.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use, and how continuous the use has been since that time: 1928. Used continuously.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) all flood waters entrapped by dam of 4600 cubic yards capacity.

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof: not applicable.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: flood waters.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: 1928.

8. The depth of water table: not applicable.

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: dam impounding 4600 cubic yards capacity.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: see above.

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: not applicable.

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record: not applicable.

Signature of Owner:

Date: December 30, 1968

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology and quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
State of Montana
County of Powell

Filed: DEC 3 1963
at 8:30 o'clock A.M.

M. W. Mathews
County Clerk and Recorder
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Frank J. Southworth of Roy
   County of Fergus State of Montana
   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based ________________________

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use: and how continuous the use has been 1915. Used continuously since that time.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) all flood waters entrapped by dam of 9000 cubic yards capacity

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof not applicable

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal flood waters

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater 1915

8. The depth of water table not applicable

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater is impounding 9000 cubic yards capacity

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year see above

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available not applicable

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record not applicable

Signature of Owner

Date December 30, 1943

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; Triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology and Quadruplicate for the Appropriator.

1993
State of Montana,
County of Purgue

Filed 7-1-1860

at 9:30 A.M.

MAY RATHBUN
County Clerk and Recorder
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Frank J. Southworth, of Roy
   (Name of Appropriator)
   (Address)
   (Town)
   County of Fergus, State of Montana
   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: stockwater

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: 1916. Used continuously

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): all flood waters entrapped by dam of 4000 cubic yards capacity

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof: not applicable

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: flood waters

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: 1916

8. The depth of water table: not applicable

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: dam impounding 4000 cubic yards capacity

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: see above

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: not applicable

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record: not applicable

Signature of Owner: Frank J. Southworth

Date: December 30, 1962

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; Triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology and Quadruplicate for the Appropriator.

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State of Montana,
County of Pondera.

Plaintiff

Defendant

Plaintiff

Defendant

MAY RATHEUN

County Clerk and Recorder
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. M.R. Kellogg & Sons
   (Name of Appropriator)
   (Address)
   (Town)

   County of
   State of

   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based:

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been since: 

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute):

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the land to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof:

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal:

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:

8. The depth of water table:

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater:

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this Act, including reference to book and page of any county record:

Signature of Owner:

Date:

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

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Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; Duplicate to the State Engineer; Triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, and Quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
State of Montana, County of Fergus, 5th

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MAY RATHBUN
County Clerk and Recorder
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ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Paul Pitman, of Roy
   County of Fergus State of Montana
   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

   2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based.

   3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been since.

   4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) 10 gal per min.

   5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof.

   6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal.

   7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater.

   8. The depth of water table.

   9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater.

   10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year.

   11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available.

   12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record.

Signature of Owner

Date Dec. 26, 1963

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; Duplicate to the State Engineer; Triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, and Quadruplicate for the Appropnator.
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. **Paul Pitman**, of **Jergus**, have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: **Stock Water**

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use, and how continuous the use has been: **About 1915**

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in million inches or gallons per minute): **16 gal per min**

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof:

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal:

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: **About 1915**

8. The depth of water table: **Approximately 20 to 30 ft**

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater:

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: **About 35,000**

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: **No log available**

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record: **None on record yet**

Signature of Owner: 

Date: **Dec 26, 1963**

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Paul Pitman, of Roy
   (Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
   County of Fergus, State of Montana
   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

   2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based

   3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been

   4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute)

   5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof

   6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal

   7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater

   8. The depth of water table

   9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater

   10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year

   11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available

   12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record

Signature of Owner

Date

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

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Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. **Paul Peterson**
   - (Name of Appropriator)
   - (Address)
   - (Town)
   - County of **Missoula**
   - State of **Montana**

   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect, prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: **Clock Water & Irrigation**

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: **About 1915 and since that time**

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): **About 200 gal per min**

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof: **About 100 acres - see record**

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: **Suction and jet pump with engine**

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: **About 1915, completed before then**

8. The depth of water table: **Approximately 6 ft. 20 ft. 100 ft.**

9. So far as may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: **10 ft. diameter, with rock casing, other types are 5 ft. wide and bored with rock, 10 ft. wide and bored**

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: **50,000 to 500,000 gal.**

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: **No log available.**

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record: **Not on record.**

   **Signature of Owner.**
   - **Paul Peterson**
   - Date **Dec. 24, 1963**

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; Duplicate to the State Engineer; Triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, and Quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
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Wayne Matheny
Clerk and Recorder

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Paul Pickman, of
   (Address) (Town)
   County of Fergus State of Montana
   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

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   Indicate point of appropriation and place of use, if possible. Each small square represents 10 acres.

   1. Water
   2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based
   3. Date of earliest beneficial use and how continuous the use has been
   4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute)
   5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof
   6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal
     - Pump
   7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater
     - About 1915
   8. The depth of water table
     - Approximately 20 to 40 ft
   9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater
     - 5 ft deep rock casing
   10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year
     - About 35,000
   11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available
     - No log available
   12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record
     - No record

   Signature of Owner
   Date Dec 6, 1963

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

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State of [State]

County: [County]

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Mary Matthews
County Clerk and Recorder

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State of Montana
Administrator of Groundwater Code
Office of State Engineer

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. [Name of Appropriator]
   (Name)
   [Address]
   (Town)

   County of [County]
   State of [State]

   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

   2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: household use.

   3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been since 1961: we use the water all times.

   4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 30 gallons.

   5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof.

   6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: electric pump.

   7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater.

   8. The depth of water table.

   9. So far as it may be available, the type, size, and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: soft water, dug well.

   10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year.

   11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: I do not have.

   12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record.

   Signature of Owner: [Signature]
   Date: [Date]

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located. Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; Duplicate to the State Engineer; Triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, and Quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
State of Montana,
County of Fergus,

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MAY RATHBUN
County Clerk and Recorder.
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. JAMIE L. RICH & CLARICE RICH, of DENTON
   (Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
   County of Fergus State of Montana
   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

   2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based: stock water

   3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how the use has been continuously since 1954:

   4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 3 gallons per minute from the
   springs designated by 'X' on plat

   5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof:
   not applicable

   6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal:
   natural flowing springs

   7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:
   about 1954

   8. The depth of water table rises to surface:

   9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater:
   each of the four designated springs was dug and cleaned out, thereby increasing the natural flow; the water from each flows in an easterly direction down the coulee designated on said plat; the entire flow from the springs, until it leaves Section 1, is used for watering livestock; at times coulee between springs is dry

   10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:
   about 500,000 gallons per year

   11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:
   not applicable

   12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record:
   none

   Signature of Owner: JAMIE L. RICH
   Date: DECEMBER 31, 1963

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

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Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

JAMES L. RICE & CLARICE RICE of DENTON
(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
County of Fergus State of Montana

have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

1. The beneficial use on which the claim is based:
   No. 1 - domestic, stock water and irrigation;
   No. 2 - stock water and irrigation

2. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been
   about 1935 on each and continuous use since

3. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute)...
   about 20 gallons per minute from each well

4. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal
   electric pumps

5. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater
   about 1935

6. The depth of water table 2' - 4' below surface

7. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available
   not available

8. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record
   none

JAMES L. RICE
Signature of Owner
DECEMBER 31, 1963

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; Duplicate to the State Engineer; Triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, and Quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
State of Montana.
County of Fergus.

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MAY RATHBUN
County Clerk and Recorder

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. JAMES L. RICE & CLARICE RICE
   (Name of Appropriator)        DENTON
   (Address)                    (Town)

   County of PERSUS State of MONTANA

   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based
   stock water

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been
   about 1953 and used continuously since

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute)
   About 3 or 4 gallons per minute

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof
   not applicable

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal
   developed spring

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater
   about 1953

8. The depth of water table
   comes to surface

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater
   natural spring, flow of which was increased by digging down about 10' and cleaning the same out, formed into a water hole used for watering livestock

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year
    about 100,000 gallons per year

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available
    not applicable

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record
    none

Signature of Owner JAMES L. RICE
Date DECEMBER 31, 1963

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

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State of Montana.
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MAY RATHBUN
County Clerk and Recorder
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

(Name of Appropriator) of
(Address) of
(Town)

County of: ___________________________ State of: ___________________________

have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962 as follows:

1. ________________

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based:

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been:

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute):

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof:

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal:

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:

8. The depth of water table:

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater:

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record:

Signature of Owner:

Date:

Three copies to be filed by owner with County Clerk and Recorder of county in which well is located.

Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise form will be returned.

Original to County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to State Engineer; triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology; quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
State of Washington,
County of King

Filed: DEC 30, 1963
at 11:30 o'clock A.M.

Wayne E. Mathers
County Clerk and Recorder

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. **Name of Appropriator:** Mary A. Trexler
   **Address:** Platin
   **Town:** 
   **County:** Fergus
   **State:** Montana

   I have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

   2. **The beneficial use on which the claim is based:** 

   3. **Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been:** 1907

   4. **The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner’s inches or gallons per minute):** 3 gal. per min.

   5. **If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof:** 

   6. **The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal:** 

   7. **The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:** 

   8. **The depth of water table:** 15 ft.

   9. **So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater:** 20 ft. deep, cement wall.

   10. **The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:** 500,000 gal.

   11. **The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:** 

   12. **Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record:** 

   **Signature of Owner:** Mary A. Trexler
   **Date:** Sept. 15, 1969

   Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

   Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form will be returned.

   Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer, Tripplicate to the School of Mines and Quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
State of Montana,
County of Phipps:

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Name of Appropriator: __________________________
   Address: __________________________
   Town: __________________________
   County: __________________________
   State: __________________________

   I have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based:
   __________________________

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been:
   __________________________

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner’s inches or gallons per minute):
   __________________________

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof:
   __________________________

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal:
   __________________________

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:
   __________________________

8. The depth of water table:
   __________________________

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater:
   __________________________

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:
    __________________________

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:
    __________________________

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record:
    __________________________

Signature of Owner

Date: __________________________

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. GEORGE F. HICK & WILHELM G. HICK, of DEKTON
   (Name of Appropriator)
   County of FERGUS
   (Address)
   (Town)
   State of MONTANA
   have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based:

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuously the use has been since:

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute):

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof:

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal:

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:

8. The depth of water table:

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater:

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record:

Signature of Owner: WILHELM G. HICK
Date: DECEMBER 27, 1963

Three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the well is located.

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Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; duplicate to the State Engineer; Triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, and Quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. William Webster
   (Name of Appropriator)
   County of
   Address
   State of

have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based:
   Stockwater

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use, and how continuous the use has been:
   Jan 1, 1960
   Continued
   Nov 2, 1960

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute):
   No. 1: 15 gal.
   No. 2: 5000 gal.

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof:
   Well No. 1, 25 acres, irrigated by William Webster.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal:
   Electric jet pumps.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:
   No. 1: 1960
   No. 2: 1960

8. The depth of water table:
   No. 1: 21 feet
   No. 2: 7 feet

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater:
   No. 1: 10 inch, 21 feet, deep.
   No. 2: 6 inch, 7 feet.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:
    No. 1: 140,000 gal.
    No. 2: 50,000 gal.

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:

12. Such other information of a similar nature as may be useful in carrying out the policy of this act, including reference to book and page of any county record:

Signature of Owner: William Webster
Date: Dec 31, 1962

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Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; Duplicate to the State Engineer; Triplicate to the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology, and Quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
State of Montana,
County of Fergus

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at 1:15 o'clock, P.M.

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County Clerk and Recorder
### Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

#### 1. (Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)

County of ___________ State of ___________

**have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:**

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- **2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based:**
- **3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been:**
- **4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in minor's inches or gallons per minute):**
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- **11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:**
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**Signature of Owner**

**Date**

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