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STATE OF MONTANA, } ss.
County of Meagher.

I hereby certify that the within
instrument was filed for record in this
office on the 31st day of Dec
1913 at 4:10 o'clock P.M.

RUTH P. BEARS

County Recorder

By

Jan G. Lytle

Deputy

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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
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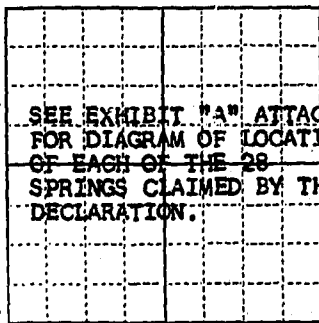
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

STATE ENGINEER

1. Walter E. Buckingham, of White Sulphur Springs
(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)

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



1/4 Sec. T R

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 and irrigation of haylands and pasture

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been all 28 springs have been used since before 1900 and use has been continuous since that time.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) each of the 28 springs run year-round and each flow not less than 15 gallons per minute, which is claimed.

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 Each spring irrigates adjacent pasture or grass lands as indicated on attached diagram Exhibit "A". all lands owned by appropriator.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal natural flow and natural processes from 28 springs located as indicated in Exhibit "A" attached hereto; in Sections 23, 26, 27, 29, 33, 34, & 35, T13N, R5E; Sections 25 & 30 T13N, R6E; Sections 2 & 3 T12N, R5E; and Section 1, T12N, R6E.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater not applicable

8. The depth of water table 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 flow - not applicable

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year approximately one million gallons per year for each spring or more--all are year-round flow.

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 It is the intention of appropriator to establish and claim his rights in the above designated springs for stock watering purposes on a year-round basis, and such irrigation as the springs presently provide.

Signature of Owner Walter E. Buckingham
Walter E. Buckingham
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.

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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EXHIBIT "A"

X = Spring

Attached to and forming part of Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights by Walter E. Buckingham Dated Dec. 31, 1966 Meagher Co., Mont

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Twp 12 North.

Sec. 27

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Sec. 26

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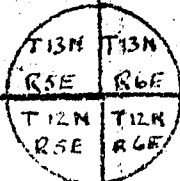
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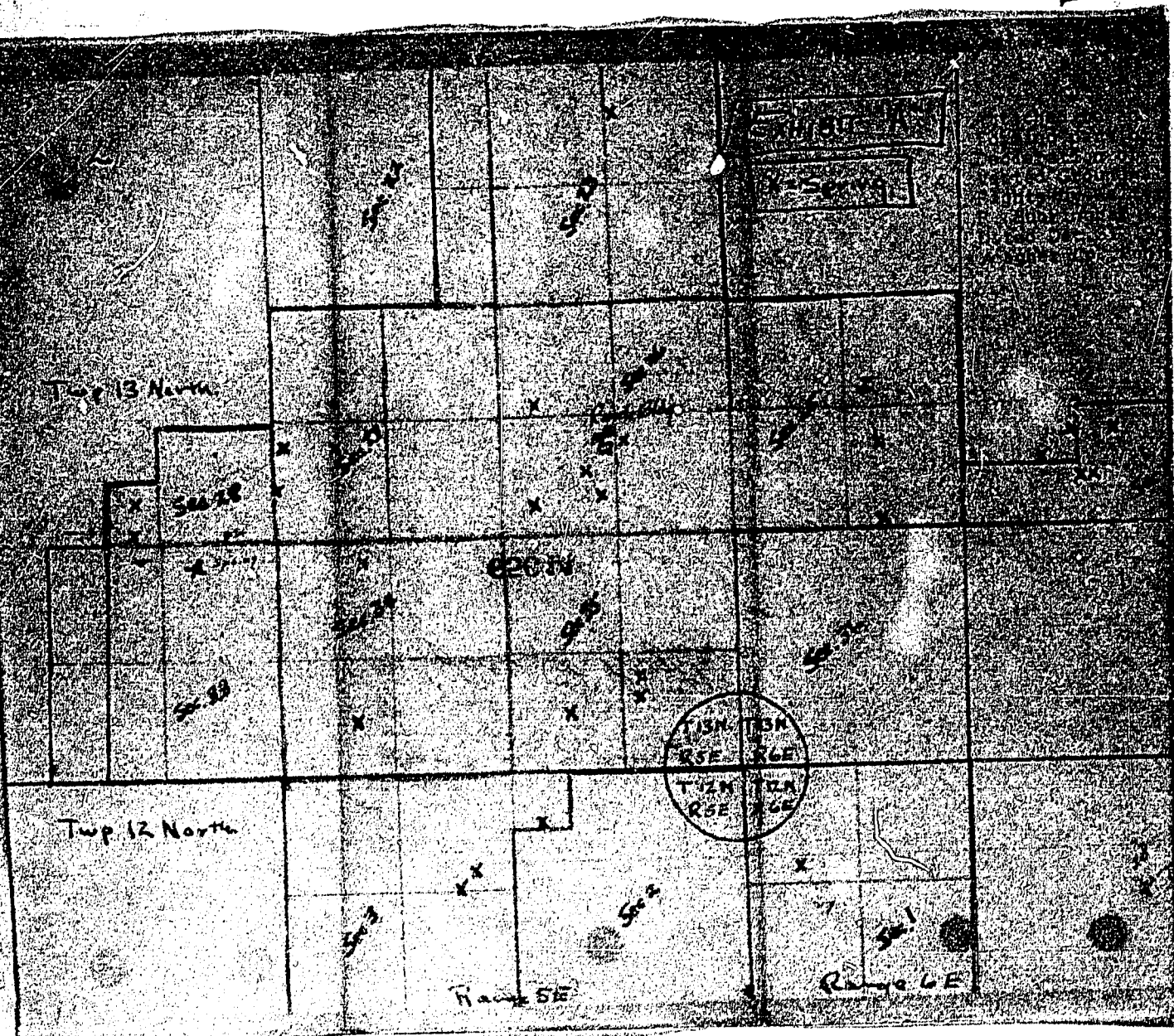
Range 6 E

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Rocky Bluffs

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Twp 13 North

Twp 12 North

Range 5E

Range 6E

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R5E R6E

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Twp 12 North

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STATE OF MONTANA, }
County of Meagher, } ss.

I hereby certify that the within
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1963 at 6:30 o'clock P. M.

RUTH E. BEARS



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County _____

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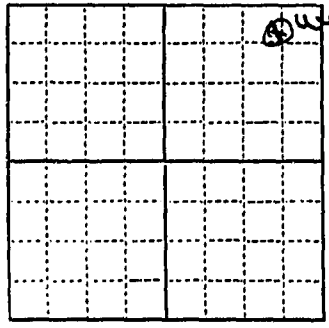
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Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

STATE ENGINEER

1. Walter Joyce, of White Sulphur Springs,
(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
County of Meagher State of Montana,
have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:



NE 1/4 Sec. 13 T. 12 R. 5

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 Household and domestic use, and irrigation.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been 1950 and continuous since.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) 8 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 less than one acre in NE 1/4, section 13, Township 12, North, Range 5 East, held in name of appropriator.

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

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater 1950.

8. The depth of water table 60 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 drilled well, with 6-inch casing, 120 feet deep, electric pump.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year 200,000 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.

Signature of Owner Walter Joyce

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.

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 _____ } ss.

I hereby certify that the within
Instrument was filed for record in this
Office on the 31st day of Dec
19 63 at 2 50 o'clock P. M.

RUTH P. BEARS

County Recorder

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County MEAGHER

STATE OF MONTANA
MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
MONTANA WATER RESOURCES BOARD

NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER APPROPRIATION WITHOUT WELL
Developed After January 1, 1962

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961, as amended)

This form to be prepared by contractor (if any), otherwise by the owner.
Three copies of this notice are to be filed with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the works are located.
Please answer all questions. If not applicable, so state, otherwise the form may be returned.

For Administrator's Use	
File	<u>73034; 418</u>
	<u>June 29, 1973</u>
GW 1	<u>N. or H.M.</u>

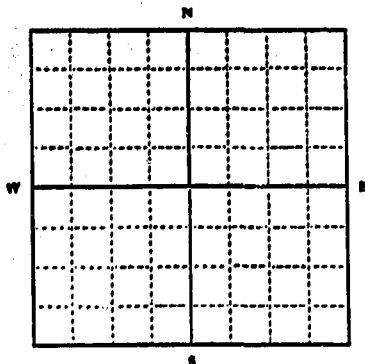
Owner WALTER L. JOHNSTON AND JAMES M. JOHNSTON
Address WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, MONTANA

Contractor (if any) _____

Address of Contractor _____

Date Started _____ Date Completed _____

1. Describe means of obtaining groundwater (as by sub-irrigation, developed spring, drains, etc.) FLOWING SPRING



SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 23
T. 12 N R. 5 E
S W

INDICATE POINT OF APPROPRIATION AND PLACE OF USE, IF POSSIBLE.
Elevation of spring, if known or estimated _____

2. Means of withdrawing water (gravity, pump, canal, etc.) GRAVITY

3. Depth of water table _____

4. Use of the water LIVESTOCK WATER

5. Amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) 5 GALLONS PER MINUTE

6. If used for irrigation, give number of acres and description of land N/A

7. Estimate amount of water used each year 50,000 GALLONS

8. Months of year spring flows CONTINUOUS

Signature of Owner

James M. Johnston
Walter L. Johnston

Date 6-25-1973

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STATE OF MONTANA, } ss.
County of Meagher.

I hereby certify that the within
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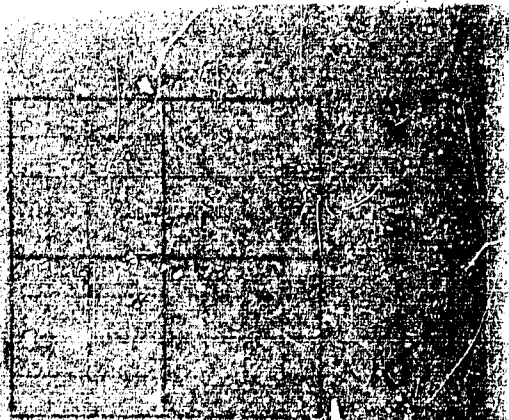
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County Clerk

By *[Signature]*

Deputy

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STATE OF MONTANA
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MONTANA WATER RESOURCES BOARD

NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER APPROPRIATION WITHOUT WELL

Developed After January 1, 1962

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For Administrator's Use

File 79029; 419

JUNE 28, 1973

GW 1 10:05 AM

Owner WALTER L. JOHNSTON AND JAMES M. JOHNSTON

Address WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, MONTANA

Contractor (if any) -----

Address of Contractor -----

Date Started ----- Date Completed -----

1. Describe means of obtaining groundwater (as by sub-irrigation, developed spring, drains, etc.) FLOWING SPRINGS - WATER STORED IN STOCK WATER POND (DIRT FILL) BELOW SPRINGS (100,000 GALL. STORED)

2. Means of withdrawing water (gravity, pump, canal, etc.) GRAVITY

3. Depth of water table -----

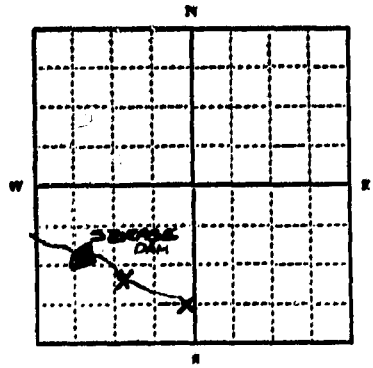
4. Use of the water LIVE STOCK WATER

5. Amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) 5 GALLONS PER MINUTE (2 SPRINGS)

6. If used for irrigation, give number of acres and description of land N/A

7. Estimate amount of water used each year 75,000 GALLONS

8. Months of year spring flows CONTINUOUS



SE 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 25

T. 12R N. R. 5 E. W.

INDICATE POINT OF APPROPRIATION AND PLACE OF USE, IF POSSIBLE.

Elevation of spring, if known or estimated -----

Signature of Owner

James M. Johnston
Walter L. Johnston

Date 6-25-1973

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STATE OF MONTANA. }
County of Meagher. }

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 28th day of June 1925.

W. S. MASON, CLERK.

RUTH P. BEARS

County Clerk

By [Signature]

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OFFICE OF COUNTY CLERK OF MEAGHER COUNTY

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RESOURCES AVE. CONNOR, MONT.

NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER APPROPRIATION WITHOUT WELL

Developed After January 1, 1962

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961, as amended)

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Three copies of this notice are to be filed with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the works are located.

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

For Administrator's Use

File 73032-416

June 28, 1973

GW 1 9:15 A.M.

Owner WALTER L. JOHNSTON AND JAMES M. JOHNSTON

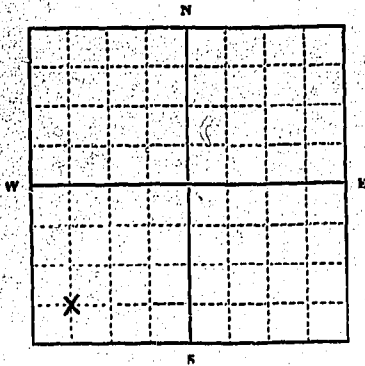
Address WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, MONT.

Contractor (if any) ---

Address of Contractor ---

Date Started --- Date Completed ---

1. Describe means of obtaining groundwater (as by sub-irrigation, developed spring, drains, etc.) FLOWING SPRING



2. Means of withdrawing water (gravity, pump, canal, etc.) GRAVITY

3. Depth of water table ---

4. Use of the water LIVE STOCK WATER

5. Amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) 5 GALLONS PER MINUTE

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 26
T. 12 N R. 5 E
S W

6. If used for irrigation, give number of acres and description of land ---

INDICATE POINT OF APPROPRIATION AND PLACE OF USE, IF POSSIBLE. Elevation of spring, if known or estimated ---

7. Estimate amount of water used each year 50,000 GALLONS

8. Months of year spring flows CONTINUOUS

Signature of Owner James M. Johnston
Walter L. Johnston

Date 6-25-73

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STATE OF MONTANA } ss.
County of Mineral

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office on the 28th day of June
1923 at 9:15 o'clock A.M.

RUTH P. BEARS

County Clerk

By [Signature]

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STATE OF MONTANA
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MONTANA WATER RESOURCES BOARD

NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER APPROPRIATION WITHOUT WELL

Developed After January 1, 1962

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961, as amended)

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For Administrator's Use

File 73617, 465

June 28, 1973

GW 1 1:35 p.m.

Owner Bessie Frances Mordan

Address White Sulphur Springs, Montana

Contractor (if any) None

Address of Contractor My husband William H. Mordan

Date Started put in the ditch in 1961 and used the water to irrigate his crop Date Completed 1961

1. Describe means of obtaining groundwater (as by sub-irrigation, developed spring, drains, etc.) Spring

2. Means of withdrawing water (gravity, pump, canal, etc.) Gravity canal

3. Depth of water table Unknown

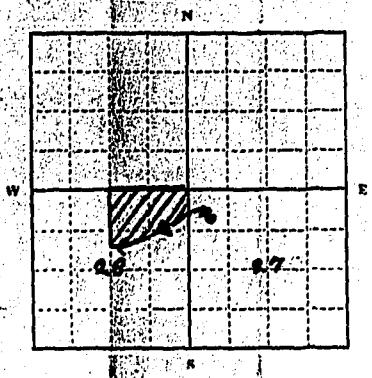
4. Use of the water Irrigation and livestock

5. Amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) 160 miner's inches or 1000 gallons per minute

6. If used for irrigation, give number of acres and description of land NE 1/4 of Section 28 T12 N, R5E

7. Estimate amount of water used each year 500 acre feet

8. Months of year spring flows 12 months



1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 28

T. 12 N R. 5 E

INDICATE POINT OF APPROPRIATION AND PLACE OF USE, IF POSSIBLE. Elevation of spring, if known or estimated 1900 feet (estimated)

Signature of Owner Bessie F. Mordan

Date June 27, 1973

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County of Meagher

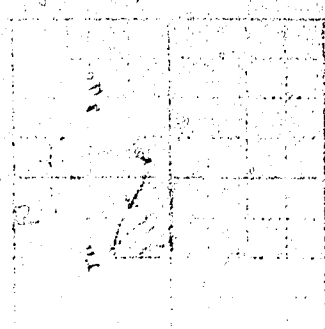
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1923 at 1:32 o'clock P.M.

RUTH P. BEARS

By Ruth P. Bears

Deputy

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Developed After January 1, 1962

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961, as amended)

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For Administrator's Use

File 73039; 425

June 28, 1973

GW 1 10-25-1973

Owner WALTER L. JOHNSTON and JAMES M. JOHNSTON

Address White Sulphur Springs, Montana

Contractor (if any) None

Address of Contractor

Date Started Date Completed

1. Describe means of obtaining groundwater (as by sub-irrigation, developed spring, drains, etc.) flowing spring

2. Means of withdrawing water (gravity, pump, canal, etc.) gravity

3. Depth of water table

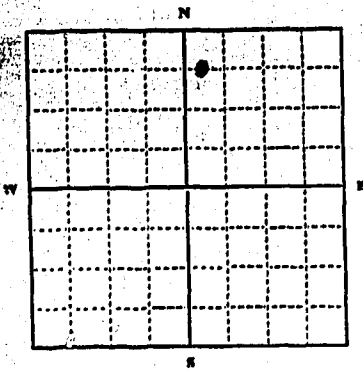
4. Use of the water Live Stock water

5. Amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) 5 gallons per minute

6. If used for irrigation, give number of acres and description of land

7. Estimate amount of water used each year 100,000 gal.

8. Months of year spring flows continuous



NW 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 31

T. 12 N R. 5 E
S W

INDICATE POINT OF APPROPRIATION AND PLACE OF USE, IF POSSIBLE.
Elevation of spring, if known or estimated

Signature of Owner James M. Johnston
Walter L. Johnston

Date 6-25-1973

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STATE OF MONTANA } ss.
County of Meagher

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1973 at 10:25 A.M.

RUTH P. BEARD

County Clerk

By *[Signature]*

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NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER APPROPRIATION WITHOUT WELL

Developed After January 1, 1962

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961, as amended)

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

For Administrator's Use	
File	<u>417</u>
	<u>June 28, 1973</u>
GW-1	<u>9:55 A.M.</u>

Owner WALTER L. JOHNSTON and JAMES M. JOHNSTON

Address White Sulphur Springs, Montana

Contractor (if any) None

Address of Contractor -----

Date Started ----- Date Completed -----

1. Describe means of obtaining groundwater (as by sub-irrigation, developed spring, drains, etc.) gravity (flowing spring)

2. Means of withdrawing water (gravity, pump, canal, etc.) gravity

3. Depth of water table -----

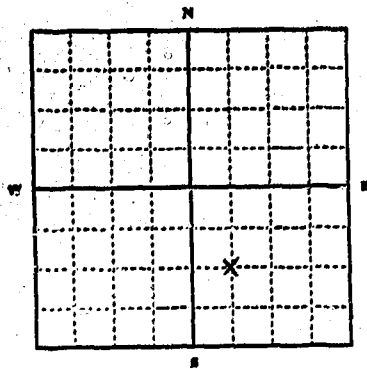
4. Use of the water live stock water

5. Amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) 15 gallons per minute

6. If used for irrigation, give number of acres and description of land -----

7. Estimate amount of water used each year 200,000

8. Months of year spring flows CONTINUOUS



SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 32

T. 12 N R. 5 E
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INDICATE POINT OF APPROPRIATION AND PLACE OF USE, IF POSSIBLE. Elevation of spring, if known or estimated

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Signature of Owner

James M. Johnston
Walter L. Johnston

Date 6-25-1973

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STATE OF MONTANA, ss.
County of Meagher.

I hereby certify that the within
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office on the 22nd day of January
1973 at 2:57 o'clock A.M.
RUTH P. BEARH

By *Josephine Johnson*
73033
County Clerk

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OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF MEAGHER COUNTY

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COUNTY OF MEAGHER

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For Administrator's Use	
File	<u>421 73037</u>
	<u>June 28, 1973</u>
GW 1	<u>10:15 A.M.</u>

Owner WALTER L. JOHNSTON AND
JAMES M. JOHNSTON
Address WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, MONT.

Contractor (if any) NONE

Address of Contractor -----

Date Started ----- Date Completed -----

1. Describe means of obtaining groundwater (as by sub-irrigation, developed spring, drains, etc.) DEVELOPED SPRING

2. Means of withdrawing water (gravity, pump, canal, etc.) GRAVITY

3. Depth of water table -----

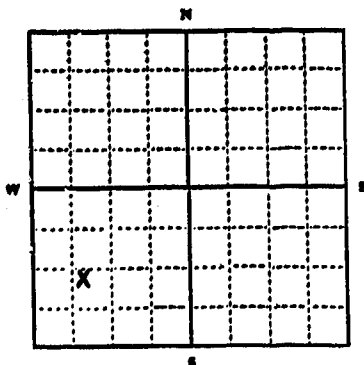
4. Use of the water LIVESTOCK WATER

5. Amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) 5 GALLONS PER MINUTE

6. If used for irrigation, give number of acres and description of land --- N/A ---

7. Estimate amount of water used each year 10,000
GALLONS

8. Months of year spring flows CONTINUOUS



SW 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 33

T. 12 N R. 5 E
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INDICATE POINT OF APPROPRIATION AND PLACE OF USE, IF POSSIBLE.
Elevation of spring, if known or estimated

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James M. Johnston
Walter L. Johnston
Signature of Owner Walter L. Johnston

Date 6-25-1973

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STATE OF MONTANA. } ss.
County of Mineral.

I hereby certify that the within
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office on the 22nd day of October
1928 at 10:15 o'clock, A. M.

RUH P. BEARS

County Clerk

By Ernest H. [Signature]

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Deputy

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File No. 160

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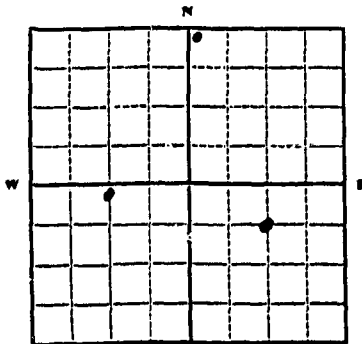
County Meagher

STATE OF MONTANA
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OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

JAN 3 1964

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

Oakley R. & Ronald L. Jackson, of Box 673, White Sulphur Springs,
(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
County of Meagher State of Montana
have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:



NE 1/4 - SE 1/4
SW 1/4 - 1/4 Sec. 36, T. 12, R. 5 E

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

- The beneficial use on which the claim is based. Stock Water
- Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been. 1900 used ever since
- The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute). 15 miner inches
- 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 used for irrigation
- The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal. Two springs on the water is at ground level
- The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater. none needed
- The depth of water table. ground level
- 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. The springs have been developed for stock water by means of a structure and water tanks
- The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year. They run year around
- The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available. None available
- 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: Ronald L. Jackson
Date: December 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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STATE OF MONTANA, } ss.

County of _____

I hereby certify that the within
Instrument was filed for record in this
office on the 30th day of Sept
1963 at 2:18 o'clock P.M.

RUTH P. BEARS

Ruth P. Bears
County Recorder
Deputy

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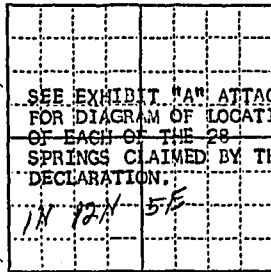
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

STATE ENGINEER

1. Walter E. Buckingham, of White Sulphur Springs
(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)

County of Meagher 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 and irrigation of haylands and pasture

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been all 28 springs have been used since before 1900 and use has been continuous since that time.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) each of the 28 springs run year-round and each flow not less than 15 gallons per minute, which is claimed.

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 Each spring irrigates adjacent pasture or grass lands as indicated on attached diagram Exhibit "A" all lands owned by appropriator.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal natural flow and natural processes from 28 springs located as indicated in Exhibit "A" attached hereto; in Sections 23, 26, 27, 29, 33, 34, & 35, T13N, R5E; Sections 25 & 30, T13N, R6E; Sections 2 & 3 T12N, R5E; and Section 1, T12N, R6E.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater not applicable

8. The depth of water table 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 flow - not applicable

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year approximately one million gallons per year for each spring or more--all are year-round flow.

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 It is the intention of appropriator to establish and claim his rights in the above designated springs for stock watering purposes on a year-round basis, and such irrigation as the springs presently provide.

Signature of Owner Walter E. Buckingham
Walter E. Buckingham
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.

Original to the County Clerk and Recorder; Duplicate to the State Engineer; Triplicate to the Montana Department of...

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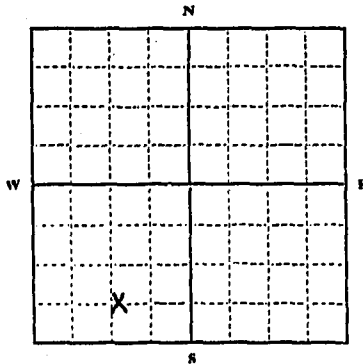
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

STATE ENGINEER

The United States of America
 1 U.S.D.A. Forest Service, of White Sulphur Springs
 (Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)

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



1/4 Sec. 16, T. 12N R. 6E

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
 Stock Watering- Jacobs Well

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

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) 1/2 miner's inches

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
 N/A

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

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

8. The depth of water table. 8 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 cistern type well 10 feet deep

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year. 70,000 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
 Lewis and Clark #129

JOHN D. HOLDEN, District Ranger
 Signature of Owner by: *[Signature]* Acting

Date December 18, 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 Meagher } ss.

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Ruth P. Bears

By *Jessie B. Knight*
County Clerk
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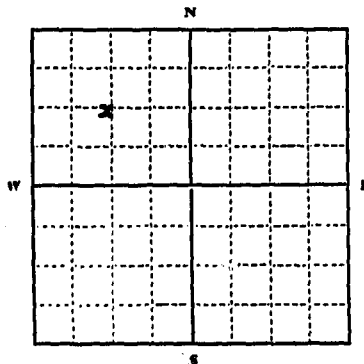
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

STATE ENGINEER

1. Walter L. Johnston of White Sulphur Springs
(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)

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



1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 20, T.12N. R.6E.
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 Domestic, and stock water and irrigation.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been 1904 and continuous use since.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) 50 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 Used to irrigate 5 acres in N. 31 NW 1/4 Sec. 20, T.12N, R.6E, Owned by Walter L. Johnston and James M. Johnston, in addition to domestic use.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal pipd from a flowing spring, and by ditches.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater Ditches since 1904, piped since 1920.

8. The depth of water table surface flow.

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 pipd in 2" pipe, carries a portion of the flow to the buildings.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year unknown, sufficient to irrigate 5 acres, Household use, water lawn and garden, stock water several locations.

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available d/n/a.

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 d/n/a.

Signature of Owner.....

Date 12/30/63

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, } ss.
County of Meagher.

I hereby certify that the within
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office on the 31st day of Dec.
1963 at 4:05 o'clock P.M.

RUTH P. BEARS

County Clerk

By [Signature]
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MONTANA BUREAU OF MINES AND GEOLOGY
Butte, Montana

WATER WELL LOG

Owner Paul and Edward Schmid Address White Sulphur Springs Mont.

Driller Albert Heck Address Harlowton Mont

Date Started Dec 23 Date Completed Dec 28

Location: Sec. 25 T. 12N R. 6E 1/4 sec. North East

Type of well drilled Equipment used Churn drill (cable tool)
(Dug, driven, bored, or drilled) (Churn drill, rotary, other)

Water use: Domestic Municipal Stock Irrigation

Industrial Drainage Other:

Casing: 1 ft. to 61 ft. Type Galve Size 6"

Casing:

Casing:

Perforated or Screened: Ft. 40 to ft. 61 Ft. to ft.

Type of screen or perforations 10 drilled 1/2 Hole

Static Water level, for non-flowing well: 40 feet.

Shut-in pressure, for flowing well: lb./sq. in. on: (date)

Pumping water level 45 feet at 10 gal. per min.

How tested: Balers

Length of test: 2 Hours

Remarks: (Gravel packing, cementing, packers, type of shut-off, depth of shut-off)
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Log of Well

Depth, feet		Description of Material Drilled
From	To	
1	25	Brown Rock and schale
25	50	Light Brown Rock and schale
50	61	Dark Black Rock

STATE OF MONTANA, I
 County of Blaine
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 H. B. ...
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MONTANA WATER RESOURCES BOARD

NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF GROUNDWATER APPROPRIATION WITHOUT WELL

Developed After January 1, 1962

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961, as amended)

This form to be prepared by contractor (if any), otherwise by the owner.
Three copies of this notice are to be filed with the County Clerk and Recorder of the county in which the works are located.

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

For Administrator's Use	
File	<u>75038</u>
	<u>June 21, 1973</u>
GW 1	<u>10:20 A.M.</u>

Owner WALTER L. JOHNSTON and JAMES M. JOHNSTON

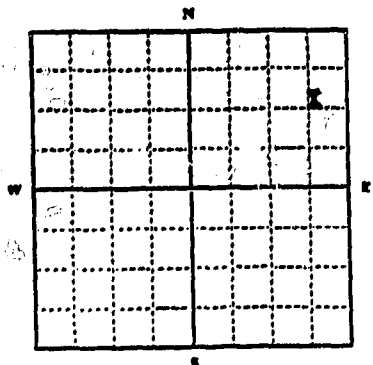
Address White Sulphur Springs, Montana

Contractor (if any) None

Address of Contractor

Date Started Date Completed

1. Describe means of obtaining groundwater (as by sub-irrigation, developed spring, drains, etc.) free flowing spring



NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 31

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INDICATE POINT OF APPROPRIATION AND PLACE OF USE, IF POSSIBLE.
Elevation of spring, if known or estimated

.....

2. Means of withdrawing water (gravity, pump, canal, etc.)

gravity

3. Depth of water table

4. Use of the water Live stock water

5. Amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) 10 gallons per minute.

6. If used for irrigation, give number of acres and description of land

7. Estimate amount of water used each year 150,000

8. Months of year spring flows continuous

Signature of Owner Walter Johnston
James M. Johnston

Date 6-25-1973

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STATE OF MONTANA, } ss.
County of Mandan

I hereby certify that the within
Instrument was filed & recorded in this
office on the 28th day of January
1973 at 10:20 A.M.

RUTH P. BEARS

County Clerk

By Joyce Miller
73038 Deputy

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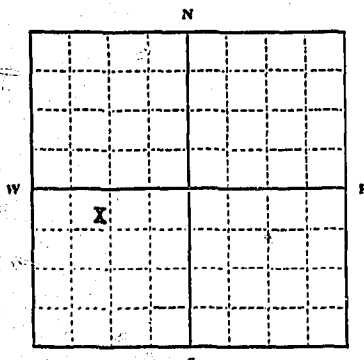
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Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

STATE ENGINEER

The United States of America
U.S.D.A. Forest Service, of White Sulphur Springs
(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
County of Meagher 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.
Recreation - Moose Creek campground

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been.
1960 continual summer use

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute).
1/4 miners inches

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.
N/A

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

1/4 Sec. 5 T. 12N R. 7E.

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

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater.
1960

8. The depth of water table.
10 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.
5 1/2 inch metal cased well, 20 feet deep

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year.
10,000 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.
Lewis and Clark # 710

JOHN D. HOLDEN, District Ranger

Signature of Owner by: [Signature]

Date December 18, 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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STATE OF MONTANA, } ss.
County of Meagher, }

I hereby certify that the within
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office on the 18th day of Dec.
1963 at 1:45 o'clock P.M.

Ruth P. Bears,

County Recorder

James G. Knight
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MONTANA BUREAU OF MINES AND GEOLOGY
Butte, Montana

STATE ENGINEER

WATER WELL LOG

T. 12 R. 7 36
County Meagher

Owner Forest Service Address White Sulphur Springs, Mont.
 Driller E. Whitaker Address Augusta, Mont.
 Date Started..... Date Completed.....
 Location: Sec. 36 T. 12 R. 7 $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. N.E.

Type of well Drilled Equipment used Spudder
(Dug, driven, bored, or drilled) (Churn drill, rotary, other)

Water use: Domestic Municipal Stock Irrigation
 Industrial Drainage Other: Camp

Casing: 0 ft. to 20 ft. Type screw Size 4 1/2 galvanized

Casing:.....ft. to.....ft. Type..... Size.....

Casing:.....ft. to.....ft. Type..... Size.....

Perforated or Screened: Ft. 10 to ft. 20 Ft. to ft.

Type of ~~screen~~ perforations slots

Static Water level, for non-flowing well: 12 feet.

Shut-in pressure, for flowing well:.....lb./sq. in. on:..... (date)

Pumping water level 10 feet at 10 gal. per min.

How tested: bailer

Length of test 1 hour

Remarks: (Gravel packing, cementing, packers, type of shut-off, depth of shut-off)

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STATE ENGINEER MONTANA BUREAU OF MINES AND GEOLOGY
Butte, Montana

WATER WELL LOG

Owner Forest Service Address White Sulphur Springs, Mont.
 Driller E. Whitaker Address Angusta, Mont.
 Date Started..... Date Completed.....
 Location: Sec. 36 T. 12 R. 7 ¼ sec. N.E.

Type of well Drilled Equipment used Spudder
(Dug, driven, bored, or drilled) (Churn drill, rotary, other)

Water use: Domestic Municipal Stock Irrigation
 Industrial Drainage Other: Camp

Casing: 4 1/2 ft. to 25 ft. Type Galv. Size 4 1/2
 Casing:..... ft. to..... ft. Type Screw Size.....
 Casing:..... ft. to..... ft. Type..... Size.....

Perforated or Screened: Ft. perforated to ft. Ft. 10 to ft. 24
 Type of screen or perforations.....

Static Water level, for non-flowing well: 8 feet.
 Shut-in pressure, for flowing well:..... lb./sq. in. on:..... (date)

Pumping water level 8 feet at 24 gal. per min.
 How tested: Bailer
 Length of test 1 hour

Remarks: (Gravel packing, cementing, packers, type of shut-off, depth of shut-off)

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Log of Well

Depth, feet		Description of Material Drilled
From	To	
0	5	Top soil and clay
5	7	Gravel and water
7	20	Clay and gravel
20	24	Coarse gravel
24	25	Kootnai Formation

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STATE OF MONTANA, }
 County of Glacier, } ss.
 I hereby certify that the within
 instrument was filed & recorded in the
 office on the 17th day of Dec
 1958 in SS 20 T10 R14 N.

Thomas R. Braddy
 COUNTY RECORDER

DISTRICT

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No. 11

January 25, 1973

Mr. Carl A. Anderson:

This is in reference to the enclosed GW-4 form, Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights, that was filed on October 10, 1972 at 10:15 a.m. (document no. 353; 72303) in the Meagher County Courthouse.

The Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights form was intended for appropriators to file on vested groundwater rights for a certain period of time only. (A "vested groundwater right" was a right to groundwater, that was put to a beneficial use prior to January 1, 1962.) That period was from January 1, 1962 to January 1, 1966. Therefore, after January 1, 1966, according to the present Groundwater Code (see enclosed copy), the GW-4 form was invalid and could not legally be used as an appropriation form.

The proper form to use for completed water wells, filed on or after January 1, 1966, is the Notice of Completion of Groundwater Appropriation By Means of Well, referred to as the GW-2 form. One set of the GW-2 form is enclosed for your own use. Please complete all blanks as accurately and completely as possible and file it in the Meagher County Courthouse.

Also enclosed is a pamphlet entitled, Appropriation and Regulation of Ground Water. The first three and one-half pages of the pamphlet should be of most interest to you. Underlined in red are specific items related to your particular case.

If we can be of further assistance, please feel free to contact us at any time.

Sincerely,

Ronald J. Guse
Groundwater Rights Coordinator
WATER RESOURCES DIVISION

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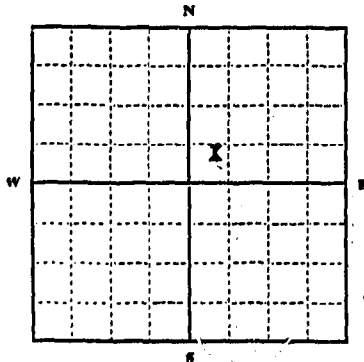
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Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

STATE ENGINEER

The United States of America
 1. U.S.D.A. Forest Service, of White Sulphur Springs
 (Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
 County of Meagher State of Montana
 have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:



1/4 Sec. 36 T. 12N R. 7E

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...
 Recreation- Jumping Creek campground

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been 1959

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

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

N/A

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

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater...
 1958

8. The depth of water table 10 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...
 1/2 inch steel cased well 20 feet deep

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

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available...
 0 - 7' top soil & clay
 7' - 16' Sandy clay
 16' - 20' sand and Gravel

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...
 Lewis and Clark #73

JOHN D. HOLDEN, DISTRICT Ranger

Signature of Owner By: [Signature] Acting

Date December 18, 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, ss.
County of Meagher.

I hereby certify that the within
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Ruth P. Beare
County Recorder

By Frank P. Knight
Deputy.

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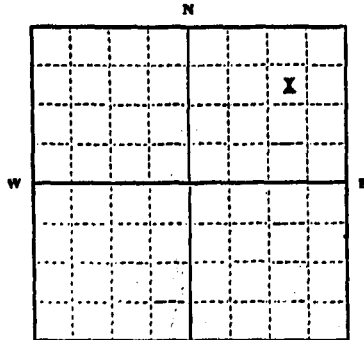
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Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

STATE ENGINEER

The United States of America
U.S.D.A. Forest Service, of White Sulphur Springs
(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
County of Meagher State of Montana
have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:



1/4 Sec. 36 T12N R. 7E

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
Recreation - Jumping Creek campground
3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been
1959
4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute)
4 miner's inches
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
N/A
6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal
by well
7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater
1958
8. The depth of water table
10 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
4 1/2 inch steel cased well 25 feet deep
10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year
10,000 gallons
11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available
0 - 5' top soil and clay
5' - 7' gravel and water
7' - 20' Clay and Gravel
20' - 24' coarse gravel
24' - 25' Kootenai Formation
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
Lewis and Clark #72

JOHN D. HOLDEN, District Ranger
Signature of Owner: *[Signature]*
Date December 18, 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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STATE OF MONTANA, } ss.
County of Meagher

I hereby certify that the within
instrument was filed & recorded in this
office on the 18th day of Dec.
1963 at 1:35 o'clock P.M.

Ruth P. Bears

County Clerk

By Jack A. Knight
Deputy

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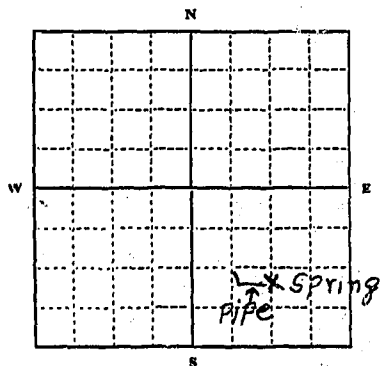
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

STATE ENGINEER

WE, Fred B. Lind and James A. Lind, of White Sulphur Springs,
(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)

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



SW 1/4 Sec. 12, T. 11 R. 2

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.....
household and domestic use.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been.....
in use before 1900 and continuous since.

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

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.....
used to irrigate approximately 1 acre of yard and garden in SW 1/4 of Section 12, Township 11 North, Range 2 East, held in names of appropriators.

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

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater.....
completed about 1900.

8. The depth of water table.....
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.....
spring dug out and boxed in 3 feet by 3 feet by 4 feet deep and piped to trough and place of use.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year.....
10 miner's inches continuous.

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.....
This water is used for household and domestic uses only. is not on any county records.

Signature of Owner James A Lind
Fred B Lind

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.

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, } ss.
County of Meagher.

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 31st day of Dec. 1963 at 2:15 o'clock P. M.

RUTH P. BEARS

By

James G. Knight
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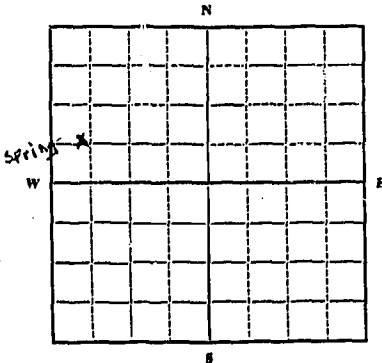
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

STATE ENGINEER

I, Lydia B. Lind, of White Sulphur Springs,
(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)

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



S1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 12 T. 11 R. 2

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.....
irrigation and livestock water.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how con-
tinuous the use has been.....1900 and continuous since.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons
per minute).....50 miner's inches.

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
approximately 15 acres of the S1/4 NW 1/4 of
Section 12, Township 11 North, Range 2
East, held in name of appropriator.

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

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for with-
drawal of groundwater.....a ditch completed in 1900 to carry water to place
of use.

8. The depth of water table.....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.....a ditch 20" wide by 14" deep used to
carry water to place of use.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year.....50 miner's inches continuous.

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.....

Signature of Owner Lydia B. Lind

Date December 31st, 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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STATE OF MONTANA } ss.
County of

I hereby certify that the within
Instrument was filed for record in this
office on the 31st day of Dec.
1963 at 2:35 o'clock P.M.

RUTH P. BEARS

County Recorder

By Jean G. Knight
DEPUTY.

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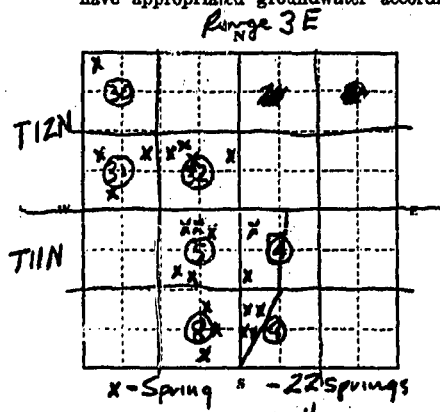
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STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

1. Walter E. Buckingham of White Sulphur Springs
(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
County of Meagher State of Montana
have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:



1/4 Sec. T11N R 3E
Indicate point of appropriation and place of use, if possible. Each small square represents 10 acres.

- The beneficial use on which the claim is based stockwater and irrigation of haylands and pasture
- Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been used since before 1900 and continuous since
- The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) each of the 22 springs run year-round, and flow not less than 15 gallons per minute
- If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof Each spring irrigates adjacent pasture or grass lands as indicated on diagram--several acres adjacent; all lands owned by appropriator.
- The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal natural process and natural flow from 22 springs located in Sections 30, 31 & 32 Twp 12 N., & Sections 4, 5, 8 & 9 Twp 11 N. all R3E.
- The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater not applicable
- The depth of water table surface.
- 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 flow - not applicable.
- The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year approx. one million gallons per each spring or more--all are year-round flow.
- The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available not applicable.
- 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 It is the intention of appropriator to establish and claim his rights in the above designated springs for stock watering purposes on a year-round basis, and such irrigation as the springs presently provide.

Signature of Owner Walter E. Buckingham
Walter E. Buckingham
Date December 31st, 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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STATE OF MONTANA } ss.
County of Garfield

I hereby certify that the within
Instrument was filed for record in this
office on the 21st day of Dec.
1963 at 4:35 o'clock P.M.

RUTH P. BEARS

By [Signature] COUNTY RECORDER
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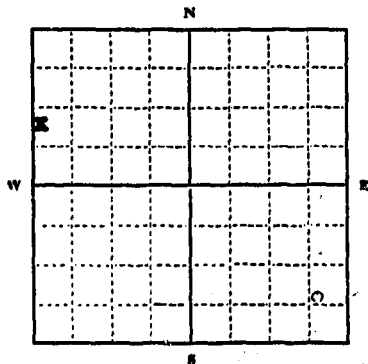
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STATE ENGINEER

1. Northern Pacific Railway Company, of St. Paul (Address) St. Paul (Town)
(Name of Appropriator)

County of Ramsey State of Minnesota
have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:



SW 1/4 Sec. 5 T. 10 N. R. 3 E.

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 stock-water

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been 1920; continuous (all year)

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) two (2) 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 spring

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater 1920 (developed spring)

8. The depth of water table 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 developed spring

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year two gallons per minute

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

Northern Pacific Rwy. Co.

Signature of Owner

By: [Signature]

Date November 18, 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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STATE OF MONTANA, } ss.
County of Missoula
I hereby certify that the within
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office on the 20th day of Nov.
1963 at 3:00 o'clock P.M.
Ruth P. Bears
County Recorder
Frank G. Knight
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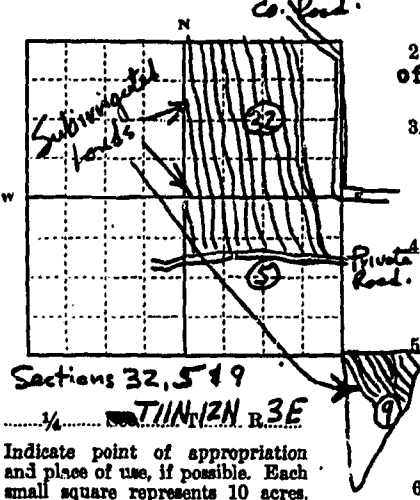
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Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

STATE ENGINEER

1. Walter E. Buckingham, of White Sulphur Springs,
(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
County of Meagher 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 subirrigation of haylands and stockwater use.
3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been before 1900 and continuously since that time.

The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) sufficient to raise 1 1/2 tons of hay to the acre each season.

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 Approx 740 acres in Sections 32, Twp 12 North, and Sections 5 & 9, Twp 11 North, all in Range 3 East, as indicated on diagram, owned by appropriator.
6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal by natural processes throughout area of use.

- 7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater no improvements whatsoever.
- 8. The depth of water table surface to 3 feet- sufficient to sub-irrigate area described
- 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 not applicable
- 10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year 1500 acre feet - sufficient to raise 1 1/2 tons of hay to the acre on 740 acres.
- 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.

Signature of Owner Walter E. Buckingham
Walter E. Buckingham
Date December 31st, 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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STATE OF MONTANA. } ss.
County of Meagher.
I hereby certify that the within
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office on the 31st day of Dec.
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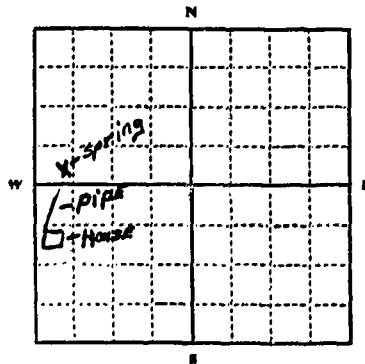
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Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

STATE ENGINEER

1. Lydia R. Lind, of White Sulphur Springs,
(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
County of Meagher, State of Montana,
have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:



SW 1/4 S. 6. T. 11 R. 3.

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 household and domestic use.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been 1932 and continuous since.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute) 5 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 spring natural flow and piped to place of use.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater completed in 1936.

8. The depth of water table 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 spring dug out and boxed in, 3 feet by 3 feet by 4 feet deep, and piped to house and place of use.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year 200,000 gal.

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 This water is used for household purposes - is not on any county records.

Signature of Owner Lydia R. Lind

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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