OFFICE OF COUNTY, CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office, on the 31st day of June, A.D. 1965, at 8:37 A.M.

[Signature]
County Clerk and Recorder

[Signature]
Deputy
### Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

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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 & Geology, and Quadruplicate for the Appropriator.
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODES
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

STATE ENGINEER

1. Math D. Widhalm, of Valier
   (Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
   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: Personal
      Stock, garden

   3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: 1910
      Continuous

   4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 30 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 under 5 Acres

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

   7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: 1910

   8. The depth of water table: 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: 60 casing
      20. depth

   10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 250,000

   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: Not available

   Signature of Owner: Math D. Widhalm
   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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COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA
I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office, on the
27 day of December
A.D. 1969, 10:00 A.M.

Lavoyal Brandy
County Clerk and Recorder

Feb 8, 1970
# Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

**George A. Widhelm**, of **Valier**, **Pondera** County, **Mont.**, have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

1. **Address**: **Valier**

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based:
   - **Human Consumption**
   - **Irrigation**

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: **1948**

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): **40 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: **ONLY**

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

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: **1948**

8. The depth of water table: **55 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:
   - **91 feet deep**
   - **1½" steel pipe**

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: **720,000**

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: **None**

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**Signature of Owner**: **George A. Widhelm**

**Date**: **10-06-63**

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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.
I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office, on the

__ day of ___________,

A.D. 19__ __:__ __:__ A.M.

________________________________________
County Clerk and Recorder
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

Donald E. Hancock

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

County of Pondera, 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: Livestock

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use, and how continuous the use has been: 1942 – not continuous

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: Pump and pipe

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: 1942

8. The depth of water table: 50 feet

9. So far as it may be available, the type, size and depth of each well of the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater: Well is 50 feet deep lined with 4 inch casing

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 2,000,000 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

Date: December 31, 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.
OFFICE OF
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office, on the 31st day of December, A.D. 1950, at 10:00 A.M.

[Signature]
County Clerk and Recorder

Deputy

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

1. ROY C. CLARK, of Box 22, Valley, Montana
   (Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)

   County of Bondara
   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: Well has been used for household use and livestock for many years.

   3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: Approximate date of earliest beneficial use - 1920; has been used continuously ever since.

   4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 20 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: Withdrawn by power pump.
   Well located as shown above.

   7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: Constructed and completed in 1920.

   8. The depth of water table: 120 feet below 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: Depth = 125 feet; 6 inches in diameter; steel casing placed in ground.

   10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: Three Hundred Thousand Gallons per year.

   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: No further information is available.

   Signature of Owner: Roy C. Clark
   Date: December 13, 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.
OFFICE OF
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office, on the
13th day of Dec.,
A.D. 1923, at 3:00 P.M.

[Signature]
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER

[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)

Kathleen D. Boeck, 60th House Lounge & Cafe, Valier, (Name of Appropriator)
County of
State of
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:

2. The beneficial use on which the claim is based. [Use of water for human consumption and irrigation]

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use, and how continuous the use has been: [July 15, 1950, and has had almost continuous use daily.]

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): [30 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: [July 15, 1950.]

8. The depth of water table: [100 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.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: [200,000 Gals.]

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: [Log 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: [Signature]
Date: [Dec. 21, 1950.]

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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OFFICE OF
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office, on the
31st day of December
A. D. 1963 at 3:45 P.M.

[Signature]
County Clerk and Recorder
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. George Dowe Hancock of Hancock Valior, Pondera, Montana, County of Pondera, 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: Livestock and domestic.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: 1903.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 10 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: Jet pump and 2 pipes, one 14 inch and one 14 inch.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: 1908.

8. The depth of water table: 50 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: Well 1 is 95 feet deep, lined with 6 inch casing.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 1,500,000 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:

Signature of Owner: George Dowe Hancock
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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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)

Town of Valier
(Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
County of Pondera 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
2. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been
3. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute)
4. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the lands to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof
5. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal
6. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater
7. The depth of water table
8. The type, size and depth of each well or the general specifications of any other works for the withdrawal of groundwater
9. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year
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11. 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

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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OFFICE OF COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office, on the 

[Signature]

A.D. 1963 at 10:38 A.M.

[Signature]

Deputy

Fee:

$2.00
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF State ENGINEER

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

Town of Valier
(Address) (Town)
County of Pondera 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: Municipal Use

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: 1960 Not in use

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 20 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:

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: None at present

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: Well was drilled in 1962, tested and capped. Future use

8. The depth of water table: 65 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:

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: None

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: On file with State Board of Health

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:

Town of Valier, Montana
Signature of Owner
Registration:
Date: Dec. 11, 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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C0UN1Y CLERK
AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA
I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office, on the
20 day of Dec.
11 0. 1963 at 10:42 A.M.

Sheriff John H. 
County Clerk & Recorder

Dee M. Smith
Official Deputy
Jan. 3, 1964

No. 175 4/21
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

Town of Valier
(Name of Appropriator)
County of Pondera
State of Montana
(Town)

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:
   Municipal Use

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been:
   1915
   Used Continuously

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute):
   25 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:

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

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:
   50 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:
   90 Feet Deep 6" G. Dr. Casing

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:
    12 Million Gals.

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:
    On File with State Board of Health

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:

Town of Valier, Montana
Signature of Owner
Date Dec. 11, 1963

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

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COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA

hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office, on the
20 day of Dec.
A.D. 1963, at 10:45 A.M.

Lawrence Longley
County Clerk of Recorders

Deputy

Fee $200
STATE OF MONTANA

ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE

OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. The Town of Valier
   (Name of Appropriator)
   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:
   Municipal Use
   ________

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

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

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

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.
   ________ Feet
   50 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.
   ________
   80 Feet Deep, 6 1/2 In. D. Oiling

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year.
    ________ Million Gals.
    1/2 Million Gals.

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well, if available.
    ________
    On File with State Board of Health

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.

   ________

   Town of Valier, Montana
   Signature of Owner
   _______________ Clerk
   Date ____________ 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.
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER

COUNTY OF PONCA, MONTANA

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the

[Signature]

County Clerk, Recorder

[Date]
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:

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

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Signature of Owner

Date

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OFFICE OF NO. 195593
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA
I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 31st day of __________., 19___ A.D. at __________ P.M.

Certifying County Clerk and Recorder

Deputy

Fee $2.00
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Harry VanDenBoB
   (Name of Appropriator)

   of
   (Address)

   in
   (Town)

   County of Pondera

   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 and stock

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

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

   hand pump with motor attached

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: 70 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:

   hand pump, 6 in. casing, 30 feet deep

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 250,000 gallons a year

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:

   Book of Deeds, Pondera County, Montana

   Deed in the name of Elizabeth VanDenBoB

Signature of Owner: Harry VanDenBoB
Date: Dec 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.

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.
I certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office, on the 27th day of Dec., 1963, at 55 P.M.

JUNE KAMPHUYS
Deputy

No. 195503
CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF FLAVIA, MONTANA

DEPUTY
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

1. Alphonse Dunn, of Valier, State of Montana, 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: household/livestock.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuously the use has been used: 1/1/10 has been used continuously since that date.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 5.0 gallons 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: Not Applicable.

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal: Located as shown above. Well.

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: 1910.

8. The depth of water table: 5 ft. below 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: 65 ft. deep; steel casing which is... 6 inches in diameter.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: Two Hundred Thousand 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: No other information available.

Signature of Owner Alphonse Dunn
Date December 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 Appropriator.
OFFICE OF
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office, on the
26th day of A.D. 1953, at 4:10 P.M.

[Signature]
County Clerk and Recorder

[Signature]
Deputy

$2.50
1. Henry W. J. Her. and Co. of Valier, Mont.
   (Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)

   County of Toole, 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:
   Irrigation

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been:
   1925 - steady

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

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:
   17.25

8. The depth of water table:
   27'

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:
   40' DEEP

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:
    648,000

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:

   Signature of Owner: ________________________________
   Date: 11-4-63

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.

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.
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA
I hereby certify that the within instrument
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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. Herman Halverson
(Name of Appropriator)

Route 3, Yaller, Montana
(Address)

Pondera
(Town)

County of

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, water for livestock household use, irrigation.

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been. (1) November 1949, in use at all times.
(2) May 1956, in use at all times.

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

   (2) Two acres-NW 1/4, NE 1/4, Sec. 1, Twp. 30 Rg 4 N

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

   (1) Electrical Jet pump
   (2) Electrical submersible pump

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater.
   (1) November 1949
   (2) May 1956

8. The depth of water table. (1) 20 foot
(2) 70 foot

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) Cable drill, 60 foot, 6 in. casing, 6 foot deep pit, beside the barn.
   (2) 135 foot deep, 6 in. casing to 70 foot deep, 132 feet of casing 4 in., in pit located by house.

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year. 765,200 gallons
(both wells)

11. The log of formations encoutered 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.

   Have none.

Signature of Owner

Date: 26 Dec. 1963

Three copies to be filled 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.
OFFICE OF
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the 

A. D. 1963 at 11:45 A.M.

Laurel Kangburg
Sec. Recorder

Fee $2.00
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

1. Lone Tree School, District No. 7 of Route 3, Valier
   (Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
   County of Ponderas 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—water used for drinking and rest rooms.

   3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been—September 1957.

   4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner’s inches or gallons per minute) 15,000 gallons per year.

   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—None.

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

   7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater—June, 1957.

   8. The depth of water table—50 foot.

   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—70 feet, 6 in. casing, 150 feet 6 in. casing well 115 feet deep, located in pit near schoolhouse.

   10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year—15,000 gallons per year.

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

   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: Dec. 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.

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

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OFFICE OF
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the
26th day of December, 19__

[Signature]
County Clerk and Recorder

[Signature]
Deputy
## Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. **Lone Tree School Dist #7**, of Route 3, **Valier**, (Town)  
   County of **Pondera**, State of **Montana**

   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 is: **Drinking** and **Rest Rooms**

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: **September 1957** — Continuous.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): **250,000 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:
   - **None**

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

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: **June 1957**

8. The depth of water table: **50 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:
   - **Cased well** — **125-foot deep**

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: **250,000 gallons**

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available: **NONE**

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**

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**Lone Tree School Dist #7**  
**By:** P. A. (Trustees)  
**Date:** 12/31/63

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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Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Name of Appropriator: Garrison Brandon
   Address: 123 Main St., Bismarck, ND
   County of: Pembina
   State of: Montana

   The owner has 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: Farm
   and Stock Water

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

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

   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: 10 acres

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

   7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater: Sept. 1, 1960

   8. The depth of water table: 65 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: Hard Rock Well is 150 feet deep

   10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year: 1000 gallons per minute

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

   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: Garrison Brandon
   Date: 12-31-63

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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OFFICE OF
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA
I hereby certify that the within Instrument was filed for record in this office, on the
31 day of Dec.
A. D. 1968, 11:42 A.M.

James Kinghurst
County Clerk and Recorder
Deputy
Feb 82
**Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights**

(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

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County of Pondera

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: Groundwater and Irrigation

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: 7-25-57

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 2 gallon per minute flow

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 each 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: Completed 1/27/57

8. The depth of water table: 175'1

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: 5000 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: [Signature]

Date: 1-21-57

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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OFFICE OF
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA
I hereby certify that the within instrument
was filed for record in this office, on the
31 day of April,
A.D. 1983, at 11:45 A.M.

Lois A. Krell
County Clerk and Recorder
Deputy

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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. Lloyd Campbell, of (Name of Appropriator), (Address), (Town),
   County of (Address), 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:
   House hold
   (Specify:
   (Note: The space provides categories for various uses such as house hold, farm, etc.)

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been:
   1915
   (Note: The space allows for specifying the date and indicating if the use has been continuous or not.)

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute):
   100
   (Note: The space allows for specifying the amount claimed in a measurable unit.)

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 used for Irrigation
   (Note: The space allows for providing details about the land and irrigation use.)

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal:
   Pump
   (Note: The space allows for describing the method of withdrawal and location.)

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:
   1915
   (Note: The space allows for specifying the dates of construction and completion.)

8. The depth of water table:
   120 ft
   (Note: The space allows for providing the depth of the 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:
   Drilled
   130 ft
   (Note: The space allows for specifying the type, size, and depth of the well or other works.)

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:
    (Note: The space allows for estimating the amount withdrawn yearly.)

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:
    Sand & Clay
    100 ft
    (Note: The space allows for providing a log if available, including types of formations and their depths.)

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:
    (Note: The space allows for providing other useful information.)

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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OFFICE OF
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office, on the 30th day of December, A.D. 1963, at 1:30 P.M.

L. K. Kingebury
County Clerk and Recorder

Deputy

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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. Haiti [State or Appropriator] of Volier [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

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, 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: [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.

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OFFICE OF COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA
I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office, on the 26 day of Dec., A. D. 1963, at 2:10 P.M.

Louis Kangley
County Clerk and Recorder

Deputy

[Signature]
Notice of Completion of Groundwater Appropriation by Means of Well
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

Owner: Daniel Algra
Address: 236 Fortune Avenue
City: Great Falls
County: Cascade
State: Montana

Driller: Water Well Service
Address: 236 Fortune Avenue
City: Great Falls
County: Cascade
State: Montana

Date of Notice of Appropriation of Groundwater: August 14, 1965
Date completed: August 16, 1965

Type of well: Drilled
Equipment Used: Churn, drill, rotary or other

Water Use: Domestic [] Municipal [] Other [x] Irrigation [] Industrial [] Drainage [] Stock []

Indicate on the diagram the character and thickness of the different strata met with in drilling, such as soil, clay, shale, gravel, rock or sand, etc. Show depth at which water is encountered, thickness and character of water-bearing strata and height to which water rises in the well.

State Water Level for non-flowing well: 50 feet.
Shut-in Pressure for flowing well:
Pumping Water Level: 50 feet at 1.6 gal. per minute.
Discharge in gal. per min. of flowing well:
How Tested: Shut-in. Length of Test: 20 minutes.
Remarks: (Gravel packing, cementing, packers, type of shutoff, location of place of use of groundwater if not at well, and any other similar pertinent information, including number of acres irrigated, if used for irrigation)

Indicate location of well and place of use, if possible. Each small square represents 10 acres.

Show exact depth of bottom.

Driller's License Number: [signature]
Driller's Signature: [signature]

This form to be prepared by driller, and three copies to be filed by the owner with the County Clerk and Recorder in 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.
NO 201209

OFFICE OF
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office, on the 6 day of Nov.,
A.D. 1966, at 10:25 A.M.

[Signature]
Deputy

[Signature]
Deputy
Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 237, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Lawrence & Ronald G. Nelson, of Vetter
   (Name of Appropriator) (Address) (Town)
   County of Pondera, 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
   Not in use at present time

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been: 1912 to 1935 for stock water

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute): 3 gal 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
   non-irrigation

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: 1912

8. The depth of water table: 54 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: 60 ft.

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:

Signature of Gene Nelson
Date: Dec 30, 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.

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COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA

I hereby certify that the within Instrument
was filed for record in this office, on the
30 day of
Nov.
A. D. 1955
9:05 P.M.

[Signatures]
Deputy

Fee: $2.00
### Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights

**Lawrence & Ronald G. Nelson**

*Appropriator*

**Valier**

*Address*

**Fentress**

*Town*

**Montana**

*State*

**Decl. No. 1953**

*Claim Number*

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1. **County of**
   
2. **Stock Water**
   
3. **Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been since that date.**
   
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. **Non-Irrigation use**

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

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.**

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**Signature of Owner**

_Lawrence Nelson_  

*Signature*

**Date**

_Dec. 30, 1963_

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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.
OFFICE OF
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA

I hereby certify that the within instrument
was filed for record in this office, on the

20 A.D. 65
3:00 P.M.

signature

Dee N. Quandt

Feb 82, 65
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

Lawrence & Ronald G. Nelson, of Pondera, State of Montana
have appropriated groundwater according to the Montana laws in effect prior to January 1, 1962, as follows:

1. Lawrence & Ronald G. Nelson

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

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

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner's inches or gallons per minute). 5 gal. 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. None

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

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater. 1912

8. The depth of water table. 81 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. 78 feet

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. 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: Lawrence Nelson
Date: Dec. 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.

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.
OFFICE OF COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office on the
day of
A. D. 19

[Signature]

[Title]

[Notary Public]
STATE OF MONTANA

ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

Declaration of Vested Groundwater Rights
(Under Chapter 217, Montana Session Laws, 1961)

1. Frank and Vendetta Hughes
   (Name of Appropriator)
   of
   (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
   #1 - Stock well
   #2 - Stock well

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been
   #1 - 1918
   #2 - 1960-October

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

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
   #1 - No irrigation
   #2 - No irrigation

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal
   #1 - No pump
   #2 - Hand pump

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater
   #1 - 1918
   #2 - October 1960

8. The depth of water table
   #1 - 30 feet
   #2 - 50 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 - No pump 60 feet
   #2 - Drilled well 6 5/8 casing 60 feet

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year
    #1 - 500,000 gallons
    #2 - 50,000 gallons

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available
    #1 - Unknown
    #2 - 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
    No records

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.

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

File No. 

DUPLICATE
OFFICE OF
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONTEA, MONTANA

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office, on the
31st day of December, A.D. 1963, at 4:45 P.M.

[Signature]
Deputy

Fee $2.00
STATE OF MONTANA
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

Frank and Vendetta Hughes
(Address)
County of Pondera 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:
   #1 Human, Stock and Irrigation
   #2 Stock

3. Date or approximate date of earliest beneficial use; and how continuous the use has been:
   #1 June 1951—has been in continuous use ever since.
   #2—1934 has been in continuous use ever since.

4. The amount of groundwater claimed (in miner’s inches or gallons per minute):
   #1—Unknown
   #2—Unknown

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage or description of the land to which water has been applied and name of the owner thereof:
   #1—No Irrigation
   #2—Frank and Vendetta Hughes

6. The means of withdrawing such water from the ground and the location of each well or other means of withdrawal:
   #1—Submersible Pump Electric
   #2—Electric jet pump

7. The date of commencement and completion of the construction of the well, wells, or other works for withdrawal of groundwater:
   #1—About 1948
   #2—About 1954

8. The depth of water table:
   #1—About 100 feet
   #2—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:
   #1—Drilled 6 1/4 inch casing 150 feet deep
   #2—Drilled 10 inch casing 60 feet

10. The estimated amount of groundwater withdrawn each year:
    #1—900,000 gallons
    #2—850,000 gallons

11. The log of formations encountered in the drilling of each well if available:
    #1—Unknown
    #2—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:
    No records

Signature of Owner: Vendetta Hughes
Date: 12-30-66

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
ADMINISTRATOR OF GROUNDWATER CODE
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER

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

Albert J. Sergenthenia, of Monticello, Montana
(Town)

County of Montana, 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), all that can be pumped:

5. If used for irrigation, give the acreage and description of the land:

6. 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:

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.
COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER
COUNTY OF PONDERA, MONTANA
I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed for record in this office, on the 27 day of December, A.D. 1943 at 12:05 P.M.

County Clerk and Recorder

Deputy