

NOTICE OF RECEIPT WATER RIGHT APPLICATION

(Pursuant to Section § 85-2-307(1), MCA)

Summarized below are the application details as described in an Application for a Permit received by the Department of Natural Resources & Conservation on JUNE 9, 2026. This notice reflects the application details only as originally submitted. The notice does not reflect changes to the application details made during the review process.

Application Number: 42M 30174134

Owners: LESLEY J GIBBS
732 ROAD 130
FALLON, MT 59326-7015

RODERICK D GIBBS
732 ROAD 130
FALLON, MT 59326-7015

Priority Date: JUNE 9, 2026 at 10:00 A.M.

Maximum Flow Rate: 2,450.00 GPM

Maximum Volume: 587.60 AC-FT

Maximum Acres: 250.00

Source Name: YELLOWSTONE RIVER

Source Type: SURFACE WATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

<u>ID</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>QtrSec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1		NENENW	25	14N	54E	DAWSON

Period of Diversion: APRIL 15 TO OCTOBER 31

Diversion Means: PUMP

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION

Irrigation Type: SPRINKLER

Climatic Area: 1 - HIGH

Volume: 587.60 AC-FT

Place of Use:

<u>ID</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Govt Lot</u>	<u>QtrSec</u>	<u>Sec</u>	<u>Twp</u>	<u>Rge</u>	<u>County</u>
1	145.00		NW	36	14N	54E	DAWSON
2	5.00		W2W2NE	36	14N	54E	DAWSON
3	9.00		E2SENE	25	14N	54E	DAWSON
4	4.00	3	E2NENW	25	14N	54E	DAWSON
5	14.00	2	S2NWNE	25	14N	54E	DAWSON
6	6.00		N2SWNE	25	14N	54E	DAWSON
7	22.00		SESE	26	14N	54E	DAWSON
8	32.00		SWSW	25	14N	54E	DAWSON
9	13.00		NWSW	25	14N	54E	DAWSON
Total:	250.00						

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

In general, the Department will make a draft preliminary determination to grant or deny this application within 60 or 120 days of the date the application is deemed and correct and complete (60 days if a preapplication meeting was held, 120 days if a preapplication meeting was not held). That date is currently unknown as the application has not yet been determined to be correct and complete. If the draft preliminary determination is to grant the application, the application will be published in the local newspaper and a notice will be sent to appropriators who, according to the department records, may be affected by the proposed appropriation. Individuals will have 30 days to submit a public comment about this application under §85-2-307, MCA, after the application has been published in the newspaper. If public comments are received, the Department will consider the public comments and update the preliminary determination. If the preliminary determination is to grant the application, the application will again be published in a local newspaper and a notice will be sent to anyone who submitted a public comment, along with appropriators who, according to the department records may be affected by the proposed appropriation. Individuals will have 30 days to submit an objection under §85-2-308, MCA, after the application has been published in the newspaper.

Direct questions regarding this application to the Water Resources Regional Office, 222 SIXTH STREET SOUTH, PO BOX 1269, GLASGOW, MT 59230-1269 PHONE: 406-228-2561.