

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 Provisional Permit received by the Department of Natural Resources & Conservation on JANUARY 2, 2025. 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: 76LJ 30163639

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Priority Date: JANUARY 2, 2025 at 11:21 A.M.

Purpose (Use): IRRIGATION
WETLAND

Maximum Flow Rate: 250.00 GPM

Maximum Volume: 1.26 AC-FT

Source Name: STILLWATER 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		SESENE	36	31N	23W	FLATHEAD	
Period of Diversion:		MARCH 1 TO JULY 31			Flow Rate: 250.00 GPM		
		OCTOBER 15 TO OCTOBER 31			Flow Rate: 250.00 GPM		
Diversion Means:		PUMP					
Purpose (Use):		IRRIGATION		Purpose Clarification: IRRIGATION WILL OCCUR FROM POND FILLED FROM THE STILLWATER RIVER DURING THE PERIODS OF DIVERSION			
Irrigation Type:		SPRINKLER					
Climatic Area:		3 - MODERATE					
Volume:		1.26 AC-FT					
Period of Use:		APRIL 15 to OCTOBER 15					
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	0.55		SENE	36	31N	23W	FLATHEAD
Total:		0.55					
Purpose (Use):		WETLAND					
Period of Use:		OCTOBER 15 to OCTOBER 31					
Period of Use:		MARCH 1 to JULY 31					
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>
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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, 655 TIMBERWOLF PARKWAY, SUITE 4, KALISPELL, MT 59901-2387 PHONE: 406-752-2288 FAX: 406-752-2843.