

APR 24 2006
DEPARTMENT OF
WATER RESOURCES

(Insert water right number)

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D. I object to the following elements as recommended in the Director's Report. (Please check the appropriate box(es)).

1. ☐ **Name and Address**
Should be: _____
2. ☐ **Source**
Should be: _____
3. ☐ **Quantity**
Should be: _____
4. ☒ **Priority Date**
Should be: 10/11/1893
5. ☒ **Point of Diversion**
Should be: T13N R40E S10 NWNESE
6. ☐ **Instream Flow Beginning and Ending Point**
Should be: _____
7. ☐ **Purpose(s) of Use**
Should be: _____
8. ☐ **Period of Year**
Should be: _____
9. ☒ **Place of Use**
Should be: As recommended except S12 SWNW & S15 SE NE
TOTAL Acreage - 668.9. CHANGE TEXT ALSO.
10. ☐ **I object because:**
 - ☐ This water right Should not exist.
 - ☐ This water right was not recommended, but Should be recommended with the elements described above.

E. REASONS SUPPORTING OBJECTIONS(S): See ATTACHED SHEET

OBJECTIONS

BASIN 21

Hagenbarth

21-4170

PRIORITY DATE

Claimed: 11/10/1893

Preliminary Recommendation: 4/15/1911

Recommended: 6/02/1906

I have submitted proof that this water was beneficially used at and before the claimed priority date. (See letter and proof sent to Allen Ruberry on 9/29/2004.) This water flows from a small spring and is a tributary to a sink. The flows of this spring never reach Sheridan Creek. The adjudication agent contends that these flows are tributary to Sheridan Creek and are included in the respective decrees. These flows could not have been included in the decrees on Sheridan Creek because they are not tributary to Sheridan. The priority date of **11/10/1893** is the date this water is being claimed and I object to the recommended priority date because this water use lies outside any previous decree and proof has been presented that it has been put to beneficial use since the claimed date and has been used continuously.

POINT OF DIVERSION

The preliminary recommendation used a POD (NESESW) that was not even located near the claimed water source. On the notice of error I identified the POD (NWNESE) as claimed in the amended filing and what I believe is the correct location based on fifty years of familiarity with the area and repeated cartographic examination. The recommended claim has two PODs with a description of T13N R40E S10 NESESW and the NENESE. The NENESE is very close to the POD, but I contend the actual location is in **T13N R40E S10 NWNESE** and that there is only one POD.

PLACE OF USE

In this area we use one irrigation system to pool several water sources together for more practical use. I originally filed separate places of use for each source. The adjudication agent chose to use a combined place of use for these rights in the preliminary recommendation, but the correct acreage based on all the rights was not properly calculated and the attached map was in error. In the notice of errors I accepted the combined place of use method and provided what I felt was the proper acreage. The adjudication agent used a map depicting the acreage I described and came up with a new combined place of use and total acreage figure. The adjudication agent did an excellent job and caught several errors I had made. The agent included two parcels of state land that are not claimed in this filing and should be excluded. Their description and acreage is as follows: T13 R40E S12 SWNW .20 acres and S15 SENE .10 acres. This land should be excluded from the place of use and this will change the total acres from 669.2 to **668.9**.

All the other descriptions are correct. The total acreage should also be changed in the text following the place of use descriptions that places limitations on the use of this water right. The map included in the notice of errors needs to include the POD in the NWNESE of S10 T13N R40E. If the map includes a diversion in the NENESE, it needs to be deleted. The POD described by the NESESW can remain identified on the combined map for it is identical to the POD for right 21-4175.

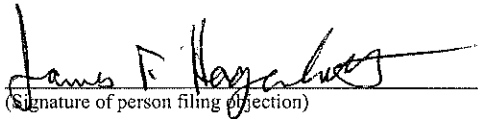
F.

VERIFICATION (must be completed)

State of Montana)
)ss.
County of Beaverhead)

James F. Hagenbarth, duly sworn, upon oath, deposes and says:
(Name of person filing objection)

That I am the party/claimant filing this objection, as defined by I.C. §§ 42-1401A(1) and (6) or that I am the attorney for the party/claimant objecting and that I have read this objection, know its contents and believe that the statements are true to the best of my knowledge.


(Signature of person filing objection)

(Attorney signing in representative capacity)

Subscribed and sworn to before me on: February 20, 2006



Shadra D. Guindon
Notary Public for State of Montana
Residing at: Dillon, Montana
My Commission Expires: April 22, 2007

INSTRUCTIONS FOR MAILING

You must mail the objection, to the Clerk of the court. **FAX filings will not be accepted.** You must also send a copy to all the parties listed below in the Certificate of Mailing.

G. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I certify that on April 20, 2006, I mailed the original and copies of this objection, including all attachments, to the following persons:

1. Original to:

Clerk of the District court
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2. One copy to the claimant of the water right at the following address:

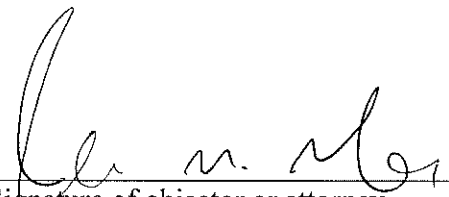
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mailing on Objector's behalf