

Title/Project Name:	Project Date:	MEPA Document Type:	Category:	Document Summary:	Proponent or Applicant:	Townships, Ranges, Sections:	Trusts Affected:	Water Source Affected:	County:	Date of Approval:
James Aronow and Karen Jensen	4/4/2016	WR	Water	The proposed appropriation is from a groundwater well located within the Glacier National Park Closure area. The appropriation is 25 gallons per minute up to 2.9 acre-feet, for domestic lawn and garden use.	James Aronow and Karen Jensen	W2E2NE Section 35, Township 32N, Range 19W, Sections 2, 10, 11, 12, 112N R17W, Section 36 T13N R17W, Section 6 T12N R 16W, Section 31 T13N R16W, Section 6 T12N R 16W	Common Schools, Lands Acquired, Public Schools	Groundwater	Flathead	4/4/2016
Dirty Donovan Timber Sale	4/5/2016	EA	TS	The Missoula Unit of the Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation is proposing to conduct management activities on 4,523 acres known as the Dirty Donovan project. The project is located southeast of Missoula, near Clinton, Montana.	Missoula Unit DNRC		Common Schools, Lands Acquired, Public Schools		Missoula	4/5/2016
Wanken Lease Improvement Request for placement of a new center pivot	4/5/2016	CE	AG	TJ Wanken, lessee of state lease #10777 has requested to place a new center pivot. This area was previously irrigated by the former lessee/owner, but the wheel lines on the tract have been removed as a condition of the sale to the DNRC.	TJ Wanken	N2, N252, Section 8, T30N, R3W	Common Schools	N/A	Pondera	4/5/2016
Forests in Focus 2016 Grant Project	4/6/2016	EA	FP	This EA covers the granting of funds to complete ten forest management projects on private lands throughout Montana. These projects include forest fuels reduction, stewardship treatments, and forest restoration on approx. 2,939 acres. Projects are to be completed by December of 2017.	MT DNRC Forestry Assistant Bureau	Variable		N/A	Fergus, Flathead, Lake, Lewis & Clark, Missoula, Powell, Ravalli, Cascade	4/6/2016
Thatcher Company of North Dakota	4/6/2016	EA	WR	The applicant proposes to divert water from a groundwater aquifer by means of two wells from January 1 to December 31, in Dawson County, Montana. Water from the proposed diversion will be used for blending and diluting chemical products such as hydrochloric acid and caustic soda. The chemical products will then be trucked to a central outflow.	Thatcher Company of North Dakota	SWNESW Section 33, T16N, R5E		Groundwater	Dawson	4/6/2016
Little Rock Sears Timber Sales	4/8/2016	EA	TS	The Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation (DNRC) is proposing the Little Rock Sears Timber Sale for 2016 and Thin Mint Timber Sale for 2019. The projects are located approximately 18 air miles north of Plains, MT. The project objectives include: generate revenue for the Common Schools and Public Building trust funds, harvest approximately 6 MMBF, and bring portions of the project area closer to the desired timber production.	Plains Unit DNRC	T22N R27W S2, T23N R26W S30, T23N R27W S36.	Common Schools, Public Buildings	N/A	Sanders	4/8/2016
Sandridge Family Trust	4/7/2016	EA	WR	The applicant is proposing to pump water from Middle Thompson Lake. The proposed appropriation is 20 gallons per minute up to 1.9 acre-feet per year for lawn and garden irrigation of 0.5 acres and domestic use in one household. The proposed period of diversion and use for lawn and garden use is April 15 to October 15, and the period of diversion for wells is approximately 1 year or less.	Sandridge Family Trust	SENESEW Section 4, Township 26N, Range 27W, Lincoln	Thompson River (Middle Thompson Lake)		Lincoln	4/7/2016
Turner Enterprises Fence Replacement Request	4/13/2016	EA	AG	The applicant is requesting to replace approximately 1.1 mile of existing barbed wire fence with a 4 strand high tensile fence. The existing barbed wire fence and posts would be removed and hauled away. The replacement fence would be a 4 strand high tensile electric fence configured with wire spacing (starting from top) will be approximately: 42", 33", 24", 16". Brace posts would be fabricated using steel pipe. Four each 16" metal gates would be installed for access, one near each end, one on top of the butte, and off the edge of the butte as depicted on the attached quadrangle map. The line posts would be 1.5" fiberglass at 30' spacing. Fence construction would allow for electrification of the fence when grazing the pasture using a solar powered fence charger. The top and third wires would be intended to carry electricity for containment of livestock. The replacement fence would consist of 5,810 feet of new fence constructed in the exact location of the existing divided barbed wire fence that will be removed. The fence will be set in the fence to allow for easy wildlife.	Turner Enterprises, Inc.	T9S R5W Sections 22 & 27	Common Schools	N/A	Madison	4/13/2016
Montana LLC	4/13/2016	EA	WR	The Applicant seeks authorization to change the point of diversion associated with Provisional Permit 76LJ 76499-00 from a pump site located in Flathead County, Montana. The point of diversion will be moved upstream, approximately half a mile directly north of the historic point of diversion and be placed along the west bank of the Flathead River. This point of diversion is currently being used by the Applicant to irrigate 151 acres under Provisional Permit 76LJ 30067603. Water will be diverted from the Flathead River with a pump and sent through a 14 inch pipeline. The mainline will run to the west approximately 4,100 feet and then send water to the north (76LJ 30067603) and to the south (76LJ 76499) via a control valve. Half of a center pivot with a swing arm and end pipe. The surface lessee has requested permission to break an estimated 120 acres that is currently being used as grazing land.	Montana LLC	Township 27N, Range 20W, Section 9 and Section 4		Flathead River	Flathead	4/13/2016
Dighans Land Breaking	4/13/2016	EA	AG	Rick Caquelin has submitted a land banking sale nomination for all land leased by him in 16N 12E Sec. 28, which includes a home site that is also leased to Rick. The land is currently held in trust for the benefit of Common Schools.	Michael Dighans	NE4 of Section 6 - Township 35 North - Range 4E East	Common Schools	N/A	Daniels	4/13/2016
Amendments to ARM 36.25.1001	4/14/2016	EA	RELM	The Trust Land Management Division of the Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation (DNRC) proposes to adopt amendments to the real estate management rules addressing lease fee calculation methods for cabin and home site leases on state trust lands under the Montana Administrative Procedures Act (MAPA).	State of Montana DNRC	State of Montana		N/A	All Counties in MT	4/14/2016
Rick Caquelin Land Banking	4/14/2016	EA	LB	Rick Caquelin has submitted a land banking sale nomination for all land leased by him in 16N 12E Sec. 28, which includes a home site that is also leased to Rick. The land is currently held in trust for the benefit of Common Schools.	Rick Caquelin	16N 12E 28	Common Schools	N/A	Judith Basin	4/14/2016
Triangle Telecommunications Telecom Cable	4/14/2016	EA	ROW	Triangle Communications has requested an easement strip twenty feet wide, ten feet on each side of the centerline through above said tracts to install and maintain an underground telecommunications cable.	Triangle Telecommunications Telecom Inc.	34 N 10 E Sec 16 31 N 10 E Sec 16 33 N 10 E Sec 5	Common Schools	N/A	Hill	4/14/2016
MDT Sand Stockpile	4/21/2016	EA	LUL	The Montana Department of Transportation has applied to DNRC Southern Land Office for a Land Use License to permit the use of a 0.5+ acre area generally located at the southwest corner of the intersection of Montana Highway 384 and Horse Creek Road for a sand stockpile area and to mark a loader.	Montana Department of Transportation	T2N, R37E, Section 16	Common Schools	N/A	Treasure	4/21/2016
Terry and Ashley Bickerstaff and Eve Lynn Fait Trust	4/21/2016	EA	WR	EA review of water right change application 41H-30070964. This change aims to change two water rights from a purpose of irrigation to a purpose of instream flow.	Terry and Ashley Bickerstaff and Eve Lynn Fait Trust	Township 25 Range 6E sections 18,19,30		Bozeman Creek	Gallatin	4/21/2016
Moore South FTTP Upgrade	4/26/2016	EA	ROW	Triangle Telephone Communications Inc. has requested four (4) Right-of-Way Easements across the named tracts of State Land to install an underground telecommunications cable. The underground telecommunications cable will cross 4 tracts of state land.	Triangle Telecommunications Telecom Inc.	Township Range Section 12N 16E 36 11N 16E 20 12N 15E 12	Common Schools, U of M	NA	Fergus, Judith Basin	4/26/2016
Antice Stryker Timber Sale Project	4/28/2016	EA	TS	The Stillwater Unit of the Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation (DNRC) is proposing the Antice Stryker Timber Sale Project. The project is located approximately 7 miles north east of Olney, Montana.	DNRC Northwest Land Office	T33N R23W Sec 3-11, 14-16, 21-24 T34N R23W Sec 29-34 T34N R24W Sec 25, 36	Common Schools	NA	Flathead	4/28/2016

Thompson River 76N30106284	5/2/2016	EA	WR	The Applicant is proposing to divert water from the Thompson River to be used for fire training purposes by fire crews. The Applicant intends to divert water using a Helicopter with a 350 gallon capacity bucket as well as onboard pumps of wildland fire engines and tenders. The proposed appropriation is 350 gallons per minute (GPM) up to 0.15 acre-feet (AF) per year.	State of Montana - Trust Lands	NESWNE Section 8, Township 25N, Range 26W, Flathead County W2 Section 32, Township 27N, Range 27W, Lincoln County N2 Section 10, Township 26N, Range 27W, Lincoln County S2 Section 11, Township 26N, Range 27W, Lincoln County SENESE Section 18, Township 25N, Range 26W, Sanders County SESWNW Section 23, Township 25N, Range 27W, Sanders County SESE Section 26, Township 25N, Range 27W, Sanders County NWNWNW Section 36, Township 25N, Range 27W, Sanders County NWSESE Section 36, Township 25N, Range 27W, Sanders County NWSENE Section 26, Township 24N, Range 27W, Sanders County NWSWSW Section 36, Township 24N, Range 27W, Sanders County SESWSW Section 36, Township 24N, Range 27W, Sanders County NWNENE Section 12, Township 23N, Range 27W, Sanders County SESWSW Section 6, Township 23N,	Common Schools	Thompson River - Including Thompson Lake	Flathead, Lincoln, Sanders	5/2/2016	
F&M Stock Water Pipeline	6/1/2016	EA	LUL	F&M ranch has requested a land use license from the DNRC for the purpose of placing and maintaining a stock water pipeline across state owned T27N-R56E-sec 24 & 25. The pipeline will stem from an existing pump site on the Missouri River. This pipeline would be installed using the rip trench method and be approximately 1.5 miles in length. This pipeline should create more reliable water sources for livestock and wildlife, while creating better riparian habitat.	F&M Ranch	T27N-R56E-sec 24&25	Common Schools	N/A	Richland	5/3/2016	
Jason Brewer Stock Water Pipeline	6/1/2016	EA	AG	Jason Brewer has requested a land use license from the DNRC for the purpose of placing and maintaining a stock water pipeline across state owned T7N-R38E-sec 16. The pipeline will stem from an existing well on deeded land in length. This pipeline should create more reliable water sources for livestock and wildlife, while creating better riparian habitat.	Jason Brewer	T7N-R38E-sec 16	Common Schools	N/A	Rosebud	5/3/2016	
Boorman engine Academy Piling and Field Exercises	May-16	CE	FMA	Activities involved in the training include piling slash, preparation of the site for live fire exercises, and a 1-day live fire training exercise followed by 1-2 days of mop-up.	Montana DNRC	29N_R27W_36		N/A	Lincoln	5/3/2016	
Water reservation for Instream Flow (form 638) Trout Creek	5/4/2016	EA	WR	The applicant is applying for a state water reservation for instream flow for fish pursuant to the water compact between the State of Montana and the United States Department of Agriculture Forest Service (MCA 85-20-1401 and 85-2-320). The DNRC shall issue a water right if the USDA Forest Service application meets all requirements outlined in the compact and in Application Form #638: Water Reservation Application for Instream Flow.	Forest Service	Section 7 of T15N R26W, Mineral County			Trout Creek (trib to Clark Fork, basin 76M)	Mineral	5/4/2016
Cabin Lane Windthrow Cleanup	5/23/2016	CE	TS	Salvage of 10 to 15 acres of windthrown spruce and dead lodgepole pine scattered throughout the Cabin Lane area.	DNRC	T16N_R15W_Section 4	MSU 2nd Grant	N/A	Missoula	5/5/2016	
Divide Creek	5/5/2016	EA	WR	Applicant proposes to change Statement of Claim No. 41C 110701 to the purpose of Instream Flow for a temporary period of 10 years. The proposed amount to be changed and protected downstream of the point of historic irrigation return flow contributions to Long Creek is a volume of up to 461.7 acre-feet (AF) annually. The water right will continue to be used for irrigation purposes in May and June, as it historically has, and instream flow purposes during the period July 1 through September 15.	Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks	W2NWSW, Section 21, T24N, R24E, Phillips County	N/A	Divide Creek	Beaverhead, Madison	5/5/2016	
Thornhill Ranch Partnership	3/6/2016	EA	WR	This project is to pump water out of an existing irrigation reservoir into an existing pipeline that will supplement two wells that fill nine stock tanks. This application is to use 20 gpm and up to 16.1 acre-feet of water annually from October 1st to March 31st.	Thornhill Ranch Partnership	W2NWSW, Section 21, T24N, R24E, Phillips County	N/A	Siparyann Creek	Phillips	5/5/2016	
Change an Existing Irrigation Water Right	5/5/2016	EA	WR	Applicant proposes to change Statement of Claim No. 42A 110700 to the purpose of Instream Flow for a temporary period of 10 years. The amount of water to be changed is 326.3 acre-feet (AF) of annually diverted volume. The water right will continue to be used for irrigation purposes in June, as it historically has, and instream fishery purposes during the period July 1 through September 15.	Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks	S2 Section 16, T13S, R4W	N/A	Unnamed tributary of Long creek	Beaverhead	5/5/2016	
Long Creek	5/5/2016	EA	WR	Applicant proposes to change Statement of Claim No. 42A 110700 to the purpose of Instream Flow for a temporary period of 10 years. The flow rates protected in the reach downstream of the point where return flows historically accrued to Long Creek to the Red Rock River are 5.49 CFS in July, 2.77 CFS in August and 1.80 CFS from September 1 - 15. The water right will continue to be used for irrigation purposes in May and June, as it historically has, and instream flow purposes during the period July 1 through September 15. During the period of the proposed change, the water right will continue to be used for irrigation purposes in May and June, as it historically has, and instream flow purposes during the period July 1 through September 15.	Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks	Section 25, T15N R21W, Missoula County	N/A	Long Creek	Beaverhead	5/5/2016	
76M 30104698	5/5/2016	EA	WR	The applicant is applying for a state water reservation for instream flow for fish pursuant to the water compact between the State of Montana and the United States Department of Agriculture Forest Service (MCA 85-20-1401 and 85-2-320). The DNRC shall issue a water right if the USDA Forest Service application meets all requirements outlined in the compact and in Application Form #638: Water Reservation Application for Instream Flow.	Forest Service	Section 25, T15N R21W, Missoula County	N/A	Mill Creek (Basin 76M)	Missoula	5/5/2016	
Peter Moe Stockwater Development	7/15/2016	EA	AG	Peter Moe has requested to run a spur line and tank onto his state lease number 8292. The pipeline will be approximately .4 miles in length. Purpose of this project is to develop dependable water so to implement a consistent grazing rotation.	Peter Moe	18N 15E Sections 36	Common Schools	N/A	Fergus	05/06/016	
Handy Water Pipeline	5/9/2016	EA	AG	The applicant proposes to install a new water pipeline across approximately 0.5 mi of School Trust land, which he leases, for the purpose of better grazing management on the tract and surrounding deeded land.	Barry Handy, Handy Industries Inc	N2 Sec. 25 Twp. 35N Rge. 47E	Common Schools	N/A	Daniels	5/6/2016	
Building Removal - Lease #4030	5/9/2016	EA	AG	The proponent has requested to remove 3 buildings and miscellaneous junk on the NW4NW4W4, Section 16, T28N, R1W. This will aid the proponent in being able to better manage the lease and eliminate any unauthorized activities on the lease.	Tim VanDyke	NW4NW4W4, Section 16, T28N, R1W	Common Schools	N/A	Pondera	5/9/2016	
Improvement Request Fence - Lease #6437	5/9/2016	Ea	AG	The proponent has requested to build approximately 0.25 miles of 4 barbed wire wood post fence along the half section line in order to split the tract into East and West pastures. The fence is constructed due to topography and water location and will lead to better livestock distribution on the lease. The fence will be constructed on native grazing land.	Joe Kraft	Section 8, T26N, R7W	Public Buildings	N/A	Teton	5/9/2016	
Murnion Stockwater Development	7/15/2016	EA	AG	Vince Murnion was originally approved for a well and tank in the NW4 of State lease 9877. They failed to hit adequate water and Vince is requesting to install a 1/4 mile pipeline and tank in lieu of the well and tank. This project is located in Beaverhead National Forest habitat.	Vince Murnion	14N 27E 16	Common Schools	N/A	Fergus	5/11/2016	
42M 3010285	5/11/2016	EA	WR	This project is to add the purpose of fisheries to an existing reservoir that was built in the early 1960's. This application is to use up to 121.38 acre-feet (AF) of water annually for the purpose of fisheries. The point of diversion is located in the NESENE Section 17, T13N, R56E and place of use is E2NE Sec 17 Twp 13N Rge 56E.	USA (DEPT OF INTERIOR BUREAU OF LAND MGMT)	NESENE Sec 17 Twp 13N Rge 56E	N/A	Unnamed Tributary of Cedar Creek	Dawson	5/12/2016	
40S 30105096	5/11/2016	EA	WR	The proposed project adds a point of diversion and place of use to the Richland County LD water reservation for irrigation of agricultural crops using a center pivot which will cover 70 acres in the S2SE of Section 2 and the W2NE and NENW of Section 11, T27N, R53E, Richland County. The proposed diverted flow rate is 1.10 CFS up to 16.6 AF per annum.	Richland County Conservation District	SENESE Section 2, T27N, R53E, Richland Co.	N/A	Missouri River	Richland	5/12/2016	

Signal Peak Energy Exploration Holes	6/15/2016	EA	CBNG	Signal Peak Energy is proposing to drill three core exploration holes on state trust land. The three core holes will be located in T7N-R26E, Section 36. Work will be conducted from approximately mid June and potentially last through the end of August, 2016. In addition to exploration, access across a state section of land (T6N-R26E, Section 36) was reviewed for a survey crew to cross state land using an existing road. After performing a MEPA review, the DNRC Trust Lands Management Division found that no significant impacts would occur as a result of the proposed activities.	Signal Peak Energy	T7N-R26E-Section 36 T6N-R26E-Section 3	Common Schools	N/A	Musselshell	5/12/2016
Paradise Valley Land Banking	7/1/2016	EA	TLM	Under the state public account, 37.7-acre parcel of state land has been separated from the main acre tract by US Hwy 89. The parcel is currently held in trust for the benefit of the University of Montana. Revenue from the sale would be deposited in a special account, with monies from other sales around the State, to purchase replacement lands meeting acquisition criteria related to legal access, productivity, potential income and proximity to existing state ownership which would then be held in trust for the benefit of University of Montana.	Bozeman Unit Office	4s 9e 32	University of Montana (UM)	N/A	Park	5/13/2016
Willow Creek Dam and Reservoir Transfer	5/16/2016	DD	DRH	Attached is the Finding of No Significant Impact/Decision Notice for the transfer of this water project to the Willow Creek Water Users Association.	DNRC	T1S, R1W, Sections 2, 3, 10, 26, 27, 28, 34, 35	N/A	Willow Creek Reservoir	Madison	5/13/2016
Application for Beneficial Water Use Permit 43Q 30104752	5/16/2016	EA	WR	The applicant proposes to divert water from groundwater, by means of a new 100' deep well completed in the Madison Group Aquifer, from January 1 to December 31 at 65.6 GPM up to 105.8 AF, from a point in the NENWNW Section 4 T2S R29E, for stock, domestic and other (office, shop) use from January 1 to December 31. The applicant proposes a 6.4 AF capacity storage reservoir. The place of use includes an existing feedlot and multiple stock tanks on surrounding pasture land generally located approximately 18 miles east southeast of Bozeman, MT.	South Pryor Creek Development Center LLC	Section 4 T2S R29E	N/A	Groundwater	Yellowstone	5/16/2016
Petition to Modify Permit 76LJ 30063778	5/16/2016	EA	WR	The Applicant proposes to modify provisional permit No. 76LJ 30063778 by removing the 8-hour yield test condition on PWS #4.	Flathead County Water District #8	T30N, R21W, Section 25, 29, and 30	N/A	Groundwater	Flathead	5/16/2016
Ralph Miller Water Developments	5/25/2016	EA	AG	Ralph Miller has requested to install two tanks and bury approximately 8,800 feet of 2" plastic pipeline (12" - 18" deep) across state land in order to provide reliable livestock water on state land. The water source is Moose Creek, on private land in the NW 1/4 section 30, T10N, R4E. The affected areas would be approximately 2.5 acres of state land.	Ralph Miller	T10N, R4E, Section 16	Common Schools	Moose Creek	Meagher	5/16/2016
41N 30105071 Galata Water Users Association Environmental Assessment	2/3/2016	EA	WR	The applicant has requested authorization to add a second point of diversion to the water right (located about 70.0 feet west of the historical point of diversion) and repurpose 11.3 AF of the historical volume for the new purpose of agricultural spraying. The perfected change would consist of retiring a total volume of 11.3 AF from the historical stock volume so that consumptive use will not increase.	Galata Water Users Association	The Galata Water Users Association service area spans townships 34N 3E, 33N 2W, 33N 1W, 33N 1E, 33N 2E, 33N 3E, 33N 4E, 32N 1W, 32N 1E, 32N 2E, 32N 3E, 32N 4E, 31N 3E, and 31N 4E in T2S of Liberty County.	N/A	Groundwater	Liberty, Toole	5/17/2016
Biological Offset Bald Eagle Cottonwood Reforestation Project	5/17/2016	EA	Conservation	A wildland fire occurred on an island in the Missouri River south of Cascade, Montana on June 12, 2015. The Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation (DNRC) provided mutual-aid assistance to the Cascade Volunteer Fire Department during the suppression efforts of this fire. During the suppression efforts, a cottonwood tree containing an active bald eagle nest was felled on the north end of the 38-acre island. Please refer to Attachments A-1 and A-2. DNRC staff met with U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) staff on March 17, 2016 and agreed to the following terms for a biological offset plan. To provide biological offset for the loss of cottonwood trees associated with fire suppression activities, DNRC would complete the following measures on the portion of the subject island that is owned by DNRC: plant 200 cottonwood seedlings on desirable growing sites and protect with bio-defendable net in excess of 70% and plant an additional 200 cottonwood seedlings in a...	Montana DNRC in cooperation with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service	Section 10, T17N, R1W	N/A	N/A	Cascade	5/17/2016
Willow Creek Dam and Reservoir Transfer EA Notice of Decision	5/16/2016	DD	Dams, Reservoirs, and Hydropower	The Notice of Decision/Finding of No Significant Impact allows for the transfer of the water project to the Willow Creek Water Users Association.	DNRC	T1S, R1W, sections 2, 3, 10, 26, 27, 28, 34, 35	N/A	Willow Creek Reservoir	Madison	5/16/2016
41N 30104996 Hi Line Colony Environmental Assessment	1/11/2016	EA	WR	The applicant has proposed to divert water from two groundwater wells completed in the Cretaceous Eagle Formation. Two pumps will operate in combination in order to achieve a maximum flow of 85.0 gallons per minute (gpm) and to produce up to 73.9 acre-feet (AF) of water per year. The pumps installed in the wells are to be Franklin 7.5 HP PPS 4400 90FA754-PE pump ends with Franklin DR56 50/60 HP motors. The Colony water distribution system was designed by Northland Engineering of Helena and was approved and designed according to Montana DQ standards for public water supply wells. Pumping is scheduled to occur throughout the entire year (January 1-December 31) for the beneficial purposes of irrigation, multiple domestic, industrial, agricultural.	Elk Ridge Farms	T35N R4E 56, T35N R4E 57	N/A	Groundwater	Liberty	5/18/2016
41N 30104929 Elk Ridge Farms Environmental Assessment	1/11/2016	EA	WR	The applicant proposes to retire 64.8 acres of irrigation and a reservoir of 2.0 surface acres from Water Right Statement of Claim 41N 4013 in order to mitigate the adverse effect that will be created by the pumping schedule for the subject water right. The applicant proposes to divert water from the subject water right (LL) to use 2.41 CFS up to 629,000 gal/year of the Big Horn Conservation District water reservation. The water would be used to irrigate 170 acres in SW Section 27, S2 Section 28 and NW Section 34, T1S, R33E, Big Horn County. The irrigation would use center pivot sprinklers. The benefit would be to allow the Conservation District to fulfill its obligation to provide water for future irrigation.	Elk Ridge Farms	T35N R3E 51	N/A	Groundwater	Toole	5/18/2016
Conservation District Change Application 43P 3010352	5/18/2016	EA	WR	The applicant is requesting an environmental assessment associated with a proposed 2.4-acre conservation reservoir supplied from Durfee Creek, a tributary to Flatwillow Creek in southeast Fergus County. The purpose of the reservoir is for supplemental irrigation of 236 acres and irrigation of 24 acres of new ground. The proposed period of diversion is November 1 through June 30, with a period of use for irrigation of April 15 through October 15. The Applicant is requesting to divert a flow rate of up to 4 cubic feet per second with an associated volume including...	Wilks Ranch Montana LTD	Sections 15, 16, 21, 22, 23 and 24; all in T12N R23E	N/A	Durfee Creek	Fergus	5/19/2016
Markegard Spring Development and Small Dam Installation	6/1/2016	EA	AG	Kurt Markegard is proposing the installation of a spring development and small dam to improve water distribution on State Lease #4572. See map for details.	Kurt Markegard, Lessee	T2S R24E Section 36	Common Schools	N/A	Yellowstone	5/20/2016
41G 30072179	5/20/2016	EA	WR	The Applicant proposes to change a portion of the historic place of use for permit 41G 33238. The Applicant proposes to install two new pivots for sprinkler irrigation on 232.6 acres in Section 33, T3N, R1E, just north of the historic place of use. The historic irrigation occurred on 270 acres in Section 4, T2N, R1E, Broadwater County. The historic place of use has subdivision infrastructure and several residences have been constructed. The constructed residence use exempt well to provide water for domestic and lawn and garden irrigation.	SKS Land Company LLC	T3N, R1E Section 33 and T2N, R1E Section 4	N/A	Groundwater	Broadwater	5/20/2016
Lease #3244 - CRP Break	5/24/2016	EA	AG	CRP contract #674X containing 321.70 acres expired on 09/30/2015. The lessee, PDQ Inc., has requested to break these expired CRP acres. The CRP acres were offered for re-enrollment, but were rejected by the FSA for the CRP program. The tract was last farmed in 1999. The estimated acres that will be broke and returned to small grain production is 321.70 acres. The lessee plans to spray the CRP out during the spring of 2016 and then direct seed it.	PDQ Inc., 1113 1st South, Shelby, MT 59474	T33N, R4E, Sec 17	Common Schools	N/A	Liberty	5/24/2016
DEQ Air Monitoring Richland Co.	7/1/2016	EA	LUL	The Montana Department of Environmental Quality, heretofore referred as proponent, has applied for a Land Use License for the purpose of establishing an air monitoring station on this tract of state trust land. This would include installing an 8' x 12' building on skids and as needed parking for a 7' x 16' trailer. An area of approximately 75 acres may be fenced to protect the environment from grazing animals.	MT DEQ	T24N R59E Sec 36	Common Schools	N/A	Richland	5/31/2016
Permit to Appropriate Water 76I 30106430	5/31/2016	EA	WR	This application is to obtain a water use permit for a well located in the Glacier National Park Compact Area. The applicant proposes to divert water at a rate of 15 GPM up to 1.0 acre-feet per year. The proposed use is for domestic purposes (fish wheel ramp) from May 1 to October 31.	John and Angie Fugle	Sec 3, T29N, R16W	N/A	Groundwater	Flathead	5/31/2016
Fauth Fence	6/1/2016	EA	AG	The applicant proposes to install a new fence on School Trust land which he leases, with the purpose of separating grazing acreage from agricultural acreage.	Brock Fauth	Section 3 of Township 33N - Range 40E	Common Schools	N/A	Valley	5/30/2016
Application for Beneficial Water Use Permit 76LJ 30104113	5/31/2016	EA	WR	The applicant proposes to divert groundwater for multiple domestic use January 1st thru December 31st and lawn and garden irrigation April 20th thru October 10th at a rate of 150 GPM up to 84.03 AF from two wells in the SWNWNW Sec. 12, R21W, T30N, Flathead, Montana. This is a subdivision, a total of 47 lots will be developed and 30.03 acres will be irrigated.	Prairie Dog Development	Sec 12, R21W, T30N	N/A	Groundwater	Flathead	5/31/2016
76M 30104693	5/31/2016	EA	WR	The applicant is applying for a state water reservation for instream flow for fish pursuant to the water compact between the State of Montana and the United States Department of Agriculture Forest Service (MCA 85-20-1401 and 85-2-320). The DNRC shall issue a water right if the USDA Forest Service application meets all requirements outlined in the compact and in Application Form #638: Water Reservation Application for Instream Flow.	Forest Service	Twp 16N R6E 26W, Section 8.	N/A	Cedar Creek (Clark Fork Basin)	Mineral	5/31/2016
Triangle's Fiber Optic Line in Blaine County	6/1/2016	EA	ROW	The applicant proposes to install two (2) underground telecommunications cables in the same trench within a right-of-way 20' wide 110' on either side of a centerline across School Trust land in Blaine County.	Triangle's Fiber Optic Line in Blaine County	W2SW4, SW4NW4 Section 36, Township 26N, Range 23E	Common Schools	N/A	Blaine	5/31/2016

Triangle's Fiber Optic Line in Phillips County	6/1/2016	EA	ROW	The applicant proposes to install an underground telecommunications cable within a right-of-way 20' wide (10' on either side of a centerline) across School Trust land in Phillips County.	Triangle Communications	N64NE4 Section 36, Township 24N, Range 24E	Common Schools	N/A	Phillips	5/31/2016
Application for Beneficial Water Use Permit No. 40C 30104097	6/1/2016	EA	WR	The Applicant proposes to divert water from the Mussellsell River, by means of an existing 6R8-CC pump, from March 1 through June 30, at 1.56 cubic feet per second (CFS) up to 76 acre-feet. The purpose of use is center pivot irrigation, and the requested period of use is the same as the period of diversion (March 1 through June 1). The Applicant proposes to irrigate alfalfa on the 76.0 acres.	Matthew McCleary	The proposed place of diversion is located in the NWNWSW of Section 2, T9N R30E. The proposed place of use is generally located in the SW 1/4 of Section 2, T9N R30E	N/A	Mussellsell River	Mussellsell	6/1/2016
Clearwater Junct RAA EA	8/15/2016	EA	ROW	This is a project to grant and receive reciprocal road access rights across lands owned by DNRC and multiple private landowners. The objective of the proposed reciprocal access agreement is to acquire legal road access rights and to provide improved road access for uses consistent with conservation easement restrictions	DNRC -SWLO Clearwater Unit	Section 4, SW ¼ NW ¼ Section 10, E ½ Section 16, and N ½ NE ¼ Section 10, T14N R14W - totaling 930 acres. Private lands within Sections 3, 9, 10, 11, 15 and 16; T14N R14W totaling approximately 1,390 acres	Common Schools, Pine Hills School, Public Buildings (PB)	None	Missoula	6/2/2016
City of Shelby Easement and LUL application	6/3/2016	EA	ROW	The City of Shelby has requested to install a new 4" buried natural gas pipeline across one tract of state land. The proposed easement route is located along the west edge of the tract. The new 4" buried natural gas pipeline will be part of a project to provide Humic Growth Solutions Inc. with natural gas. The City of Shelby will tie into NorthWestern Energy's natural gas pipeline approximately 2.5 miles north of the Humic facilities	City of Shelby	32N 2W 36 W2NW4 (Easement) 0.83 acres 32N 2W 36 W2NW4 (LUL) 2.07 acres	Common Schools	None	Toole	6/3/2016
Casey Terry EQIP Project	6/3/2016	EA	AG	Casey Terry is currently in the planning phase of a proposed EQIP project that includes 2 stock tanks, 2.4 miles of stockwater pipeline and 4 miles of fence on State Land	Casey Terry	27N 13E 31 & 26N 13E 6	Common Schools	None	Chouteau	7/15/2016
Bitterroot Irrigation District Siphon #1 River Crossing Replacement	7/15/2016	EA	ROW	DNRC has received an application for a 60 foot wide easement across the Bitterroot River from the Bitterroot Irrigation District involving .17 acres of State-owned property below the low water mark of the river. The Bitterroot Irrigation District is proposing to replace an elevated siphon pipeline crossing the Bitterroot River. This project (Phase 3) would replace 1,990 ft. of pipeline that includes the Bitterroot River crossing that is supported by a steel bridge over 100 years old. The proposed project has been identified to ensure a continued and secure water supply to area water users. The siphon #1 supplies water to approximately 1,400 households with a need to irrigate over 16,000 acres.	Bitterroot Irrigation District	Township 4 North; Range 21 West; portions of Sections 22 and 23	Public Land Trust (Navigable Rivers)	Bitterroot River	Ravalli	6/3/2016
Skookum Point Salvage Timber Sale	8/1/2016	EA	TS	The Plains Unit of the Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation (DNRC) is proposing the Skookum Point Salvage Timber Sale. The project is located approximately 36 air miles north of Plains, MT	DNRC Plains Unit	T26N, R27W S36	Common Schools	None	Sanders	6/3/2016
Rice Ridge 25-11-26-S	6/2/2016	EA	OG	Small single derrick drilling rig, to drill to 2400' TD Madison Formation.	Thomasson Petroleum E&P LLC	SW NE Section 11 T26N R5W	None	None	Teton	6/3/2016
76F 30070325	5/24/2016	EA	WR	THE APPLICANTS PROPOSE TO LEAVE 0.79 CFS INSTREAM TO BENEFIT FISHERIES, AND PROTECT 1.78 CFS UP TO 147.2 AF AT THE HISTORIC POINT OF DIVERSION BETWEEN MAY 1 AND OCTOBER 15. THE APPLICANT WILL RETIRE 64 ACRES OF THE HISTORIC 144 ACRE PLACE OF USE IN SECTION 4, T14N, R14W, MISSOULA COUNTY. DOWNSTREAM OF THE HISTORIC POINT OF DIVERSION, THE APPLICANT PROPOSES TO PROTECT 0.79 CFS UP TO 64.3 AF, WITH 64.3 AF BEING THE APPLICANT'S HISTORIC CONSUMED VOLUME FOR THE 64 IRRIGATED ACRES THAT WILL NO LONGER BE IRRIGATED USING THE CLEARWATER RIVER. THE PROTECTED REACH BEGINS AT THE HISTORIC POINT OF DIVERSION, A PUMP SITE LOCATED IN THE SWSEW QUADRANT OF SECTION 4 T14N R14W, AND CONTINUES DOWNSTREAM APPROXIMATELY 3.2 MILES TO THE CONFLUENCE OF THE CLEARWATER RIVER	BRUCE & NANCY MENZ	SWSEW SECTION 4, T14N, R14W	N/A	CLEARWATER RIVER	Missoula	6/9/2016
76C 30104141	6/10/2016	EA	WR	The Applicant proposes to divert water from the Fisher River, by multiple means of diversion, from May 1-October 31 at 350 GPM up to 1.02 AF, from multiple locations on the Fisher River for industrial purposes consisting of fire training, dust suppression, and weed spraying. The main point of diversion (POD) will be located in the NWNWSW Section 16, Township 30N, Range 29W, Lincoln County, and will be used for industrial use associated with weed spraying, dust abatement, and fire training. The Applicant is also proposing to divert water using a transitory POD between their downstream-most and upstream-most requested PODs. This transitory POD will be used by helicopter only; the helicopter will withdraw water from the Fisher River using a bucket for fire training purposes. Water will be diverted using a 350 gallon bucket suspended from a helicopter as well as onboard pumps of wildland fire engines and tenders, tanker trucks for dust suppression, and portable pumps associated with weed spraying. Due to the nature of the use, water use is not tied to a specific parcel, and the water use relies on helicopters, fire engines, tenders, tanker trucks, and portable pumps for taking possession of the water at the time the proponent has requested to extend an existing stock water pipeline upon state owned T17N-R53E-SEC 36.	State of Montana-Trust Lands	NWNWSW Section 16, Township 30N, Range 29W, Lincoln County SESESE Section 27, Township 28N, Range 29W, Lincoln County	Common Schools	Fisher River	Lincoln	6/10/2016
Jim Eklund Stockwater Pipeline Extension	7/1/2016	EA	AG	The pipeline would tie into an existing pipeline located in the SE ¼ of the tract. This pipeline would be installed using a trenching method and be approximately .5 miles in length. This pipeline should create more reliable water source for livestock and wildlife, while creating better grazing distribution within the scope of the project. The proposed pipeline would be approximately 0.5 miles in length.	Jim Eklund	T17N-R53E-SEC 36	Common Schools	N/A	Dawson	6/13/2016
Oneok LUL1197 Easement Conversion	7/1/2016	EA	ROW	Oneok has applied to the DNRC Eastern Land Office to convert previously obtained Land Use License -1197 for a natural gas gathering lines to a right of way easement. Oneok has submitted a DS-406 along with supporting documentation for the easement application. These pipelines have already been placed and are currently in the ground.	Oneok Rockies Midstream	T22N-R58E-SEC 14, T25N-R54E-SEC 16, T24N-R53E-SEC 36, T26N-R54E-SEC 8	Common Schools	N/A	Richland	6/13/2016
76LJ 30106812	6/14/2016	EA	WR	The proposed appropriation is from a groundwater well located within the upper national park cascade area. The proposed appropriation is 10 gallons per minute (GPM) up to 1.09 acre-feet (AF) for domestic, lawn & garden, and stock use. The proposed period of use for domestic use is January 1-December 31. The proposed period of use for lawn & garden use is April 1-October 31. The proposed period of use for stock use is May 30-November 15.	Pierre A. Kaptanian II	E2NENW Section 27, Township 35N, Range 21W, Flathead County	N/A	Groundwater	Flathead	6/14/2016
76G-30069169	7/16/2016	EA	WR	APPLICANT PROPOSES TO ADD A POINT OF DIVERSION AND CHANGE A PORTION OF THE PLACE OF USE FOR STATEMENT OF CLAIM NOS. 76G-100112-00 AND 76G-100113-00 AND CHANGE THE POINT OF DIVERSION AND PLACE OF USE FOR STOCK WATER STATEMENT OF CLAIM NO. 76G-100110-00. THE APPLICANT PROPOSES TO MOVE 200 GPM OF THE 500 GPM FLOW RATE FOR THESE WATER RIGHTS TO A NEW GROUNDWATER POINT OF DIVERSION IN THE SENWSE OF SECTION 34, T12N, R17W, MISSOULA COUNTY. THE APPLICANT WILL MOVE 15.35 ACRES OF IRRIGATION AND 61 ANIMAL UNITS FROM THE CURRENT 55.15 ACRE PLACE OF USE TO 15.35 ACRES IN ALLOW FOR THE 37th ANNUAL BEAR STOCK. UNDER DNRC WILL MOVE MOTORIZED A/V USE FROM JUNE 15 TO JUNE 20 TO SET UP and disassemble approximately 60 targets as well as nonmotorized participant use on June 18 and 19. There could be up to 300 participants. Please note that this is amended from the dates listed on the CatEx document to reflect the correct timeframe.	ROY P. HANDLEY	SECTIONS 23 AND 34, T12N, R17W, MISSOULA COUNTY	N/A	CLARK FORK RIVER, GROUNDWATER	Missoula	6/16/2016
Archery Tournament (Bear Shoot) CatEx	6/16/2016	EA	RU	The applicant is applying for a state water reservation for instream flow for fish pursuant to the water compact between the State of Montana and the United States Department of Agriculture Forest Service (MCA 85-20-1401 and 85-2-320). The DNRC shall issue a water right if the USDA Forest Service application meets all requirements outlined in the compact and in Application Form #638: Water Reservation Application for Instream Flow. The rock creek mine is a proposed underground copper and silver mine, the mine was designed to produce 20,000 tons of ore per day. The Applicant proposes to impound groundwater within the Rock Creek Mine in underground transitory sumps/pits and divert groundwater directly from the active mining areas or from the sumps/pits for mining purposes January 1st thru December 31st. The Applicant will store up to 130 AF of water at any point in time within the mine during a year and divert up to 857 acre-feet (AF) of water from the mine per year. No flow restrictions will be placed on the water.	Five Valleys Archery Club	T15N_R14W_Section32_E2	Common Schools	N/A	Missoula	6/17/2016
Dearborn River Fiber ROW Nav. Water	7/20/2016	EA	ROW	3 Rivers Communications, Inc. has applied for Navigable Waterway/Utility ROW to install new fiber optic telephone cable 133 feet under the Dearborn River utilizing a directional bore machine along the old highway route. The ROW corridor would be 20 feet wide, and the encumbered area will total approximately 0.06 acres of the Dearborn River.	3 Rivers Communications, Inc.	17N, 4W, Section 11	Public Land Trust (Navigable Rivers)	Dearborn River	Lewis And Clark	6/17/2016
76N 30104692	6/20/2016	EA	WR	The applicant is applying for a state water reservation for instream flow for fish pursuant to the water compact between the State of Montana and the United States Department of Agriculture Forest Service (MCA 85-20-1401 and 85-2-320). The DNRC shall issue a water right if the USDA Forest Service application meets all requirements outlined in the compact and in Application Form #638: Water Reservation Application for Instream Flow. The rock creek mine is a proposed underground copper and silver mine, the mine was designed to produce 20,000 tons of ore per day. The Applicant proposes to impound groundwater within the Rock Creek Mine in underground transitory sumps/pits and divert groundwater directly from the active mining areas or from the sumps/pits for mining purposes January 1st thru December 31st. The Applicant will store up to 130 AF of water at any point in time within the mine during a year and divert up to 857 acre-feet (AF) of water from the mine per year. No flow restrictions will be placed on the water.	Forest Service	Section 26, Twp 25N, Rge 27W, Sanders County.	N/A	Thompson River	Sanders	6/20/2016
Application for Beneficial Water Use Permit No. 76N 30068837	6/21/2016	EA	WR	The rock creek mine is a proposed underground copper and silver mine, the mine was designed to produce 20,000 tons of ore per day. The Applicant proposes to impound groundwater within the Rock Creek Mine in underground transitory sumps/pits and divert groundwater directly from the active mining areas or from the sumps/pits for mining purposes January 1st thru December 31st. The Applicant will store up to 130 AF of water at any point in time within the mine during a year and divert up to 857 acre-feet (AF) of water from the mine per year. No flow restrictions will be placed on the water.	RC Resources Inc.	T27N, R32W, Sections 14, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 35 T26N, R32W, Sections 10, 28, 21	N/A	Groundwater	Sanders	6/21/2016

76N 30070883	6/22/2016	EA	WR	The applicant is applying for a state water reservation for instream flow for fish pursuant to the water compact between the State of Montana and the United States Department of Agriculture Forest Service (MCA 85-20-1401 and 85-2-320). The DNRC shall issue a water right if the USDA Forest Service application meets all requirements outlined in the compact and in Application Form #638: Water Reservation Application for Instream Flow.	Forest Service	Section 25, Twp 21N, Rge 27W, Sanders County.	N/A	Weeksville Creek (Clark Fork Basin)	Sanders	6/22/2016
76M 30105068	6/22/2016	EA	WR	The applicant is applying for a state water reservation for instream flow for fish pursuant to the water compact between the State of Montana and the United States Department of Agriculture Forest Service (MCA 85-20-1401 and 85-2-320). The DNRC shall issue a water right if the USDA Forest Service application meets all requirements outlined in the compact and in Application Form #638: Water Reservation Application for Instream Flow.	Forest Service	Section 36, Twp 14N, Rge 23W, Missoula County.	N/A	Petty Creek (Clark Fork Basin)	Missoula	6/22/2016
Sapphire #1	6/1/2016	EA	OG	Triple derrick rig to drill a single vertical Red River Formation test, 10,100'MD/10,100'TVD.	Mertz Energy, LLC	NE NE Section 29 T26N R51E	N/A	N/A	Richland	6/22/2016
76N 30104697	6/23/2016	EA	WR	The applicant is applying for a state water reservation for instream flow for fish pursuant to the water compact between the State of Montana and the United States Department of Agriculture Forest Service (MCA 85-20-1401 and 85-2-320). The DNRC shall issue a water right if the USDA Forest Service application meets all requirements outlined in the compact and in Application Form #638: Water Reservation Application for Instream Flow.	Forest Service	Sections 8, 5 and 4, Twp 22N, Rge 25W, Sanders County.	N/A	Little Thompson River	Sanders	6/23/2016
76M 30105304	6/23/2016	EA	WR	The Applicant seeks to change the point of diversion and place of use of Groundwater Certificate 76M 46509, with a priority date of March 4, 1982 and the point of diversion and purpose of unperfected Provisional Permit 76M 30064114, with a priority date of September 28, 2012.	H&L Properties, LLP & Quinn's Canyon LLC	T18N, R25W, Section 9	N/A	Groundwater	Sanders	6/23/2016
Project Spokane - Nav Water Easement	9/10/2016	EA	ROW	Blackfoot River at the old Bonner Mill Site in Bonner, Montana. The power line is proposed to serve a new "Project Spokane Data Center" to be located on a portion of the old Bonner sawmill site. The project's electrical requirements exceed the current electrical service available onsite. DNRC has received an application for a 30 foot wide easement spanning 81 feet of the Blackfoot River from Project Spokane LLC for this project involving 0.056 acres of State-owned property below the low water mark of the river.	Project Spokane LLC	T13N - R18W, Section 21, NE4NE4	Public Land Trust (Navigable Rivers)	Blackfoot River	Missoula	6/23/2016
Middle Creek Project Cottonwood Flume Replacement	8/15/2016	EA	DR and H	The Cottonwood Flume is a 1054-foot long composite water conveyance structure, split in two sections, located on the Cottonwood Canal. The canal, a component of the Middle Creek Water Project, serves as an irrigation water delivery source for the Middle Creek Water User Association. In the spring of 2014, 175 feet of the flume structure failed as a result of large amounts of snow/ice and precipitation weight build up. Based on the engineering evaluations, it was determined that the flume needs repair or replacement to keep the water delivery system serviceable. The action alternative calls for replacing the entire flume in kind.	DNRC-SWPB	T3S, R5E, Section 14	N/A	Middle Creek	Gallatin	6/27/2016
76K 30103481	6/27/2016	EA	WR	APPLICATION FOR BENEFICIAL WATER USE PERMIT TO DNRC REQUESTING AN APPROPRIATION OF 33 GALLONS PER MINUTE (GPM) UP TO 2.25 ACRE- FEET (AF) OF WATER FROM LINDBERGH LAKE, TRIBUTARY TO THE SWAN RIVER. THE WATER WILL BE USED FOR DOMESTIC USE IN ONE HOUSEHOLD, AND LAWN AND GARDEN IRRIGATION OF 0.46 ACRES. THE APPLICANT PROPOSES TO DIVERT WATER FROM THE LAKE USING A ¾ HP PUMP AND WATER WILL BE CONVEYED TO THE LAKE BY A 2" DIAMETER PVC PIPE.	GEOFFREY & HEIDI KNIGHT AND DAVE & SUSAN WILLIAMSON	NWSE SECTION 23, T19N, R17W	N/A	Swan river (Lindbergh Lake)	Missoula	6/27/2016
76K 30103655	6/27/2016	EA	WR	APPLICATION FOR BENEFICIAL WATER USE PERMIT TO DNRC REQUESTING AN APPROPRIATION OF 14 GALLONS PER MINUTE (GPM) UP TO 1 ACRE-FOOT (AF) OF WATER FROM LINDBERGH LAKE, TRIBUTARY TO THE SWAN RIVER. THE WATER WILL BE USED YEAR-ROUND FOR DOMESTIC USE IN ONE HOUSEHOLD. THE APPLICANT PROPOSES TO DIVERT WATER FROM THE LAKE USING A ¾ HP PUMP AND WATER WILL BE CONVEYED TO THE LAKE BY A 2" DIAMETER PVC PIPE.	PAMELA & ALAN MUSKETT	NWSE Section 23, T19N R17W	N/A	Swan river (Lindbergh Lake)	Missoula	6/27/2016
Steve's Fork Road Realignment	8/15/2016	EA	ROW	The Garfield County Road Department has requested a right of way easement for a county road on T18N-R34E-Sec 36 from the Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation Eastern Land Office. The easement application is for the existing county road on this tract along with the realignment of existing road to create a new intersection to allow for improved motorist visibility and safety. Garfield County does not currently possess an easement for the current road location but has applied for the entirety of the route along with the realignment. The total length of the requested easement would be 9252.54 feet with a width of 30 feet encompassing a total of 277,576 square feet.	Garfield County Road Department	T18N-R34E-Sec 36	Common Schools	N/A	Garfield	6/29/2016
Alkali Creek Commercial Option to Lease	7/29/2016	EA	LUL	The proponent, MTSun LLC, responded to a Request for Proposals (RFP) issued by the DNRC Real Estate Management Bureau for a commercial lease on portions of Sections 8 and 10, Township 1 North, Range 25 East in Yellowstone County. As part of their RFP response, MTSun LLC has requested to enter into an Option to Lease Agreement with the State for a two year period. During the Option period, the proponent would have the ability to access the Trust land in order to gather baseline data in the following areas: land use, cultural resources, wildlife, soils, vegetation, wetlands, hydrology/topography/geology/geotechnical and land surveying and would	MTSun, LLC	T1N, R25E, Sections 8 and 10	Common Schools	N/A	Yellowstone	6/29/2016