

REQUEST TO REDUCE OR CORRECT A WATER RIGHT RECORD

Mail form to:
Flathead Reservation Office of the Engineer
PO Box 37
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Use this form to reduce or correct active or suspended water right records.

- Reductions and corrections can be done to reduce volume, flow rate, period of use, purposes of use, and/or correct the place of use.
- Once processed, a new water right record will be issued to reflect the requested reduction or correction.
- The elements listed on the original water right may not be reinstated once the reduction is complete. Any use of water under the original right will be permanently relinquished or abandoned in an amount equal to the reduction requested.
- This form must be notarized.

OFFICE USE ONLY

Date Rec'd _____ Time _____
 Rec'd By _____
 Payor _____
 Amount Rec'd _____ Check # _____

FILING FEE: \$0.00

IMPORTANT

- **Do not use this form if a transfer of property has occurred. Instead, use a *DNRC Water Right Ownership Update Form No. 608.***
- This form is only valid for water rights located within the exterior boundaries of the Flathead Reservation.

1. WATER RIGHT OWNER INFORMATION

Name(s) _____
 Mailing Address _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____
 Cell/Home Phone _____ Email Address _____

2. ACTION TO BE COMPLETED

- Reduction
 Correction

3. WATER RIGHT TO BE CORRECTED/REDUCED

Number _____

4. REASON FOR CORRECTION/REDUCTION

Example: incorrect legal land description, no longer using a portion of a water right, right was filed for more than actual volume

5. CORRECTION/REDUCTION DETAILS

Explain the requested correction/reduction.

If a reduction, specify which purposes do not reflect current uses. Be very specific (i.e., past, and current number of irrigated acres, stock, dwellings, etc.)

If reducing a flow rate, provide the appropriate flow rate to reflect current uses.

6. POINT OF DIVERSION

Latitude _____ Longitude _____

____ ¼ ____ ¼ ____ ¼ Section _____ Township _____ N S Range _____ E W

County _____ Lot* _____ Block* _____ Subdivision Name* _____

Tract No.* _____ COS/TSR No.* _____ Government Lot* _____

Street Address, including City/State/Zip Code: _____

Geocode of the place of use (17 digits) _____

If there are multiple places of use, list the geocode for each parcel on an attached sheet.

Geocodes can be found in county records, tax statements, or on Montana Cadastral at

<http://svc.mt.gov/msl/mtcadastral/>.

7. DECLARATION OF OWNERSHIP

I declare under penalty of perjury that the statements appearing here are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct and affirm that I have possessory interest, or the written consent of the person with the possessory interest, in the point of diversion, place of use, and conveyance.

Applicant 1 Printed Name _____

Authorized Signature _____ **Date** _____

Applicant 2 Printed Name _____

Authorized Signature _____ **Date** _____

Applicant 3 Printed Name _____

Authorized Signature _____ **Date** _____

State of _____

County of _____

Signed or acknowledged before me on _____ by _____

Notary's Signature _____

Notary Name (Printed) _____

Notary public for the State of _____

Residing at _____

My commission expires _____

Affix notary seal above