

## CD/AGENCY USE ONLY

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 310 Form 270 and Instructions may be  
 downloaded from:  
<https://dnrc.mt.gov/Licenses-and-Permits/Stream-Permitting/>

Application #

Date Received

Date Accepted

Initials

Stream or Waterbody

Date FW: to FWP

This space is for all Department of Transportation and SPA 124 permits (government projects).

Project Name

Control Number

Contract Letting Date

MEPA/NEPA Compliance

 Yes No

If yes, #C5 of this application does not apply.

**JOINT APPLICATION FOR PROPOSED WORK  
IN MONTANA'S STREAMS, WETLANDS, FLOODPLAINS & OTHER WATER BODIES**

This is a standardized application to apply for one or all local, state, or federal permits listed below.

- Refer to instructions to determine which permits apply and submit a signed application to each applicable agency.
- Incomplete applications will result in the delay of the application process.
- The applicant is responsible for obtaining all necessary permits and landowner permission before beginning work.
- Other laws may apply.

	PERMIT	AGENCY	FILL OUT SECTIONS	Fee
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	310 Permit	Local Conservation District	A - E and G	No Fee
<input type="checkbox"/>	SPA 124 Permit	Department of Fish, Wildlife and Parks	A - E and G	No fee
<input type="checkbox"/>	318 Authorization 401 Certification	Department of Environmental Quality	A - E and G	\$250 (318); \$400 - \$20,000 (401)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Navigable Rivers Land Use License, Lease, or Easement	Department of Natural Resources and Conservation, Trust Lands Management Division	A - E and G	\$50, plus additional fee
<input type="checkbox"/>	Section 404 Permit, Section 10 Permit	U. S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE)	A - G F1-8	Varies (\$0 - \$100)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Floodplain Permit	Local Floodplain Administrator	A - G	Varies by city/county (\$25 - \$500+)

**A. APPLICANT INFORMATION**

APPLICANT NAME (person responsible for project)

First - Little 69 Ranch Middle - Last -

Has the landowner consented to this project?  Yes  No

Mailing Address - 747 Osloski Rd Eureka, MT 59917

Physical Address -

Cellphone - 406-291-5306 or 303-917-1778

Home Phone - E-Mail - jen.haidle@gmail.com

LANDOWNER NAME (if different from applicant)

First - Middle - Last -

Mailing Address -

Physical Address -

Cellphone -

Home Phone -

E-Mail -

CONTRACTOR/COMPANY NAME (if applicable) Self

PRIMARY CONTACT NAME First - Jim Middle - Last - Bushfield

Mailing Address - 747 Osloski Rd Eureka, MT 59917

Physical Address -

Cellphone - 303-917-1778

Home Phone -

E-Mail - jim@wirelessconstructionservices.com

## B. PROJECT SITE INFORMATION

### 1. NAME OF STREAM or WATER BODY at project location Tobacco River

Project Address/Location - 747 Osloski Road

Nearest Town - Eureka

County - Lincoln

Geocode - 56-4823-10-1-01-13-0000Y

1/4 of the SE

1/4 of, Section 10

Township - 36N

Range - 27W

Latitude -

Longitude -

*Refer to section B1 in the instructions.*

### 2. Is the proposed activity within SAGE GROUSE areas designated as general, connected, or core habitat?

Yes  No    Attach consultation letter if required. Refer to section B2 in the instructions.

### 3. Is this a STATE NAVIGABLE WATERWAY? The state owns beds of certain navigable waterways.

Yes  No    If yes, send a copy of this application to the appropriate DNRC land office. Refer to section B3 in the instructions.

### 4. WHAT IS THE CURRENT CONDITION of the proposed project site? Describe the existing bank condition, bank slope, height, nearby structures, and wetlands. What vegetation is present? Refer to section B4 in the instructions.

Tobacco River- The bank has been reenforced with logs and debris from the recent restoration project. The vegetation has not grown in though.

## C. PROPOSED PROJECT OR ACTIVITY INFORMATION

### 1. TYPE OF PROJECT (check all that apply) Refer to section C1 in the instructions.

- Agricultural and Irrigation Projects:** Diversions, Headgates, Flumes, Riparian fencing, Ditches, etc.
- Buildings/Structures:** Accessory Structures, Manufactured Homes, Residential or Commercial Buildings, etc.
- Channel/Bank Projects:** Stabilization, Restoration, Alteration, Dredging, Fish Habitat, Vegetation or Tree Removal, or any other work that modifies existing channels or banks.
- Crossings/Roads:** Bridge, Culvert, Fords, Road Work, Temporary Access, or any project that crosses over or under a stream or channel.
- Mining Projects:** All mining related activity, including; Placer Mining, Aggregate Mining, etc.
- Recreation related Projects:** Boat Ramps, Docks, Marinas, etc.
- Other Projects:** Cistern, Debris Removal, Excavation/Pit/Pond, Placement of Fill, drilling or directional boring, Utilities, Wetland Alteration. Other project type not listed here

This project is to a remove a land dam built to divert the river water into the point of diversion side channel to ensure adequate water to the irrigation pump was obtained to irrigate crops

### 2. IS THIS APPLICATION FOR an annual maintenance permit? Yes No

(If yes attach annual plan of operation to this application) – Refer to section C2 in the instructions.

### 3. WHY IS THIS PROJECT NECESSARY? STATE THE PURPOSE OR GOAL of the proposed project. Refer to section C3 in the instructions.

The project is necessary to restore the river to the orginial state following the land dam built

**4. PROVIDE A BRIEF DESCRIPTION** of the proposed project plan and how it will be accomplished. Refer to section C4 in the instructions.

Remove land dam in the river

**5. WHAT OTHER ALTERNATIVES** were considered to accomplish the stated purpose of the project? Why was the proposed alternative selected? Refer to section C5 in the instructions.

There are no alternatives. The land dam needs to be removed

**6. NATURAL RESOURCE BENEFITS OR POTENTIAL IMPACTS.** Please complete the information below to the best of your ability.

- Explain any temporary or permanent changes in erosion, sedimentation, turbidity, or increases of potential contaminants. What will be done to minimize those impacts?

Sediment will be stirred up for a short time, the work will be performed efficiently to prevent that

- Will the project cause temporary or permanent impacts to fish and/or aquatic habitat? What will be done to protect the fisheries?

No

- What will be done to minimize temporary or permanent impacts to the floodplain, wetlands, or riparian habitat?

The work will be done in a timely manner

- What efforts will be made to decrease flooding potential upstream and downstream of project?

There is a side channel flowing in, above the work site and then exits downstream. No flooding will happen

- Explain potential temporary or permanent changes to the water flow or to the bed and banks of the waterbody. What will be done to minimize those changes?

Working in a timely manner

- How will existing vegetation be protected and its removal minimized? Explain how the site will be revegetated. Include weed control plans.

No vegetation will be removed

## D. CONSTRUCTION DETAILS

**1. PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION DATES.** Include a project timeline.

Start date - 10/14/24      Finish date - 10/14/24      How long will it take to complete the project? - 1 hour

Is any portion of the work already completed?  Yes  No (If yes, describe previously completed work.)

Refer to section D1 in the instructions.

**2. PROJECT DIMENSIONS.** Describe length and width of the project. Refer to section D2 in the instructions.

50' x 50'

**3. EQUIPMENT.** List all equipment that will be used for this project. How will the equipment be used on the bank and/or in the water? Note:

All equipment used in the water must be clean, drained and dry. Refer to section D3 in the instructions.

Excavator

Will equipment from out of state be used?  Yes  No  Unknown

Will the equipment cross west over the continental divide to the project site?  Yes  No  Unknown

Will equipment enter the Flathead Basin?  Yes  No  Unknown

**4. MATERIALS.** Provide the total quantity and source of materials proposed to be used or removed. Note: This may be modified during the permitting process therefore it is recommended you do not purchase materials until all permits are issued. List soil/fill type, cubic yards and source, culvert size, rip-rap size, any other materials to be used or removed on the project. Refer to section D4 in the instructions.

Cubic yards/Linear feet	Size and Type	Source
under 5 cubic yards	river rock	dam will be removed and replaced where it was taken from in the river

## E. REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS

**1. PLANS AND/OR DRAWINGS of the proposed project. Include:**

- Plan/Aerial view
- an elevation or cross section view
- dimensions of the project (height, width, depth in feet)
- location of storage or stockpile materials dimensions and location of fill or excavation sites
- drainage facilities
- location of existing/proposed structures, such as buildings, utilities, roads, or bridges
- an arrow indicating north
- Site photos

**2. ATTACH A VICINITY MAP OR A SKETCH** which includes: The water body where the project is located, roads, tributaries, other landmarks. Place an "X" on the project location. Provide written directions to the site. This is a plan view (looking at the project from above).

**3. ATTACH ANNUAL PLAN OF OPERATION if requesting a Maintenance 310 Permit.**
**4. ATTACH AQUATIC RESOURCE MAP.** Document the location and boundary of all waters of the U.S. in the project vicinity, including wetlands and other special aquatic sites. Show the location of the ordinary high-water mark of streams or water bodies if requesting a Section 404 or Section 10 Permit. Ordinary high-water mark delineation included on plan or drawings and/or a separate wetland delineation.

## G. SIGNATURES/AUTHORIZATIONS

Some agencies require original signatures for an application to be considered complete. **After completing the form, make the required number of copies and then sign each copy.** Send the copies with original signatures and additional information required directly to each applicable agency.

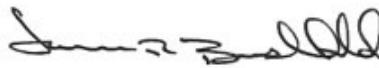
The statements contained in this application are true and correct. The applicant possesses the authority to undertake the work described herein or is acting as the duly authorized agent of the landowner. The applicant understands that the granting of a permit does not include landowner permission to access land or construct a project. Inspections of the project site after notice by inspection authorities are hereby authorized. Refer to section G in the instructions.

*Little 69 Ranch*

APPLICANT (Person responsible for project)

*James R. Bushfield*

Print Name



Signature of Applicant

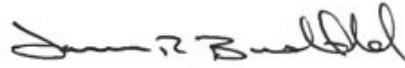
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LANDOWNER

*James R. Bushfield*

Print Name



Signature of Landowner

9/06/24

Date

\*CONTRACTOR'S PRIMARY CONTACT (if applicable)

Print Name

Signature of Applicant

Date

\*Contact agency to determine if contractor signature is required.