

## MONTHLY MEETING AGENDA

USDA Service Center, 415 South Front Street, Townsend, MT 59644



August 27, 2019 @ 7:00 PM

### I. CALL TO ORDER

### II. AGENCY REPORTS

- a) Planning Board (Herb Argabright)-
- b) MRCDC (Jim Beck)-
- c) FW&P (Ron Spoon)-
- d) NRCS (Justin Meissner)-
- e) Helena National Forest/Townsend Ranger District (Mike Welker, Carissa Silvis)-
- f) MSU Extension Office (Allison Kosto)-
- g) Weed Coordinator (Jessica Bushnell)-
- h) Broadwater County Commissioner Representative (Darrel Folkvord)-
- i) DES Coordinator/Floodplain Coordinator (Mike Koehnke/Shawn Higley)-
- j) County Attorney (Cory Swanson)- **Possible Executive Session for BW-6-15**
- k) MACD/NACD/DNRC/SWCDM/MACDEO & Other State and Federal Agencies-

### III. PUBLIC COMMENT/ GUESTS:

### IV. 310 BUSINESS

#### a) **Open Applications**

- BW-6-15 – Tracy Fortner, Montana Gulch – reclaiming mine tailings – (310 Rule Change; Findings of Fact for Declaratory Ruling)
- BW-12-16 – Ed Johnson, Ready Cash – recreational mining
- BW-8-17 – Joshua Grover and Gary Grover, Avalanche Creek – recreational mining
- BW-2-18 – Fox Benton, Deep Creek – bank stabilization/alteration
- BW-4-18 – Wyatt Gibbs, Jefferson River – irrigation and road construction
- BW-5-18 – Dave Smith, Jefferson River – road construction
- BW-8-18 – James & Teresa Conner, Deep Creek – bridge/culvert installation
- BW-12-18 – Montana Rail Link, Spokane Creek – bridge/culvert construction and improvement
- BW-13-18 – Michael Massa, Deep Creek – bank stabilization/alteration
- BW-15-18 – Gary Richtmyer, Deep Creek – bank stabilization/alteration
- BW-16-18 – Tony and Shannon Woodward, Duck Creek – bridge/culvert construction and improvement
- BW-17-18 – Allan Davies, Beaver Creek – irrigation
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- BW-19-18 – Allan Davies, Beaver Creek – irrigation
- BW-20-18 – Dustin Van Duin, Beaver Creek – bank stabilization/alteration/flooding
- BW-22-18 – Chuck Hahn, Beaver Creek
- BW-23-18 – Chuck Hahn, Deep Creek
- BW-24-18 – Round Grove Ranch, Un-named tributary of Cabin Gulch – livestock tanks
- BW-25-18 – Doug Bing, Jefferson River
- BW-26-18 – Albert Berberet, Six Mile - stock water
- BW-27-18 – John Baker, Cabin Gulch – recreational mining
- BW-28-18 – Ron Schock, North Fork – irrigation structure
- BW-29-18 – Montana Rail Link, Beaver Creek – bank stabilization/alteration

#### b) **2019 Applications**

- BW-1-19 – Richard Lyon, Duck Creek – bank stabilization/alteration
- BW-2-19 – Tim Peterson, Beaver Creek – bank stabilization/alteration
- BW-4-19 – Robert Boswell (Foster Irrigation), Duck Creek – irrigation structure
- BW-5-19 – Randy Robertson, Beaver Creek – bank stabilization/alteration
- BW-6-19 – Hilliard Thornton, Jefferson River – bank stabilization/alteration
- BW-7-19 – Dennis Hayes, Johnny's Gulch – recreational mining
- BW-8-19 – Jeffery Dobb, Crow Creek – recreational mining
- BW-10-19 – Steve Davis, White's Gulch – recreational mining
- BW-11-19 – Brandon Flynn, Greyson Creek – bridge/culvert installation
- BW-12-19 – Tyson O'Connell, Un-named – pond
- BW-13-19 – Darrell Harris, Confederate Gulch – channel alteration/irrigation structure
- BW-14-19 – Leisa McArthur, Deep Creek – bank stabilization/alteration

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- BW-15-19 – James & Teresa Conner, Deep Creek – bridge/culvert installation

c) **Other 310 Business:**

1. (PENDING) Thompson Ranch, Gurnett Creek – Stream Crossing
2. (PENDING) Graymont, Indian Creek
3. (PENDING) James & Teresa Conner, Deep Creek – irrigation structure/debris removal
4. 310 Rule Change specific to Montana Gulch and Findings of Fact on Declaratory Ruling for Montana Gulch

d) **Emergency Applications:**

1. BW-E3-19 – Wyatt Gibbs, Jefferson River

e) **Complaint Notices:**

### **V. DISTRICT BUSINESS**

a) **Minutes Approval:** May Corrections, June

b) **Financial Business**

1. **Financial Report Approval:** June, July
2. **Bills Pending Approval:** August
3. **Payroll Approval:** June, July
4. **Other Financial Business:**
  - Mill Levy/Permissive Mill Levy
  - Health Insurance
  - Supervisor Mileage Reimb and Per Diem
  - Administrative Grant

c) **On-Going Business**

1. **Misc. Projects/Grants Updates:**

- NRCS (NACD) Technical Assistance Grant
  - BOR Drought Resiliency
  - RMEF Grant (Forest Service)
  - Crow Creek Watershed Project (DNRC/NACD Grant)
  - Project Manager Updates:
    - 2017-2018 Mussel Grant
  - Project Coordinator Updates:
    - Wyse Acres Garden
2. **Deep Creek Updates**
    - Deep Creek Watershed Restoration Project/Grants Update: Monitoring, FEMA, Reach 8, 319 Grant
    - Deep Creek General Updates:
  3. **Big Springs RRGL #1 and #2 Update**
  4. **6<sup>th</sup> Grade Conservation Day**
  5. **Area VI Meeting – September 24, 2019 – Alder, MT**

d) **Event Reports:**

e) **New Business:**

1. **NRCS Contract Review – Possible Executive Session**
2. **2019 MACD Convention**

### **VI. OTHER BUSINESS**

a) **Miscellaneous Reading Material Folder and Correspondences**

b) **On-Going Business:**

c) **Other new business:**

1. **Hahn Ranch Tour – September 10-11, 2019**

d) **Natural Resource and Legislative News:**

### **VII. UPCOMING EVENTS – (details in Misc. Reading Material Folder)**

- a) Montana Range Tour – September 4-5, 2019 – Harlowton, MT
- b) Hahn Ranch Stewardship Tour – September – Townsend, MT
- c) MACD Convention – November 19-21, 2019, Kalispell, MT

**Next meeting is tentatively scheduled for September 24, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.**