

## MONTHLY MEETING AGENDA

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



March 26, 2019 @ 5:00 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)- **Possible Executive Session for Contract Review (Capital 360)**
- 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 (Declaratory Ruling Hearing Recommendation & Possible Decision)**
- k) MACD/NACD/DNRC/SWCDM/MACDEO & Other State and Federal Agencies-

### III. PUBLIC COMMENT/ GUESTS:

**Bob Flesher (DNRC Hearing's Officer) – Fortner Declaratory Ruling Hearing Recommendation Review**

### IV. 310 BUSINESS

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

- BW-6-15 – Tracy Fortner, Montana Gulch – reclaiming mine tailings – **Declaratory Ruling Hearing Recommendation & Possible Decision**
- BW-12-16 – Ed Johnson, Ready Cash – recreational mining
- BW-4-17 – John Ferrat, Marsh Creek – bank stabilization
- BW-6-17 – Kelly Webb, Crow Creek – Irrigation Structure
- BW-8-17 – Joshua Grover and Gary Grover, Avalanche Creek – recreational mining
- BW-18-17 – Dennis Hayes, Johnny's Gulch – 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-6-18 – Doris Hossfeld, Warm Springs Creek – bridge/culvert repair
- BW-7-18 – James Krismer, Magpie Creek – recreational mining
- BW-8-18 – James & Teresa Conner, Deep Creek – bridge/culvert installation
- BW-10-18 – Peggy Flynn, Greyson Creek – brush removal
- 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-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-3-19 – Dale Cook, Weasel Creek – recreational mining

## **March 26, 2019 – BCD Monthly Meeting Agenda**

- c) **Other 310 Business:**
  - 1. (PENDING) Eric Smith
- d) **Emergency Applications:**
  - BW-E1-19 – Broadwater Missouri Water Users, Crow Creek
  - BW-E2-19 – Broadwater Missouri Water Users, Ray Creek
- e) **Complaint Notices:**

### **V. DISTRICT BUSINESS**

- a) **Minutes Approval:** January
- b) **Financial Business**
  - 1. **Financial Report Approval:** January and February
  - 2. **Bills Pending Approval:** February and March
  - 3. **Payroll Approval:** January and February
  - 4. **Other Financial Business:** CD #7186 and CD #7187 will mature on 3/20/2019
- 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:
      - Soil Health Projects: McCone CD funding
      - 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. **Annual Ag Appreciation Dinner**
- d) **Event Reports:**
  - 1. Ag Appreciation Dinner – February 23, 2019
- e) **New Business:**
  - 1. April 9, 2019 – Local Working Group Meeting
  - 2. Soil and Land Use Committee Meeting Update
  - 3. Montana Range Days

### **VI. OTHER BUSINESS**

- a) **Miscellaneous Reading Material Folder and Correspondences**
- b) **On-Going Business:**
- c) **Other new business:**
  - 1. Hahn Ranch Stewardship Tour – June 19-20, 2019
  - 2. BOR Canyon Ferry Update
- d) **Natural Resource and Legislative News:**
  - 1. Legislative Update

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

- a) Montana Lakes Conference – March 13-15, 2019 – Whitefish, MT
- b) 2019 Montana Nutrition Conference and Livestock Forum – April 15-16, 2019 – Bozeman, MT
- c) SWAT Training – June 3-6, 2019 – Highwood, MT
- d) Range Days – June 17-19, 2019
- e) Hahn Ranch Tour (Stewardship Award) – June 19-20, 2019

**Next meeting is tentatively scheduled for April 23, 2019 at 5:00 p.m.**