

**Agenda - Beaverhead Conservation District**  
**NRCS office/USDA conference room 420 Barrett St. -June 20<sup>th</sup>, 2024**  
**\*Public Comments will be limited to 3 minutes \*Sign-In Sheet\***

\_\_\_\_\_ opened the meeting at \_\_\_\_\_ pm.

**Present were:** \_\_\_\_\_.

**Absent were:** \_\_\_\_\_.

Motion to excuse absences by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ Motion \_\_\_\_\_.

**May Minutes were:** Approved/Denied/Amended by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ Motion \_\_\_\_\_.

**June Finances-(attached)**

Motion to approve/deny/amend finances by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ Motion \_\_\_\_\_.

**NRCS-** Sara Leffingwell

**Southwest Montana Sagebrush Partnership** – Emma Fullerton

**Beaverhead County Extension** – Jack Bazemore

**Range Committee**- Meg Smith and Dori McNeill

- Motion to approve/deny/amend finances by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ Motion \_\_\_\_\_.

**310 Business- Matt Jaeger**

- BCD 2411 Harris Wheat, Beaverhead River, Headgate Maintence Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- BCD 2412 Harris Wheat, Beaverhead River, Headgate Maintence Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- BCD 2413 Ed Wolfe Ranch, unnamed spring, bank stabilization Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- BCD 2414 Joel Schnitzler, Beaverhead River, Bank Stabilization Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- BCD 2415 Diamond O, Tyler Barrus, Beaverhead River, Headgate Maintence Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- BCD 2416 JB Anderson, Blacktail Creek, Mandatory Stream Restoration from Flooding mitigation Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- BCD 2417 Donnie Bensen, Blacktail Creek, Small Bridge Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.

**310 Business- Jim Olsen**

- BCD 2410 Rafferty Violation, Big Hole River near notch bottom, headgate replacement and diversion

### **Beaverhead Watershed- Zach Owen**

- Grants payments and billings (attached)  
Motion to approve/deny/amend by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- Biofiltration of Acid Mine Groundwater Seeps at Elkhorn Mine and Mill  
Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- RITP-23-0189 Elkhorn Mine and Mill 30% Remedy & Biofiltration Design  
Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- RITP-23-0192 Elkhorn Mine and Mill: Repository Investigation  
Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- RIT-24-8913 Grasshopper Creek Mine Tailings Stream Bank Stabilization  
Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.  
Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- RITP-22-0176 Elkhorn Mine and Mill Acid Mine Drainage Biofiltration Design  
Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.

### **Administrators Report- Jess Fields**

- 8 Mussel Boats, 1291 Inspections, 500 High Risk
- Vacation June 23-July 5
- National Conservation District Employee Association Meeting – August 20-22, Billings  
Motion to allow Jess to attend NCDEA by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.

### **Old Business**

### **New Business**

- Motion to Contract with Pioneer Technical Service for the Boot Dam project by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup>  
\_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- DNRC report- Catey Bauer (Attached)

### **Public Comment-** Limited to 3 minutes and must sign in

### **Adjournment**

### **Upcoming Events**

- Next meeting date – July 18<sup>th</sup> 6 pm