

Agenda - Beaverhead Conservation District
NRCS office/USDA conference room 420 Barrett St. –March 20th, 2025
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 _____ 2nd _____ Motion _____.

February Minutes were: Approved/Denied/Amended by _____ 2nd _____ Motion _____.

March Finances-(attached)

Motion to approve/deny/amend finances by _____ 2nd _____ Motion _____.

NRCS- Garrett Vasa

Southwest Montana Sagebrush Partnership – Emma Fullerton

Beaverhead County Extension – Jack Bazemore

Range Committee- Meg Smith and Dori McNeill – Summer Range Tour, CD Newsletter, Meg and reminisce donating beef for YCD, Working on CD History

Motion to sponsor Youth Conservation Day Lunch by _____ 2nd _____ motion _____.

Education and Outreach – Marti Laknar

310 Business- Matt Jaeger – Site visits March 25th

- BCD 2503 Dan Greenslade, Red Rock River, Sump box for Pivot (tabled until Spring)
Motion to _____ pending site visit by _____ 2nd _____ motion _____.
- BCD 2504 Dan Greenslade, Red Rock River, Sump box for Pivot (tabled until Spring)
Motion to _____ pending site visit by _____ 2nd _____ motion _____.
- BCD 2509 Karen Ward, Complaint, Sump Rehabilitation, Blacktail Deere Creek
Motion to _____ by _____ 2nd _____ motion _____.
- BCD 2510 Cal and Brooke Erb, Albers Slough, Replace an Undersized Culvert
Motion to _____ pending site visit by _____ 2nd _____ motion _____.
- BCD 2527 Huntsman, Sage Creek, Headgate Replacement
Motion to _____ pending site visit by _____ 2nd _____ motion _____.
- BCD 2528 David Schuett, Blacktail Creek, Headgate Replacement, Blacktail Rd 1
Motion to _____ pending site visit by _____ 2nd _____ motion _____.
- BCD 2529 David Schuett, Blacktail Creek, Headgate Replacement, Blacktail Rd 2
Motion to _____ pending site visit by _____ 2nd _____ motion _____.
- BCD 2530 David Schuett, Blacktail Creek, Headgate Replacement, Blacktail Rd 3
Motion to _____ pending site visit by _____ 2nd _____ motion _____.
- BCD 2531 David Schuett, Blacktail Creek, Headgate Replacement, Buster Brown Rd
Motion to _____ pending site visit by _____ 2nd _____ motion _____.

310 Business- Jim Olsen

- BCD 2431 Jay Hahncamp, Irrigation dam and Culvert removal, Big Hole River, Violation
- BCD 2505 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Ruby Creek
- BCD 2506 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Trail Creek
- BCD 2507 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Placer Creek
- BCD 2511 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Trail Creek
- BCD 2512 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Runaway Creek
- BCD 2513 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Sage Creek

- BCD 2514 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Cascade Creek
Motion to _____lost trail quad 310s by _____ 2nd _____ motion _____.
- BCD 2515 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Boulder Creek
- BCD 2516 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Canyon Creek
- BCD 2517 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Trail Creek 2
- BCD 2518 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Trail Creek 3
- BCD 2519 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Sheep Creek
- BCD 2520 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Trail Creek 4
- BCD 2521 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Trail Creek 5
- BCD 2522 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Elk Creek
- BCD 2523 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Rat Creek
Motion to _____elk creek quad 310s by _____ 2nd _____ motion _____.
- BCD 2524 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Hogan Creek
- BCD 2525 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Prairie Creek
- BCD 2526 Southern Montana Telephone, Utilities Boring, Trail Creek 6
Motion to _____Big Hole battlefield quad 310s by _____ 2nd _____ motion _____.

Beaverhead Watershed-

- Grants payments and billings (attached)
Motion to approve/deny/amend by _____ 2nd _____ motion _____.
- Wildlife Speaker Series, Elkhorn, Grasshopper, Stone Creek
Motion to sponsor Wildlife Speaker Series Dinner by _____ 2nd _____ motion _____.

Administrators Report- Jess Fields

- Admin Grant
Motion to apply for the FY26 Admin Grant by _____ 2nd _____ motion _____.
- Watercraft Inspection Station – 1 Mussel boat, 52 Inspections, 22 High-risk

Old Business

New Business

- Legislative Update (Attached Handout)
- Madison County Planning Board Subdivision Regulations (Handout Attached)
- Big Hole Watershed Nonpoint Source Reduction & Floodplain Connectivity Project (Attached Handout)
Motion to send letter of support by _____ 2nd _____ motion _____.
- DNRC report- Catey Bauer (Attached)

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Adjournment

Upcoming Events

- Sustainable Ranching Workshop – March 25th-26th
- County Wide Meeting – April 3rd, 4-H building, Noon
- Next meeting date – April 17th 6 pm
- Youth Conservation Day – April 24th (Need Burger Flippers!)
- Wildlife Speaker Series – June 12th