

**Agenda - Beaverhead Conservation District**  
**NRCS Office 420 Barrett St. Dillon, MT 59725–January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2026**  
**\*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 \_\_\_\_\_.

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

**January Finances-(attached) (pg. 6-7)**

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

**Public Comment on non-agenda items** - Limited to 3 minutes and must sign in

**NRCS** – Erin Paddock

**Southwest Montana Sagebrush Partnership** – Emma Fullerton

Flexible Grazing Workshop April 7-8 (100-150 participants) (sack lunches \$11.75)

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

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

**Beaverhead County Extension** – Jack Bazemore

**Education and Outreach** – Marti Laknar

- Motion to pay time, mileage, and hotel for Western MT Grazing and Ag Conference January 29 and 30 by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.

### **310 Business- Matt Jaeger**

- BCD 2570 Huntsman Ranch Company, Headgate/Diversion Replacement, Sage Creek Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- BCD 2432 Blacktail Deere Creek Owners Association, Sewer Lift Station and Rehabilitation, Permit Extension, Permit expires 1/17/26 Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- BCD 2501 Red Rocks Springs Ranch, Kidd Creek Public Mile, As-builts
- BCD 2601 J. Dwight Harrison Ranch, Grasshopper Creek, Beaver Dam Removal, Flooding Emergency Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- BCD 2602 R.E. Miller and Sons, Beaverhead River and Poindexter Slough, Road Restructuring (124)
- BCD 2603 Brent Munday, Blacktail Deere Creek, Flooding Emergency Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- BCD 2608 Deere Creek Excavation, Blacktail Deer Creek, Beaver Dam Removal, Flooding Emergency Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.

### **310 Business- Jim Olsen**

- BCD 2541 Violation, Boat Ramp, Big Hole River (Waiting on Complaint)
- BCD 2604 Jarrett Dakota Brown, Complaint, Trail Creek/ North Fork Big Hole River, Multiple complaints, Berm next to house along creek, Bridges added and removed, Willow Removal. Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- BCD 2605 Chuck Woods, Big Hole River, 5-year Diversion Maintenance Agreement

- Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- BCD 2606 Jim Hagenborth, Big Hole River, 5-year Diversion Maintenance Agreement  
Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- BCD 2607 Jim Hagenborth, Big Hole River, 5-year Diversion Maintenance Agreement  
Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.

### **Beaverhead Watershed-**

- Elkhorn- Construction Stage
- Pausing Beaverhead County Collaborative

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

- Watercraft Inspection Station 2026 Contract and Inspector Wages  
Motion to \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ motion \_\_\_\_\_.  
Contract: 2025: \$240,000 2026: \$252,000 Wages: 2025: \$18/\$19/\$21 2026: \$19/\$20/\$22

### **Old Business**

### **New Business**

- Election of Associate Supervisors and officers  
Motion to elect \_\_\_\_\_ for Chairman, \_\_\_\_\_ for Vice Chairman, \_\_\_\_\_ for Treasurer, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ for associate supervisors, 2<sup>nd</sup> by \_\_\_\_\_, Motion \_\_\_\_\_.
- Board Elections Rich, Jerry, Billiette – File between February 17th – March 4<sup>th</sup>
- DNRC Report- Catey Bauer (pg.8)

### **Adjournment**

### **Upcoming Events**

- Next meeting date – February 20<sup>th</sup> 6 pm
- Flexible Grazing Workshop April 7-8<sup>th</sup>