AGENDA - Missoula Conservation District April 14th, 2025 at 5:30 pm

Clover Conference Room on 2nd Floor, Gerald W. Marks Exploration Center 1075 South Avenue West, Missoula, MT 59801

For access information on joining the meeting virtually by Zoom video conference or by phone, please contact: Sonja Skovlin: sskovlin@missoulacd.org, 406-258-3430 or Radley Watkins: rwatkins@missoulacd.org, 406-214-5131

- I. Call Meeting to Order
- II. Minutes
- III. Treasurer's Report
- IV. Public Comment
- V. Reports
 - **A.** NRCS Report
 - **B.** County Attorney Report
 - C. Montana FWP
 - **D.** DNRC Conservation District Bureau
 - E. MACD
 - **i.** 2025 Dues
 - ii. Bridger Plant Materials Center Donation request
 - F. Bitter Root RC&D
 - **G.** Dept. of Ecology and Extension/Weed District
 - **H.** Watershed Groups
 - i. MT Watershed Coordination Council Membership
 - I. Planning Board Update
 - I. Water Quality District
 - K. District Committees
 - L. Missoula CD Employees
 - **M.** Other Reports
 - i. Leveraging AI for Conservation
 - ii. Legislative Update

VI. New Business

- **A.** Correspondence and Upcoming Events
- **B.** Site Inspections Scheduling
- **C.** Programs
 - i. Grants Program
 - 1. MCD Grants
 - a. CEG-02-25 Treece Engineering Design for Miller Creek Restoration
 - 2. Outside Grants
 - a. DNRC Nonpoint Source Program Grant
 - **b.** DNRC CDA Grant
 - ii. Soil Health/Equipment Program
 - iii. Pollinator Program/MTNSN
 - iv. Wildlife Damage & Habitat Conservation Program
- D. Montana Biocontrol Project Funding Request
- **E.** MACD Resolution
- F. The Montana Forest Products Story
- **G.** Restoration Tools

H. Other New Business

VII. Old Business

- A. MCPS Ag Program Project
- **B.** Horse MOU
- **C.** Other Old Business

VIII. 310 Emergency Notices

- IX. Existing 310 Permits
- X. APO Applications

XI. 310 Permit Applications

MS-09-24 – Todd Randall obo Matthew Cole – Rattlesnake Creek – Channel/Bank Projects **Geocode**: 04-2200-11-2-05-08-0000

MS-37-24 – BNSF Railway c/o Mike Rahl – Blackfoot River – Improvement to Existing Structure **Geocode:** N/A

MS-06-25 – Five Valleys Land Trust c/o Mari Houck – Rock Creek – Trail Construction Geocode: 04-1978-12-2-01-02-0000

MS-07-25 – Malcolm Miller obo Steve and Vanessa Berry – Butler Creek – Tree Removal **Geocode**: 04-2325-24-1-03-15-0000

MS-08-25 – Alicia Chivers obo MDT – Nine Mile Creek – Infrastructure Development **Geocode**: 04-2427-28-2-04-05-0000

MS-09-25 – Roland Redmond – Rattlesnake Creek – Riparian Restoration

Geocode: 04-2200-11-3-06-12-0000

MS-10-25 – Jonathan Roth – Edith Creek – Crossings/Roads **Geocode:** 04-2428-27-3-03-03000

MS-11-25 – Nancy Siegel – Rattlesnake Creek – Riparian Planting

Geocode: 04-2200-14-3-80-30-0000

XII. 310 Complaints

CM-02-25 – Lawrence and Frances Daly – Rattlesnake Creek – Vegetation Removal **Geocode**: 04-2200-11-3-06-11-0000

CM-3-25 – Charles and Mary Erickson – Clark Fork River – Unpermitted Berming **Geocode:** 04-2201-27-2-03-0300

XIII. 310 Existing Violations Needing Action

CM-01-24 – Glen and Rhonda Brownlee – Donovan Creek – Crossings/Roads **Geocode:** 04-2095-08-3-01-05-0000

CM-08-24 - Northwestern Energy - West Fork Twin Creek - Vegetation Removal

Geocode: 04-2328-35-1-01-01-0000

CM-01-25 – Redmond Revocable Trust – Rattlesnake Creek – Vegetation Removal

Geocode: 04-2200-11-3-06-12-0000

XIV. 310 Existing Violations Pending Follow-up Inspection

CM-03-23 (Re: MS-17-23) – Tyler and Tracy Deeds – Clearwater River – Vegetation Removal

Geocode: 04-2540-14-2-02-05-0000

CM-05-23 (Re: MS-41-23) – David and Lori Rath – Lolo Creek – Stream Excavation

Geocode: 04-1972-05-1-01-03-0000

CM-07-23 (Re: MS) – Kathy and Bruce Graham – Clearwater River – Vegetation Removal

Geocode: 04-2540-14-2-02-01-0000

CM-10-23 (Re: MS-28-23, MS-08-24) – Patricia Coolidge/Dianne Nagy – Clearwater River – Construction

in a Riparian Area

Geocode: 04-2540-10-1-02-05-0000

CM-14-23 – Joan Mulligan – Clark Fork River – Vegetation Removal

Geocode: 04-2095-21-2-02-01-0000

CM-03-24 – Nathan Woronik – Clearwater River – Vegetation Removal and Heavy Equipment Operation

Geocode: 04-2540-10-3-01-13-0000

CM-05-24 – Gary and April Yetter – Lolo Creek – Vegetation Removal and Unpermitted Dock

Geocode: 04-1974-02-1-02-01-0000

XV. 310 Inquiries & Issues

XVI. Payment of Bills and Claims/Adjournment

The next Missoula Conservation District meeting is scheduled for **May 12th**, **2025**, at **5:30 p.m.** in the Gerald W. Marks Exploration Center, 1075 South Avenue West, Missoula, MT, 59801.