



## **MEETING AGENDA**

Bitterroot Conservation District (BCD) Board of Supervisors scheduled meeting for Tuesday the 30th of June 2026, 7:00 p.m., 1709 North First Street, Hamilton, MT.

Remote Zoom Conferencing option:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/9146460887?pwd=jWRaphHF313K16iWsSBa8zMnBpbvCs.1&omn=87257310534>

## **ROLL CALL**

## **MINUTES**

June 9, 2026

## **BUSINESS BEFORE THE BOARD**

1. Associate Supervisor Candidate.
2. BCD Adopted Rule Changes and Appendix public comment review.
3. Bitterroot Water Partnership sponsorship request for Annual River Clean Up event.
4. Emergency Forest Relief Program (EFRP) BCD Partnership

## **BCD COST-SHARE/EDUCATION/GRANT PROGRAMS**

1. Cost-Share Program
  - a. Rimensberger CS-007-2026 Project Follow up
  - b. Devoe CS-006-2026 Project Completed
  - c. 2027 Cost Share Application Site Inspections
  - d. Cost Share Report

## **BCD COMMITTEE REPORTS**

1. Myers, Open Lands Board.
2. Reagan, Education Committee.
3. Rosenberg, Scholarship Committee.

## **PARTNER REPORTS**

1. Rob Livesay, Ravalli County Planning and Floodplain Department.
  - a. Floodplain Permit Extension Approval FA-25-03/Residential Construction, Barrow Pit, and Associated Utilities.
2. Kimberly Richardson, MSU Ravalli County Extension Resources/Horticulture Agent
3. Catey Bauer, Conservation District Specialist, Department of Natural Resources and Conservation (DNRC), July 2026 written report.
4. Other partner reports.

## **NOTICES**

1. 2026 Western Agricultural Research Center Field Day Event, Thursday July 30<sup>th</sup>, 2026, 4:30-8:30, MSU Agricultural Research Center in Corvallis.
2. Two Grounds Maintenance Positions Openings at Rocky Mountain Labs, Full time, 40 hours per week with benefits, \$24/hour. Contact Jeff Mark for more information.
3. MACD 2026 Convention Planning Work Group.
4. MACD Call for Impact & Conservation Stories.
5. DNRC: Administrative Rules for Conservation District Grants- Public Comment.

6. Montana Historical Society Hosts Five-Day History Festival in Helena.
7. Montana Fish, Wildlife, & Parks Permit SPA-22-26 R-2, 214 Permit Approval/Robbins Gulch/Culvert Removal and SPA-19-26 R-2, 214 Permit Approval/Daly Creek/Bridge Replacement.

### **OLD BUSINESS**

1. 310 Complaint BT033-2026 Brad Johnson against Summit Heating & Cooling Inc./Christisen Creek-digging in the creek without a permit. (Reagan, Hansen)
2. 10-year 310 Application BT041-2026 John Lewis/East Channel Bitterroot River-annual installation and removal of steel irrigation diversion. (Dobberstein, Eldredge) Tabled for a site visit
3. 310 Complaint BT042-2026 Berro against Perkins/Pine Hollow Creek-excavation of a road across a stream without a 310 permit. (Sutherlin, Kerslake)
4. 310 Application BT046-2026 Grizzly Broadband/ Multiple Creeks/ Directional Boring Utilities (Sutherlin, Kerslake)

### **OTHER OLD BUSINESS**

1. 310 Application BT041-2025/Kevin Whitetaker/Pond Maintenance/Cow Creek, Extension Request
2. 310 Application BT012-2026/Northwestern Energy/ Utilities: Tree Pruning and Removal/ North Burnt Fork Creek: Verification of Project Completion
3. 310 Application BT058-2025/Brian Melius/Repairing Existing Leaking Pond/Blodget Creek: Verification of Project Completion.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

1. 310 Complaint BT047-2026 Ronnie Carlton, John Frick against Roger Mikesell/Eight Mile Creek-working in the creek without a valid permit. (Sutherlin, Kerslake)
2. 310 10-Year Application BT048-2026 Roger Mikesell/Eight Mile Creek- annual irrigation maintenance. (Sutherlin, Kerslake)
3. 310 Application BT049-2026 Ravalli Electric, Joe Parsons/Iron Cap Creek-utility bore. (Sutherlin, Kerslake)
4. 310 7-Year Application BT50-2026 for 310 Permit BT039-2021 Double Fork Ranch, ETNA, Webfoot, Union Ditches/Bitterroot River East/West Split-annual irrigation maintenance. (Dobberstein, Eldredge)

### **OTHER NEW BUSINESS**

### **PUBLIC OPEN MIC**

### **DISTRICT BUSINESS**

1. County checks 107293-107312.
2. BCD Credit Card for Puczkowskyj/Supervisors
3. Mileage and Per Diem Checks
4. May Budget Report
5. FY27/28 Budget
6. July Calendar
7. Annual Plan
8. Puczkowskyj Transition to District Administrator
9. Bonding Insurance for Puczkowskyj and Rosenberg



**INCOMING CORRESPONDENCE**

1. Western Landowners Alliance: Leadership from Land