



## Meeting Minutes June 18th 2025

<b>Supervisors Present</b>	<b>Employees Present</b>
Mary Reed	Morgan Owens
Kristen Wing- Zoom	<b>Advisors Present</b>
Nancy Mehaffie	Jason Blakney-Zoom
	Dillon Martini- Zoom
<b>Visitors Present</b>	
Trent Harmon	Michael Feiger
David Williams	Jesse Tuma- Zoom
Kristefer Williams	
Christopher Rossel	

**Meeting called to order at 6:00 p.m.**

**Meeting Agenda items not always taken in order that they appear.**

### INTRODUCTIONS

- This meeting is being recorded.

### PUBLIC COMMENT

### MINUTES FROM May 21st 2025 MEETING

- Minutes were approved as submitted.

### 310 ACTIVITIES

#### **SW-02-24**

- The landowner did not go as wide as originally planned for the dock.
- A motion to close the project as complete with the new width was made by Kristen, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mary. Motion carries.

#### **SW-03-24**

- The landowner has requested to file an extension on the project.
- A motion to approve the extension request was made by Kristen, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Nancy. Motion carries.

#### **SW-05-24**

- The landowner submitted completion paperwork, but the permit required reseeding that has not been done yet; therefore, the project is not complete. Landowner will need to file an extension for the reseeding.

#### **SW-25-24**

- A site visit was completed on 6/13/25.
- This 310 application was an after-the-fact application for work that had been done to the bank without a permit.
- A motion to approve the project as modified in the team report was made by Nancy, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Kristen. Motion carries.

#### **SW-01-25**

- The applicant submitted completion paperwork, but the permit required reseeding that has not been done yet, therefore the project is not complete. The applicant/landowner still has time in the permit to complete reseeding without an extension.

#### **SW-10-25**

- A motion to accept the application as complete with a site visit was made by Nancy, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mary. Motion carries.

#### **SW-11-25**

- There was discussion about the specifics of the project since the applicant is wanting to utilize the claims for a public program for veterans. There were questions about landowner (Forest Service) permission and whether or not they have permitted the proposed activity. There was also discussion about the bull trout habitat in that area as well as methylmercury concerns if digging too deep.
- A motion to accept the application as complete was made by Nancy, no 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion does not carry.

#### **SW-12-25**

- A motion to accept the application as complete with a site visit was made by Nancy, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Kristen. Motion carries.

#### **SW-13-25**

- There was a site visit for this violation on 6/13/25. The person in violation is working on an after-the-fact 310 application for the work that was done.
- No votes or motions were made due to Kristen abstaining and not having a full quorum.

#### **FINANCIAL REPORT.**

- The financial report and the accounts payable for May was approved as submitted.

#### **ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT:**

- The supplies for the Noxon school fence and raised beds have been purchased and we will start putting up fence and building the beds in July.
- Morgan was unable to attend Spring Board Meeting in Helena, but reviewed the trainings that were recorded.
- Morgan is working with Karen on getting all of the administration accounts set up for Gilly.

#### **LOWER CLARK FORK WATERSHED GROUP (LCFWG) REPORT**

- No report

#### **MONTANA FWP**

- No report

#### **NRCS**

- Wrapping up with contracting on my preapproved EQIP and CSP applications
- Providing Conservation Technical Service (CTA) as requested. Combination of seeding, grazing management, plant ID, and forestry.
- Administering active contracts
  - This has kept me very busy lately!! We've been planting trees, thinning forests, planting cover crops, creating riparian forest buffer (i.e. more intensive tree planting), and more.

#### **AVISTA UTILITIES UPDATE**

- No report

#### **NORTH WESTERN ENERGY (NWE) UPDATE**

- No report

#### **AIP TASK FORCE UPDATE**

- There will be a state meeting soon that is going to be a boat trip for people to have the opportunity to go out on the water and see the projects happening.

#### **PUBLIC EDUCATION**

## **SUPERVISOR/EMPLOYEE EDUCATION**

- Morgan discussed the Train-the Trainer event in Missoula and the pollinator plant packs that she got to bring home to disperse in our county. The plant packs were provided by DEQ.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

### **BUILDING REPAIR/GROUNDS MAINTENANCE**

- Rick finished replacing the windows. One of the windows in the bathroom has a slight crack in the pane, but he is aware and making sure it gets fixed.

### **EQUIPMENT**

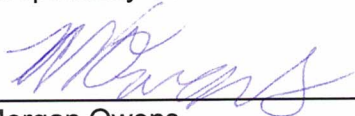
- The tires got replaced on the no-till drill.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

- A motion to approve the county budget as submitted was made by Nancy, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Kristen. Motion carries.
- A motion to give the GMCD crew each a \$100 stipend to go towards new jackets to get embroidered the GMCD logo and name for site visits, conferences, and other public occasions tied to GMCD business was made by Kristen, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Nancy. Motion carries.

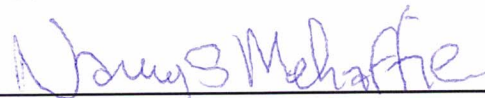
## **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Meeting adjourned at 7:57 pm.  
Respectfully Submitted.



Morgan Owens  
District Administrator

Approved.



Nancy Mehaffie  
Chairman