

NOVEMBER 16 - 20, 2020
COMMISSIONER MEETINGS

Sweet Grass County Commissioner meetings are held in the office of the county commissioners in the Sweet Grass County Annex in Big Timber, Montana, unless otherwise noted in the minutes. The first Monday of each month a department head staff meeting will be held at 9:30 a.m. Claims will be reviewed and approved for payment every Thursday unless a conflict arises. At least one commissioner will be in the office from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. daily unless they are at a conference or a meeting requiring them to be out of the office.

NOTICE: These minutes reflect the proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners. The official minutes are on file with the Clerk and Recorder (MCA 7-4-2611(2)(b)).

Monday, November 16, 2020

Commissioner Wallace and Roe are in today and Commissioner Moody is out.

Beartooth RC & D came in for their annual report. There are currently two local businesses using the revolving loan fund and they assisted another local business with an infrastructure loan.

County Attorney Dringman stopped with the Mental Health Policy and Procedure agreement draft.

Public Works Director Conner was in to discuss the Old Boulder Road bridge replacement project.

Commissioner Wallace attended a PMC board meeting via Zoom.

Tuesday, November 17, 2020

All Commissioners are in today.

Planner Dringman was in to discuss the Baker COS.

The Commissioners participated in the Custer Gallatin National Forest meeting via WebEx.

Wednesday, November 18, 2020

All Commissioners are in today.

Public Works Director Conner presented encroachment permits for Kemph, Conner and Triangle Communications.

Commissioner Roe made a motion to approve the encroachment permits for Kemph (1) and Conner (3) upon the recommendation of the county attorney with Cory's guidelines. Commissioner Moody seconded this and the motion passed with 3 ayes.

Commissioner Roe made a motion to approve the encroachment permit for Triangle Communications for boring under Deadman's Canyon Road at Singbiel's property. Commissioner Moody seconded this and the motion passed with 3 ayes.

Superintendent of Schools Metcalf stopped in to discuss the tax appeal board hearing.

Dr. Betsy Baker called to discuss the development of the policy and procedure manual for the Community Mental Health program.

Thursday, November 19, 2020

Commissioner Wallace and Moody are in today and Commissioner Roe was in after lunch.

Claims for the week were reviewed and signed.

Commissioner Moody and Roe attended a Beartooth RC & D meeting via Zoom.

DES/911 Coordinator Brophy was in to give updates.

Public Health Nurse Chappell stopped in to discuss hiring an assistant to answer phones, contact tracing and other Covid-19 issues.

Kirby Johnson from the PMC met with the Commissioners to discuss the remodel. Commissioner Roe made a motion to approve the request for proposal for construction management/general contractor (CM/GC) services for the inpatient hospital and outpatient clinic remodel and addition. Commissioner Moody seconded this and the motion passed with 3 ayes. Griffin from the Big Timber Pioneer was also present for this meeting.

Friday, November 20, 2020

All Commissioners are in today.

Superintendent of Schools Metcalf was in to discuss the tax appeal process.

The Commissioners went to the Old Boulder Road bridge replacement project for a final walk through.

Respectfully submitted,
/s/ Vera Pederson

Board of County Commissioners

William Wallace, Chairman

Date Approved: December 17, 2020

Attest: Vera Pederson, Clerk