

MAY 9 - 13, 2022
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, May 9, 2022

All Commissioners are in today.

Finance Officer Uehling was in to talk about the ARPA grant.

DES/911 Coordinator Brophy was in to give updates.

County Attorney Dringman was in to give updates for his office.

Ronda Johnston stopped by to discuss the fair grounds.

Tuesday, May 10, 2022

All Commissioners are in today.

Public Works Director Conner was in to give updates.

Commissioner Wallace made a motion to appoint Gail Neal as the Area II on Aging consumer representative and Commissioner Roe as the commissioner representative. Commissioner Moody seconded this and the motion passed with 3 ayes.

Commissioner Wallace made a motion to designate Journey Recovery as the approved SUD treatment and prevention provider for Sweet Grass County. Commissioner Moody seconded this and the motion passed with 3 ayes.

DES/911 Coordinator Brophy was in to discuss the phone system and DUI task force board and budget.

A meeting regarding Shepherder Square was held with Austin Alexander, Page Dringman, Monte Koch, Jami Moody and Raymond Porter present.

Wednesday, May 11, 2022

All Commissioners are in today.

Commissioner Wallace attended the MTNRC meeting via Zoom.

Kevin Mitchum with Sibanye Stillwater Mine was in to give the Sibanye Stillwater Mine impact information.

Commissioner Moody made a motion to re-appoint Sally Indreland to the tax appeal board for a 3-year term. Commissioner Wallace seconded this and the motion passed with 3 ayes.

Dan Tronrud was in to talk about a new community health worker position.

An Airport board meeting was held with Ace Walker, Liz Rhodes, Brian Engle, Ken Wendland, Bob Bryan, Justin Ferguson and Hap Roberts present.

Thursday, May 12, 2022

All Commissioners are in today.

Planner Dringman presented a boundary relocation survey for Grosfields for review. Commissioner Wallace made a motion to approve a boundary relocation creating two new tracts over 160 acres on Swamp Creek. Commissioner Moody seconded this and the motion passed with 3 ayes.

Planner Dringman presented the final plat for Eagle Cliff Subdivision for review. The Commissioners decided not to approve the final plat due to the incomplete approach access off of Highway 191, lack of final weed agreement and either an HOA or a road agreement defining subdivision road use.

Clerk and Recorder Pederson was in to go over agenda items for the upcoming weeks.

Commissioner Moody made a motion to approve the support letter for South-Central Montana Regional Mental Health Center's grant application for the certified community behavioral health clinic planning grant. Commissioner Wallace seconded this and the motion passed with 3 ayes.

Mike Ruggles with MFWP was in to talk about the island at Indian Fort fishing access.

Mayor DeBoer was in to discuss law enforcement in the city limits.

Friday, May 13, 2022

All Commissioners are in today.

Mark Silverstien was in to inquire about Theorem meat cutting plant.

A call was made to Nathan with KLJ Engineering to discuss the process for changing the name of the airport.

Respectfully submitted,
/s/ Vera Pederson

Board of County Commissioners

Melanie Roe, Chairman

Date Approved: July 7, 2022

Attest: Vera Pederson, Clerk