

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ADMINISTRATIVE PUBLIC MEETING MINUTES

MISSOULA COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 199 WEST PINE STREET, ADMIN ROOM 206
February 5, 2026

How to attend the meeting

Hybrid meeting: You can attend in person in Conference Room 206 of the Missoula County Administration Building (199 W. Pine st) or virtually by using our Microsoft Teams link found here: <http://missoula.co/bccpublicmeeting>

ATTENDANCE

Present: Josh Slotnick, David Strohmaier, Juanita Vero, Chris Lounsbury, Jacob Allington, Elisha Buchholz, Annie Cathey, Christina Dewar, Melissa Fisher, Allison Franz, Cheryl Hartman, Carey Powers

Other Attendees: Tenzin Lhaze, Bethany Gunther, Kelsey Phillips, Patricia Spotted Wolf, MCAT

I. PUBLIC COMMENT ON ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

None

II. CONSENT AGENDA

Moved: Juanita Vero
Second: David Strohmaier
Vote: Yes 3, No 0, Abstained 0
Additional Info: Consent agenda items passed as written

1. Request board approve updated interlocal agreement with the city of Missoula for land use planning services.

Electronically sent to Karen Hughes, Planning, Development & Sustainability.

2. Request board approve subrecipient agreement with Providence Health & Services - Montana to allocate \$320,691.47 (\$104,801.13 is allocated for FY26 and \$215,890.33 is allocated for FY27) of Crisis Diversion Grant funding for the Youth Crisis Diversion Program.

Agreement filed with Clerk and Recorder/Treasurer's Office: Book 1124 Page 889. Electronically sent to Melissa Richards, Grants.

III. ACTION ITEMS

1. Request board approve FY 26 Community Parks and Recreation Grants in the amount of \$90,000 as recommended by the Parks and Trails Advisory Board and subject to the considerations included within the attached agreements.

Presenter:

Bethany Gunther

Kelsey Phillips

Moved:

David Strohmaier

Second:

Juanita Vero

Motion:

Motion passed as written

Vote:

Yes 3, No 0, Abstained 0

Additional Info:

Contract/Project Begin Date:

2/5/2026

Contract/Project End Date:

6/30/2027

Contracts filed with Clerk and Recorder/Treasurer's Office. Electronically sent to Bethany Gunther and Kelsey Phillips, Lands and Communities

Seeley Lake Nordic Ski Book 1124 Page 890

Bonner School Book 1124 Page 891

Potomac School Book 1124 Page 892

Forest Service Museum Book 1124 Page 893

Ninemile Community Council Book 1124 Page 894

IV. CORRESPONDENCE

None

V. DISCUSSION ITEMS

None

VI. UPCOMING EVENTS AND INVITATIONS

None

VII. SIGNING OF ITEMS APPROVED AT PUBLIC MEETING

None

VIII. OTHER COMMENTS/INSTRUCTIONS

None