

Park Conservation District

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November 5, 2024 – 11:00am REGULAR BOARD MEETING

AGENDA

USDA Conference Room

5242 US Hwy 89 S
Livingston, MT 59047

Zoom Meeting Link:

Join Zoom Meeting:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88966472688?pwd=VWVFMmI1bVhwSFB4a3M5b2ZlZhdPdz09>

Meeting ID: 889 6647 2688 Passcode: 260624

Call in: (305) 224-1968

I. 11:00am - Call the Regular Park CD Board Meeting to Order – Ned Zimmerman, Chairman

II. 310 Applications: Inspection Reports, Discussion and Board Decision:

A. PK-38-24

Pine Creek, 212 Pine Creek Rd, Livingston, Brad Greenwood. Bank stabilization to protect bridge. Application put on hold August 6, 2024. Second site inspection conducted 9/25/2024.

B. PK-51-24

Cottonwood Creek, 658 Lower Cottonwood Rd., Clyde Park, Dennis Miller. Rip rap bank repair and rock replacement.

C. PK-50-24-E

Rock Creek, 42 Aspen Lane, Clyde Park, David Vater. Removal of log jam perpendicular to stream flow caused by overnight flooding.

D. PK-49-24-C (1) & PK-49-24-C (2)

Rock Lake, 515 Rock Creek Rd, Livingston, CMR Ranch Owner. Non-permitted work done inside high water shoreline on headwaters of Rock Creek.

III. Reserved Water Applications – Reports, Discussion and Board Decision:

A. **PA 2301**, West Creek Ranch, LLC. – undergoing legal review, then will be review by DNRC Director, 606CD Preapplication meeting completed, and paperwork submitted.

B. Yellowstone River Basin – Park CD Volume Allocated 1.69%, Annual Reports due to District November 15th.

IV. Public Comment

V. Treasurer’s Report and Financial Items

A. Approval of Checks, Financial Reports, P&L, Balance Sheet, Timesheets.

B. Supervisor reimbursement forms

C. Set up autopay for Verizon, Direct Pay for DNRC grant payments – sign paperwork.

D. Young Ag Couples Conference nomination: Jaydin and Brooke O’Hair, \$100 Registration Fee.

E. UYWG – Vendor payment

VI. Minutes – October 1, 2024 Minutes, review and sign

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VII. New Business

- A. Notice from CDB that surety bond is required – RMIS recommends removing crime coverage and purchasing the bond. Surety Bond – quote: \$315 annually to cover Supervisors and Staff. Crime coverage would be removed and prorated back from the \$79.00 annually.
- B. November site inspections – Wednesday November 20th?
- C. December 310 permitting cycle - site inspections on December 18th?
- D. YR CDC – need to select alternate representative for voting purposes, does not have to be a Supervisor. Next Spring meeting in Billings.
- E. MACD Annual Convention – Great Falls, November 19 – 21, 2024. Full Registration \$315.
- F. MACD Resolutions:
 - 24-01: Support Reducing the Use of Neonicotinoids in Montana
 - 24-02: NACD encourages NRCS to return some hiring responsibilities back to individual states
 - 24-03: MTDOT/BNSF Invasive Species Cooperation
 - 24-04: Managed Aquifer Recharge Potential in Montana

VIII. Old Business

- A. **PK-01-23**
Soda Butte Creek, 279 Bannock Trail, Cooke City, Michael & Michelle Rosengren.
Jeremy May – PE. EPA is the lead agency for Clean Water Act Section 404 enforcement.

IX. Planning & Development Board Update– *Dustin Homan*

X. NRCS Update – *Ted Nelson/Nate Brown*

XI. Watershed Business:

- **UYWG General Meeting** – November 14th, 5-7pm, St. Johns Church, Emigrant.

XII. Conservation District Updates

- MACD – Area meeting (pins)
- DNRC Education Mini-Grant – to design and distribute stream permitting postcard and rack card.
- New Admin Email address: parkcd@usda.gov.
- CMR – water quality, water rights, permitting calls.

XIII. Adjourn

NEXT MEETING: December 3, 2024 at 11:00am - USDA Conference Room, in Livingston, Montana.