

March 28, 2022 Regular Session of the Beaverhead County Commissioners

The Board of Commissioners, in and for Beaverhead County, Montana, met in session on March 28, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioners' Room of the Beaverhead County Courthouse. Present: Chairman Michael J. McGinley, Commissioner John H. Jackson and their Assistant Cindy Decker. Commissioner C. Thomas Rice was absent attending MACRS

Pledge of Allegiance

At this time, those present recited the Pledge of Allegiance aloud to begin the day.

Updates on County Projects

Road Supervisor Bob Ferris was absent attending the MACRS Conference.

DES/Land Sanitarian Tom Wagenknecht, County Attorney Jed Fitch, GIS Coordinator Tracy Sawyer, Deputy County Attorney Jennifer Morgan, Superintendent of Schools Mike Miller, Sheriff Paul Craft, Facilities Assistant Jim Sivils, Casey Elliott from the Tribune and Planner Rob Macioroski joined the meeting.

Tom stated that he submitted the EMPG grant on Friday.

Mike Miller has an observation in the Reichle School on Wednesday.

Paul said that most of the painting is finished in the jail. He commented that it is very bright down there since everything is painted white. Almost all the security cameras are up and functioning now.

Jim stated that between now and Thursday, the fire extinguishers will be picked up to be checked and charged.

Tracy has gotten all the new computers installed. He will be emailing the blueprints of where all the security cameras are located to all the employees.

Jennifer commented that 10 new cases were filed last week in the County Attorney's Office. She also thanked Jim and Tracy for their help setting up her new furniture.

The following Road Department Report was submitted and scanned into the minutes:

BEAVERHEAD COUNTY ROAD WORK March 20th to March 26th, 2022 Dillon, Lima and Wisdom Areas

DILLON AREA

- Bladed on the following roads: Stonehouse, Carter Creek, Sweetwater, Stevenson, Lovell, Anderson, Bond, Driveway, Lovers Leap, Frying Pan, White, Smith, Flynn, and Carrigan.
- Loaded the old bridge from Corinne Trail.
- Moved a shed for Public Health.
- Health and wellness screening.
- Road checked Dillon area roads.
- Equipment service and repair.

LIMA AREA

- Bladed on the following roads: Big Sheep Creek and Sage Creek.
- Installed a gate at the Big Sheep Creek gravel pit. GP219
- Hauled clay on Big Sheep Creek Road.
- Shoulder repair on Big Sheep Creek Road.
- Flood damage control, removed a tree, and culvert cleaning on Big Sheep Creek Road.
- Health and wellness screening.
- Moved equipment.
- Road checked Lima and Dell area roads.
- Equipment service and repair.

WISDOM AREA

- Plowed snow on the following roads: Skinner Meadows, Miner Lake, Twin Lakes, Moose Creek, and Warm Springs.
- Cleaned a culvert on Rock Creek Road.
- Shop maintenance and yard cleaning.
- Health and wellness screening.
- Moved equipment.
- Road checked Jackson and Wisdom area roads.
- Equipment service and repair.