

FEBRUARY 28 – MARCH 4, 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, February 28, 2022

Commissioner Moody and Roe are in today and Commissioner Wallace is in Billings for MACo meetings.

Public Works Director Conner was in for RFB on motor grader. Commissioner Moody made a motion to approve the bidder's package for a new motor grader. Commissioner Roe seconded this and the motion passed with 2 ayes.

Commissioner Moody and Roe went to Billings for MACo meetings.

Tuesday, March 1, 2022

The Commissioners are in Billings for MACo meetings.

Wednesday, March 2, 2022

The Commissioners are in Billings for MACo meetings.

Thursday, March 3, 2022

All Commissioners are in today.

Commissioner Wallace made a motion to approve resolution #03-03-2022 adopting Sweet Grass County multi hazard mitigation plan 2021 update. Commissioner Moody seconded this and the motion passed with 3 ayes.

Christine Bakke, Raymond Porter and Cathy Radwanski from the Chamber of Commerce were in to give an annual review.

Claims for the week were reviewed and signed.

Public Works Director Conner presented encroachment permits for Triangle Telephone, Northwestern Energy, Mike Colpo and B-Bar Ranch. Commissioner Wallace made a motion to approve the permits for Triangle Telephone on North Yellowstone Trail at Kent Morgan's and Old Boulder Road at Sox Ullman's and Jim Baldwin's with Cory's conditions. Commissioner Moody seconded this and the motion passed with 3 ayes.

Commissioner Wallace made a motion to approve the encroachment permit for Northwestern Energy to build an approach off Work Creek road for a natural gas station. Commissioner Moody seconded this and the motion passed with 3 ayes with Cory's conditions.

Commissioner Wallace made a motion to approve an encroachment permit for the B-Bar ranch on Orchard Road to widen the existing approach and construct the approach as to eliminate any possibility of flooding or damaging the county road. Commissioner Moody seconded this and the motion passed with 3 ayes.

The encroachment permit for Mike Colpo was tabled until a map and an electrical permit is included in the packet.

Public Works Director Conner also discussed purchasing a towable air compressor and purchasing a bridge from Tru North Steel.

Friday, March 4, 2022

All Commissioners are in today.

Jane Esp was in to talk about the Senior Center bus.

Claims for the month of February totaled: \$475,900.31

Payroll for the month of February totaled: \$254,259.46

District Court claims for the month of February totaled: \$1,223.12

Respectfully submitted,
/s/ Vera Pederson

Board of County Commissioners

Melanie Roe, Chairman

Date Approved: April 28, 2022

Attest: Vera Pederson, Clerk