



MWCC Quarterly Meeting

October 23, 2008

AGENDA

DEQ Metcalf Building, Helena
Director's Conference Room - 111

9:00 am – 3:30 pm

9:00 - 9:30 **Meet and Greet**

9:30 – 12:00 **Co-Chair Updates** – Debbie Earl and Traci Bignell
Next Steps: Contractor Position and Membership

Work Group Updates

- Funding (Alan Rollo)
- Outreach & Education (Kristi Zhinin & Rob Rung)
 - Fall Training Subcommittee (Jennifer McBroom)
- Water Activities (Robert Ray)
- Ground Water (Taylor Greenup & Robert Ray)
- Water Quality & Monitoring (Randy Apfelbeck & Gary Ingman)
- Watershed Recognition (Noorjahan Parwana)

Agency and Partner Updates

MT Fish Wildlife & Parks. ▲ Bureau of Land Management ▲ Department of Environmental Quality
Department of Natural Resources & Conservation ▲ U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
Montana Association of Conservation Districts ▲ Montana Department of Transportation
U.S. Natural Resources & Conservation Service ▲ U.S. Forest Service ▲ U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service
U.S. Geological Service ▲ U.S. Bureau of Reclamation ▲ U.S. National Park Service ▲ Natural Resource
Information Service ▲ Wetland Council ▲ Others

12:00 – 1:00 **Lunch** – A time for networking (*bring your own or order delivery from a menu*)

1:00 – 1:30 **FWP Conservation Partnership Update** – John Munding, Facilitator
Paul Sihler, FWP

1:30 – 2:00 **DNRC Restoration Program** – Joe Lamson, Deputy Director, DNRC

2:00 – 3:30 **2009 Legislative Session Panel Presentation, Upcoming Watershed Policies**
Richard Opper – Director, DEQ
Mary Sexton – Director, DNRC
Hal Harper – Chief Policy Advisor, Governor's Office
Robert Gentry – MDT Legal Services Unit

3:30 **Adjourn**