
Missouri River Conservation Districts Council

Executive Committee meeting

April 24, 2023 from 8:30am – 10:30am *Note date and time change

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85647442448?pwd=T3FHb0dGdJndEFOUuo2M05LZG1WZz09>

Call in: 669 900 9128

Meeting ID: 856 4744 2448

Passcode: 4444

Call to Order – Laura Kiehl, Chairman

Approve Minutes

- Approve March 28, 2023 Executive Committee meeting minutes

Public Comment

- BLM Greater-Sage Grouse Planning update email

Financial Report

- Approve outstanding bills
- Financial Report – April

Old Business

- MRCDC vehicle
- Approve DNRC 2024-2025 Work Plan and Proposed Budget

New Business

- Public Comment:
- BLM proposed rule changes, due 6/20/23
 - Link for more info: <https://www.regulations.gov/docket/BLM-2023-0001>
- Missouri River system communications
- RR/CMR CWG tour congressional delegate representative fee waiver
- Helena-Lewis and Clark Forest burn proposal, due 5/8/23.
 - Link for more info: <https://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=63783>
- Executive Committee, member at large election

Committee Reports

- Fort Peck Test Flows
- CMR Community Working Group
- Living on the Bank
- Woody Invasive Species Team
- River Rendezvous
- Work Plan/Budget Committee

Partner Reports

- MACD (Montana Association of Conservation Districts)
- DNRC (Department of Natural Resource Conservation)
- NRCS (Natural Resource Conservation Service)

- MRWA (Milk River Watershed Alliance)
- CEMIST (Central and Eastern Montana Invasive Species Team)

Reach Reports

- Lower Reach – Dick Iversen
- Reservoir Reach – Dean Rogge
- Middle Reach – Lorri Schafer
- Upper Reach – Jeff Ryan

Individual CD Reports (voluntary / as needed)

Coordinator Update

Upcoming Events/Important Dates

April

- 25-26: MRRIC, Fort Peck Tribe Tour
27: Molly out

May

- 1: Molly out
8: RR/CMR CWG Planning Meeting
11: YRCDC Meeting, Billings
16-18: MRRIC AM Workshops
18: CMR CWG, Glasgow
23: MRCDC Executive Committee Meeting
24: CEMIST Meeting
25: PCCD Board Meeting

June

- 5: CORE Partners, Helena
6-8: MACD Spring Board
9: River Rendezvous/CMR CWG Tours
registration Due
12-14: Missouri River Natural Resource
Conference, Helena
21: River Rendezvous, Jordan
21: MRCDC Quarterly Meeting, Jordan
22: CMR CWG, Jordan
28: CEMIST Meeting
29: PCCD Board Meeting