



MONTANA BOARD OF LIVESTOCK MEETING AGENDA

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May 20-21, 2020

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Wednesday, May 20, 2020

1:00 PM **CALL TO ORDER**

1:00 PM **BOARD ADMINISTRATIVE CONSENT ITEMS** (Items Pulled may be moved to later in the agenda)

Approval of Past Meeting Minutes

- April 22, 2020 BOL Meeting
- April 23, 2020 BOL Meeting

Bureau Reports

--Animal Health Bureau

- Summary Report for BOL

--Meat & Poultry Inspection Bureau

- New Inspection Inquiries Since COVID-19
 - Official Establishments
 - Custom Exempt
 - Meat Depots

--Milk Control Bureau

- May 13, 2020 Board of Milk Control Meeting
- Industry Updates
- Bureau Updates

--Milk & Egg Bureau

- Travel/Training Updates for Previously Approved Travel
- Contracting with Idaho's Sanitation Rating Officer
- Milk Lab and Milk & Egg Bureau Info Integration into VADDS

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1:10 PM OLD BUSINESS

Update - COVID-19 Department of Livestock Response and Continuity

Update on Planning & Activity for Potential New MVDL Building

- Control of CWD Prion Biowaste Within the MVDL During CWD Testing
- Update on Legislative Committee Activity and Expectations
- Update on MVDL Staff Work with Department of Administration and Architects
- MVDL Potential Funding Scenarios
- MVDL Potential Funding Capacity

2:30 PM DEPARTMENT OF LIVESTOCK EPP PRIORITIES FOR 2021-2022

Animal Health and Food Safety Division

- Animal Health Bureau
- Meat and Poultry Inspection Bureau
- Milk and Egg Bureau
- Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory

Brands Enforcement Division

Centralized Services Division

3:30 PM PROPOSED MCA CHANGES FOR 2021 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Animal Health Bureau

- Revision to Indemnity Paid for Animals Destroyed Due to Disease
- Making the Act of Garbage Feeding to Swine Illegal in Montana

Meat & Poultry Inspection Bureau

- Regulate Custom Exempt Facilities as Required By the Federal Meat Inspection Act



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4:15 PM CENTRALIZED SERVICES DIVISION REPORTS

4:15 PM Fiscal Bureau (If meeting runs long, item may be moved to next day)

- Per Capita Fee Status Report
- April 30, 2020 State Special Revenue Report
- May 2020 through June 2020 Expenditure Projections
- April 30, 2020 Budget Status Report

**4:45 PM COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS AND
COMMENTS FROM PRODUCER ORGANIZATIONS**

5:00 PM ADJOURN

Thursday, May 21, 2020

8:00 AM CALL TO ORDER

8:00 AM BRANDS ENFORCEMENT DIVISION

Fort Supply Maintenance Contract Renewal

- Discussion and Approval of Maintenance Contract for Next Year

Discussion on Livestock Crime Investigator Pay

Update and Planning on Vacant/Recently Filled Brands Positions

- Division Administrator
- Progress on Vacant Market Inspector Positions
- Progress on Vacant Brands Compliance Position
- Progress on Vacant Glasgow District
- Progress on Vacant Western Region Supervisor Position



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- 9:00 AM** **LEGAL COUNSEL UPDATE**
Legal Update from DOL Legal Counsel, Kyle Chenoweth and Rob Stutz (May Require Executive Session)
- Discuss Research on Statutory Relationship between MDOL and attached agencies
 - Litigation Update (If Necessary)
- 9:45 AM** **RECESS**
- 10:00 AM** **ANIMAL HEALTH & FOOD SAFETY DIVISION**
- 10:00 AM** **Animal Health Bureau**
- Update on Tuberculosis Investigation
- 10:15 AM** **CENTRALIZED SERVICES DIVISION REPORTS**
- 10:15 AM** **Livestock Loss Board**
- 2020 Livestock Loss Statistics
 - 2019 Year-End Livestock Loss Statistics Report
 - General Updates
- 10:30 AM** **Update from USDA Wildlife Services**
- 10:45 AM** **Update on Milk Control/Milk Inspection Fee Issues**
- 11:00 AM** **COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS**
COMMENTS FROM PRODUCER ORGANIZATIONS
- 11:30 AM** **SET DATE FOR NEXT BOARD MEETING**
- 12:00 PM** **ADJOURN**



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