



MONTANA BOARD OF LIVESTOCK

MEETING AGENDA

Montana Department of Livestock Board Room #319/302 N Roberts/Helena, MT
May 27, 2026

(This meeting is open to the public and is also available by ZOOM)

Agenda items may vary as much as one hour earlier or later. Items may be added or deleted up to 48 hours prior to the meeting. Look for changes at www.liv.mt.gov

8:00 AM CALL TO ORDER AND INTRODUCTIONS

8:10 AM BOARD ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS

Approval of Past Meeting Minutes

- April 21, 2026 BOL Meeting

8:15 AM EXECUTIVE OFFICE UPDATES

Executive Officer Updates

- YNP Bison/EIS/IBMP Operations Update

Human Resources Update

- Staff Openings and Recruitment Updates
- General Updates

9:15 AM CENTRALIZED SERVICES DIVISION REPORTS

9:15 AM Fiscal Bureau

- April 30, 2026 State Special Revenue Report
- May 2026 through June 2026 Budget Projections Report
- April 30, 2026 Budget Comparison Report

10:00 AM RECESS

10:15 AM PREDATOR CONTROL

Update on Activities of USDA Wildlife Services (Presented by Dalin Tidwell, Montana State Director)

Livestock Loss Board Report to the BOL

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11:00 AM **ANIMAL HEALTH & FOOD SAFETY DIVISION REPORTS**

Animal Health Bureau

- Out-of-State Travel Request
 - Livestock Marketing Association (LMA) Meeting
- Update on Milk Surveillance for Highly Pathogenic Avian Influenza
- Pseudorabies

11:30 AM **Meat, Milk & Egg Inspection Bureau**

- Preliminary Report on USDA-FSIS Audit (Audit will not be final)

12:00 PM **LUNCH**

1:00 PM **BRANDS ENFORCEMENT DIVISION**

Brands Enforcement Division Update

- Out-of-State Travel Request
 - International Livestock Identification Association Conference

1:30 PM **COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC ON NON-AGENDA
ITEMS/COMMENTS FROM PRODUCER ORGANIZATIONS**

2:00 PM **SET DATE FOR NEXT BOARD MEETING**

2:15 PM **ADJOURN**