

Madison County Board of Commissioners Special Meeting Agenda

3:30 pm Thursday, March 12, 2026, until Concluded

First Floor, Public Meeting Room

Administrative Office Building, Virginia City, Montana

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Teams Login:

Meeting Number: 2556 613 1856 Password: VCMadison

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Duke Gilman, District 1 Commissioner

Ron Nye, District 2 Commissioner, Chairman

Bill Todd, District 3 Commissioner

CALL TO ORDER, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE, ROLL CALL

PUBLIC COMMENT (PLEASE LIMIT TO 5 MINUTES PER PERSON)

CANCELLATION OF ELECTION

- RESOLUTION 15-2026 A Resolution Calling for the Cancellation of All County Races on the 2026 Federal Primary Ballot
- Appointment by Acclamation 2026

ADJOURNMENT

Madison County
Clerk & Recorder and Election Administrator
Paula Mckenzie
PO Box 366 / 103 West Wallace Street
Virginia City MT 59755

March 9, 2026

To the Madison County Board of Commissioners

Dear Ron, Bill and Duke:

For the county offices of Clerk of District Court, Commissioner District 2, Commissioner District 3, Clerk and Recorder, Sheriff/Coroner, County Attorney, Treasurer/Superintendent of Schools, and Justice of the Peace up for election in 2026, less than three candidates have filed. It is my recommendation, pursuant to 13-1-403(4) MCA, that those offices will go on the General Election in November and no primary for those county offices will be required.

Sincerely,



Paula Mckenzie

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RESOLUTION 15-2026
A RESOLUTION CALLING FOR THE CANCELLATION OF ALL COUNTY RACES
ON THE 2026 FEDERAL PRIMARY BALLOT

WHEREAS, per 13-1-403(4) MCA, if the number of candidates filing for election is equal to or less than the number of positions to be filled, the election administrator shall notify the governing body of the local government in writing that the election is not necessary and the governing body may by resolution cancel the election; and

WHEREAS, the election administrator, pursuant to 13-1-403(4) MCA, has notified the governing body in writing that the election is not necessary.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Madison County Commission, does hereby cancel all County Races from the 2026 Federal Primary Ballot.

PASSED and ADOPTED BY THE Madison County Board of Commissioners this day of March 12, 2026.

Ronald E. Nye, Chairman

William A. Todd, Commissioner

Duke W. Gilman, Commissioner

ATTEST:

Paula Mckenzie, Clerk and Recorder

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Re: Committeeman and Conservation District Trustee Appointments

Pursuant to 13-1-403 MCA, if there is only one candidate for a position, the governing body shall declare the candidate elected to the position by acclamation.

The following Declarations were filed prior to the deadline of March 4, 2026 and can all be appointed by acclamation:

MADISON CONSERVATION DISTRICT

Scott Farquhar
George Boyd

COMMITTEEMAN FOR PRECINCT #5

Tracy Christensen

COMMITTEEMAN FOR PRECINCT #7

Kathy Lott

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