

4:00 310 Business Agenda:

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:

THOSE PRESENT:

READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR May 17th Meeting:

GUESTS:

310 INSPECTION REPORTS ~ READY FOR DECISION:

Inspection	6/12/2012	Application Number	GD-039-12
Applicant	Justin Kamerman, Kamerman Excavation, LLC		
Landowner	Alex Hudson		
Perennial	Rey Creek	Section	4 T 1N R 2E
Type of Project 1	Bridge Construction		
Purpose	Build a bridge to reach inaccessible property; excavate and pour concrete piers (or set precast blocks), set timbers on piers and build a wooden bridge deck.		
Inspection Recommendation	Approved as Proposed		
Inspection Comments	Keep abutments for bridge in terrace areas. Clear span of creek proposed.		
Discussion			
Board Decision			

Inspection	6/12/2012	Application Number	GD-040-12
Applicant	Dale McQueary		
Landowner	Spencer Smith		
Perennial	West Gallatin River	Section	30 T 1S R 4E
Type of Project 1	Irrigation Structure		
Type of Project 2	Diversion Dam		
Purpose	To supply water right holders their water for irrigating their farm and/or pasture ground by opening the Lowery Creamery Ditch to divert Gallatin River water into the ditch. We may need to adjust the opening 1 or 2 times during the season to divert additional water to meet our legal quota. (No more than 30 ft of bank will be impacted; project should not extend more than 25 feet into river).		
Inspection Recommendation	Approved as Proposed		
Inspection Comments	River processes are highly dynamic at this location. Therefore, we feel a 10-year permit is not appropriate at this location.		
Discussion			
Board Decision			

Inspection	6/12/2012	Application Number	GD-041-12
Applicant	Marc Pierce		
Landowner	Same		
Perennial	Warm Springs Canal	Section	26 T 1N R 3E
Type of Project 1	Bank Stabilization/Alteration		
Type of Project 2	Excavation/Pit; Fish Habitat		
Type of Project 3	Improvement to Existing Structure		
Type of Project 4	Placement of Fill/Wetland Alteration		
Purpose	To permanently improve trout habitat in a naturally sustainable fashion. The work will occur in three distinct sub-reaches within 6,430 LF of stream channel. (Refer to Table 1 for details; approx. 1,610 LF of stream bed or banks will be modified; the work will occur at 35 individual sites each encompassing 20-110 feet of stream length.)		
Inspection Recommendation	Approved with Modifications		
Inspection Modifications	Request that additional woody vegetation (willows) be planted along pools on outside bends above manipulated areas along banks.		

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 EAST-wing Conference Rm, 3710 Fallon Street, Bozeman, MT 59718

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Board Decision

Inspection 6/12/2012 **Application Number** GD-042-12
Applicant Paul J Gaffney
Landowner Same
Perennial Bear Canyon Creek **Section** 36 **T** 2S **R** 6E
Type of Project 1 Bank Stabilization/Alteration
Type of Project 2 Debris Removal
Purpose Channel and bank reclamation and stabilization as result of accelerated conditions, due to high water in 2007 and 2011. Removal of driftwood dam & debris and excessive Dogwood growth, restore stream channel back to the original center location, stabilize west bank via soft engineering methods.
Inspection Recommendation Denial
Inspection Comments
Discussion
Board Decision

Inspection 6/12/2012 **Application Number** GD-043-12
Applicant Seth Nowlin
Landowner Jason Repscher
Perennial UT Baxter Creek **Section** **T** **R**
Type of Project 1 Bank Stabilization/Alteration
Purpose To allow water collected from gutter system to travel into the ditch (stream). (Approx 10' of 4" corrugated pipe.)
Inspection Recommendation Withdraw
Inspection Comments Pipe discharge location is high enough on bank and far enough away from active channel to be considered non-jurisdictional (not a project).
Discussion
Board Decision

Inspection 6/12/2012 **Application Number** GD-044-12
Applicant Mike Ingram
Landowner Same
Perennial Fish Creek **Section** 3 **T** 3S **R** 4E
Type of Project 1 Channel Alteration
Type of Project 2 Fish Habitat
Type of Project 3 Other - Livestock Water Gap
Purpose Restore channel function and aquatic habitat to a 2000 foot reach of Fish Creek, thus impacting approx 1800 LF and narrow the existing channel by 25-50% (5-15 feet). See C-3
Inspection Recommendation Approval with Modifications
Inspection Modifications If not part of TMC's water measuring program, recommend removing metal flume. Recommend a July to November 1 instream construction window.
Discussion
Board Decision

310 AFTER THE FACT:

Inspection 5/1/2012 **Application Number** GD-045-12 (See GD-1C-12)
Applicant Deanna Campbell
Landowner Same
Perennial UT Baxter Creek **Section** **T** **R**
Type of Project 1 Bank Stabilization
Purpose Mitigate the violation unintentionally incurred while crossing stream with vehicles.
Inspection Recommendation – Inspected 5-1-12 by Dan March; Board declared a violation at the 5-17-12 meeting and requested 310 application to mitigate violation.
Discussion

Board Decision

310 EMERGENCY:

GD-2E-12, Audrey's Pizza (Steve Schleger), 401 E Peach; Bozeman Creek. Steve will be submitting a 310 application to address the removal of the rock on the bank and to revegetate bank.

310 COMPLAINT:

310 ON HOLD:

OLD BUSINESS: (GD-38-12 on hold), Matt Weaver to provide a plan for the Gallatin River for Mike Tracy.

NEW BUSINESS: Request from NorthWestern Energy to extend GD-25-11. See letter.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

MEETING ADJOURNED:

7:00 District Business Agenda:

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:

THOSE PRESENT:

GUESTS:

OLD BUSINESS:

- Purchase CD laptop/QuickBooks issue.
- Update on vehicle.
- Update on building.
- Fill-in for Planning Board; they do not accept substitutes.

NEW BUSINESS:

GRANT, CONTRACT, AND MOU REPORT:

- RPG-12-0291, Darlington Ditch Restoration, \$10,000.00; Draft technical report completed & sent to DNRC; Final report submitted to DNRC & will be incorporated in RRGL application. Final payment of \$5,000.00 received from DNRC, check to Gillilan & Associates to be signed.
- MOU for BWTF AmeriCorps member, approval of \$3,000.00 invoice to be submitted to DNRC for payment.
- MOU for GGWC AmeriCorps member, approval of \$2,000.00 invoice to be submitted to DNRC for payment.
- 223 contract pollinator project; approval of \$1221.95 invoice from Dept of Ag, to be submitted to DNRC for payment.
- Education Mini Grant from Bozeman School District #7 for \$500.00. Contract received from DNRC will issue contract to School.

CD COST SHARE PROGRAM – discuss contract effective date.

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ASSOCIATE SUPERVISOR REPORTS:

Duane Burkenpas, at meeting
Loren Blanksma, at meeting

AGENCY REPORTS:

Erik Suffridge, District Conservationist, at meeting

STAFF REPORT:

Marcie Murnion, District Administrator, at meeting

TREASURER'S REPORT:

P&L, Balance

INVOICES PAID:

INVOICES TO PAY:

5-12-12, Interior Environments, Inc, #1036, \$63.75, design of condos
5-29-12, Frontier Designs, LLC, #2, \$1400.00, design of construction documents
6-5-12, Town Center Condos, #(no invoice number, \$399.44, June condo fees
6-5-12, Atkins, 1142007, \$1162.50, May 2012 inspections
6-6-12, AT&T, 287236090718X0609212, \$111.18, May cell phones
6-6-12, Media Works, #12191, \$1450.00, Website development
6-10-12, Executive Services, #46616, \$383.10, printing and mailing of June 2012 newsletters
6-10-12, Billings Gazette, #6-10-10, \$199.38, Sunday ad for Resource Tech
6-12-12, Marcie Murnion, \$236.60; HostGator-\$153.20 (3 yrs of web hosting), Costco-\$78.53 (refreshments for cover crop field day), Thriftway-\$4.77 (ice for beverages).

DEPOSITS RECEIVED:

ANNUAL WORK PLAN 2012: ** Review Action Plan for 15 minutes **

TOURS / WORKSHOPS or MEETINGS / CONFERENCES / TRAINING:

Protect our Gallatin Watershed, Monday, June 25th 6:30-8:30 at Cottonwood Fire Station, 10200 Cottonwood Rd. In partnership with Gallatin Local Water Quality District, RC&D, Extension, GGWC.

CORRESPONDENCE:

PUBLIC COMMENT:

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

Review Resource Technician applications

MEETING ADJOURNED: