

# JUDITH BASIN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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### REGULAR MEETING

November 8, 2023

**PRESENT:** Commissioner Don Hajenga  
Commissioner James D Moore  
Commissioner Cody McDonald

**Also present:** Clerk & Recorder Amanda Kelly  
Custodian Amy Lawen  
County Attorney Joni Oja  
Road/Bridge/Weed Supervisor Roger Riley  
Forest Service District Ranger Jason Oltrogge

Commissioner Hajenga moved to approve the November 8, 2023 Agenda, Commissioner Moore seconded, motion was passed.

Commissioner Hajenga moved to approve the November 1, 2023 Minutes, Commissioner Moore seconded, motion was passed.

Commissioner Hajenga moved to approve the October 2023 County Reconciliation Report, Commissioner Moore seconded, motion was passed.

Custodian Amy Lawen discussed winterizing the museum and the new pumps in the courthouse boiler system.

Commissioners discussed and approved a bus route to Sapphire Village to pick up students who are attending school in Hobson.

Road/Bridge/Weed Supervisor Roger Riley talked about mowing and grading county roads and a police car that has been put up for auction.

County Attorney Joni Oja visited with commissioners about legal issues ongoing in the county.


Forest Service District Ranger Jason Oltrogge stopped in to discuss what is referred to as the Buffalo Canyon Road. Jason has visited with Representative Jim Bergstrom and expressed the Forest Service stance on this issue. Commissioner McDonald will visit with David Dover to see if the landowners in the area are interested in putting a petition together to have the two-track trail turned into an unimproved county road (which would require a 60" easement from the owners of the land that the track goes through). Clerk Kelly will check with the Title Company

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concerning the easements and if it would be necessary to survey the right-of-way or if a satellite image could be used.

ATTESTED:

  
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CHAIRMAN CODY MCDONALD

  
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CLERK & RECORDER AMANDA KELLY