

2026 DELIBERATION RANKING - HIGH TO LOW SCORES

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ID	Title and Organization	Voting Score	Agency Score	Total Score	Total Requested
DEVELOPMENT-					
T26-39	Information Products to Support Weed Detection, Rapid Response, Control, and Protect Native Species of Concern Montana State Library	84.83	92.22	88.525	\$46,113
T26-40	CABI Weed Biological Control Projects Montana State University - Office of Sponsored Programs	81.4	86.11	83.755	\$73,800
T26-41	Developing the best available biological control options for management of invasive toadflaxes - 2026 Montana State University - Office of Sponsored Programs	74.17	89.13	81.65	\$50,100
T26-42	Continuing development of candidate agents for biological control of Russian olive - 2026 Montana State University - Office of Sponsored Programs	69	85.89	77.445	\$6,000
T26-43	Continued mass rearing and field releases of the northern tamarisk beetle, a biocontrol agent for invasive saltcedar - 2026 Montana State University - Office of Sponsored Programs	74	79.78	76.89	\$49,500
T26-44	Novel bioherbicide research: Platform development based on a commercial success Toothpick Project	58.67	74.22	66.445	\$75,000
EDUCATION-					
T26-30	Missoula County Youth in Restoration Program Missoula County Department of Ecology and Extension	79.17	85.33	82.25	\$23,184
T26-46	Madison County Biocontrol Project Madison County Weed District	82.43	80.88	81.655	\$12,000
T26-45	Whitehall Biological Weed Control Project Jefferson County Weed District	78.71	77.5	78.105	\$31,500
T26-52	2026 Bitterroot Bio Control and Pollinator Garden Ravalli County Weed District	72.83	80.13	76.48	\$14,020
T26-47	Preserving Native Lands: The Blackfeet Knapweed Bounty Program and Mapping Project Blackfeet Nation	73.83	78	75.915	\$20,000
T26-49	Pull Together Stop the Spread Media Campaign Supporting Noxious Weed Prevention Northern Broadcasting System	72.86	77	74.93	\$44,910

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T26-50	Audubon CAREs: Youth Education, Detection & Stewardship for Noxious Weed Monitoring Montana Audubon	68.29	79.89	74.09	\$6,889
T26-51	East Rosebud Lake Plant Stewardship Project MusEco Media and Education Project	62.57	74.33	68.45	\$17,286
T26-48	Fallon County Noxious Weed Education Grant Fallon County Weed District	65.33	68.63	66.98	\$3,000
STATEWIDE PROGRAMS -					
T26-31	Montana Biocontrol Coordination Project Missoula County Department of Ecology and Extension	86	94.17	90.085	\$162,000 \$54,000 Y1
T26-33	2026-2028 Montana Dyer's Woad Cooperative Project Beaverhead County Weed District	90.17	91	90.585	\$180,624 \$36,208 Y1
T26-34	Beaverhead County Rush Skeletonweed Response - 1 Year Beaverhead County Weed District	82.17	86.63	84.4	\$16,800
T26-38	Sanders County Blueweed Project Sanders County Weed District	79.43	84.11	81.77	\$27,000
T26-32	West-Central MT Rush Skeletonweed EDRR Year 2 Missoula County Department of Ecology and Extension	74.71	84.71	79.71	\$160,048 \$52,524 Y1
T26-36	2026 Ravalli County Blueweed - 3 year Ravalli County Weed District	74.33	83.38	78.855	\$161,640 \$53,880 Y1
T26-37	2026 Ravalli County Rush Skeletonweed - 3 year Ravalli County Weed District	74	83.11	78.555	\$216,450 \$72,150 Y1
T26-35	2026 Ravalli County Bugloss - 3 year Ravalli County Weed District	72.5	81.5	77	\$46,500 \$15,000 Y1
RESEARCH-					
T26-01	Evaluating Fire and Chemical Treatments for Ventenata Control in Montana Rangelands Montana State University - Office of Sponsored Programs	76.71	89.44	83.075	\$73,574

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T26-02	Designing data-driven signage for invader noxious weeds in Montana: A proposed experiment to support management of rush skeletonweed University of Montana	67.43	83	75.215	\$50,185
T26-03	Bindweed Sustainable Management Project- Dryland Farming Agrarian Food Web Consultant LLC	46.14	67.22	56.68	\$60,894
LOCAL COOPERATIVES-					
T26-24	2026 Upper Red Rock Cooperative Project Beaverhead County Weed District	84.67	89.13	86.9	\$43,380
T26-12	2026 Big Hole/Wise River Project Beaverhead County Weed District	84.5	86.75	85.625	\$25,000
T26-13	2026 Beaverhead River Project Beaverhead County Weed District	84	87.14	85.57	\$56,000
T26-23	2026 Grasshopper Project Beaverhead County Weed District	84	86.13	85.065	\$17,000
T26-26	2026 Blacktail/Sweetwater Project Beaverhead County Weed District	82.33	86.75	84.54	\$39,750
T26-25	2026 Medicine Lodge/Horse Prairie Project Beaverhead County Weed District	82.33	85.86	84.095	\$32,100
T26-04	Fishtail Basin Weed Management Area Stillwater County Weed District	80.5	85	82.75	\$75,000
T26-07	Upper Missouri River Watershed Weed Project Upper Missouri Watershed Alliance	77.86	87.44	82.65	\$74,579
T26-06	Smith River Corridor Weed Control Project Smith River Habitat Project, Inc.	76.43	86	81.215	\$57,108
T26-05	Trout Creek Weed Management Area Stillwater County Weed District	78.33	82.89	80.61	\$31,750
T26-19	Jackson Creek WMA Gallatin County Weed District	77.14	83.63	80.385	\$65,610

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T26-20	Trail Creek East Park County Extension	78.43	80.5	79.465	\$74,998
T26-14	Judith Gap Wheatland County Weed District	72.57	82.88	77.725	\$48,437
T26-21	Chestnut Valley Weed Management Area Cascade County Weed District	73.43	80.88	77.155	\$24,500
T26-22	Sweet Grass Hills Weed Management Project 2026 Liberty County Weed District	74	79.57	76.785	\$19,395
T26-17	Musselshell Wheatland County Weed District	69.57	81	75.285	\$67,666
T26-18	2026 Yellowstone River Saltcedar Project Yellowstone County Weed District	72.86	77.29	75.075	\$40,000
T26-28	Clark Fork River Vegetation Management Area Missoula County Department of Ecology and Extension	75.29	74.67	74.98	\$68,002
T26-11	Hussey Hill Noxious Weed Management Area Meagher County Weed District	76	73.75	74.875	\$35,114
T26-16	Fish Creek Wheatland County Weed District	69.57	80.13	74.85	\$55,769
T26-09	Arrowstone Cooperative Weed Management Area Granite County Weed District	73.43	75.88	74.655	\$29,681
T26-08	Douglas CWMA Granite County Weed District	75	72.38	73.69	\$35,788
T26-29	Woody Invasive Control Pilot Project Missoula County Department of Ecology and Extension	70.43	76.67	73.55	\$10,180
T26-10	Marshall Creek CWMA Local Cooperative-New Granite County Weed District	71.86	74.38	73.12	\$28,600

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T26-15	American Fork Wheatland County Weed District	63.83	80.75	72.29	\$61,327
T26-27	Prairie County Houndstongue Project Prairie County Weed District	66.17	73.63	69.9	\$10,073