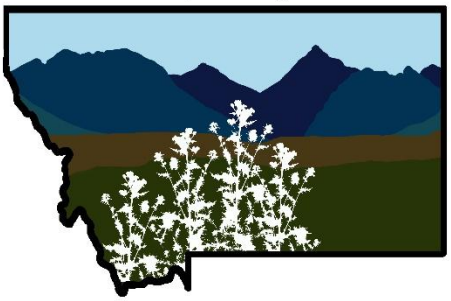
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NOXIOUS WEED MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COUNCIL
Site Tour & Business Meeting
Missoula County Ecology and Extension, Montana University, &
Working Dogs for Conservation

Lunch and Business Meeting:
Missoula County Ecology and Extension Office
Balsamroot Conference Room
1075 South Ave W
Missoula, MT 59801

July 8, 2026
Business Meeting – 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
ZOOM: https://mt-gov.zoom.us/j/83085918979?pwd=Sp5b0E2s2cmaLYeaI1bKEaNZbYDyBg.1

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Bryce Christiaens Missoula County Ecology and Extension (MCEE)	1075 South Ave W Missoula, MT 59801 Meet to carpool
	Will Rice, PhD University of Montana, Working Dogs for Conservation, MCEE EDRR staff	Blue Mountain Trailhead Maclay Flats Nature Trail Roseburg Forest Products property- NEED to sign LIABILTY WAIVER TO ENTER
12:00– 12:20 p.m.	Travel to Missoula County Ecology and Extension Office	1075 South Ave W Missoula, MT 59801
12:20 – 12:55 p.m.	Lunch/ setup	
Business Meeting		
1:00 – 1:20 p.m.	Jasmine Chaffee Program Manager, MDA	Welcome / Introductions Approve March Minutes Program Updates
1:20 – 1:30 p.m.	Greta Dige NWTF Grant Coordinator, MDA	Grant Monitoring / Site Visits
1:30 – 1:50 p.m.	Lori Leaf, E&O Specialist, MDA Josh Wagoner, EDRR Coordinator, MDA Brooke Mills and Halle Gardener AgCorps	Program Updates
1:50 – 2:10 p.m.	Council Members	Updates, Issues, Successes
2:10 p.m. – 2:50 p.m.	Jasmine Chaffee	Work Session Review applications and evaluation criteria
2:50 p.m.	Jasmine Chaffee Program Manager, MDA	Other Business/ Public Comment Adjourn

Save the Dates

- 2026 Winter Business Meeting, ZOOM
  November possible dates 4, 10, or 12, 2026 VIRTUAL
- 2027 Business Meeting/Grant Hearings, Montana Heritage Center
  March 15 – March 19, 2027
- 2027 Summer Business Meeting & Tour, NEED IDEAS
  First full week of July -TBD