

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS

September 21, 2023

Commissioners Scott Miller, Scott Blain, and Bill Bullock were present.

8:30 Pledge of Allegiance.

Brent Moore, Interstate Engineering and DES Coordinator Cyrina Allen met to discuss the Carbon Ave and Fox bridges. FEMA has recommended that we consider withdrawing these projects for reimbursement due to our disagreement with Army Corp and Montana FWP and their desire for further work to be done. Commissioners agreed it would be more feasible to withdraw rather than do further permitting and more work at those sites.

Allen formally requested an extension for the Edgar Lagoon project and will request an extension for the multiple roads project if that has not been done already.

9:00 Bullock departed for a construction meeting regarding bridge replacements.

Crystal Roscio, Elections administrator, presented the Canvas for both the Red Lodge-Roberts Ambulance District proposed mill levy and the Red Lodge Mountain Resort Tax Renewal. The resort tax passed 123 for to 12 against. Blain moved to accept the Canvas for the Resort Tax, Miller second, motion passed. (attached)

The Ambulance District vote to change the funding mechanism failed with 747 voting yes and 931 voting no. Blain moved to accept the Canvas for the Ambulance District, Miller second, motion passed.

9:30 Cyrina Allen, Carbon County DES met for the EMPG grant. Carbon County was awarded \$50,990 to help fund DES; the county has to match the grant. Blain moved to accept the EMPG grant, Miller second, motion passed.

10:00 County Attorney was not present.

11:00 Closing - Property Sale NHN West Central Avenue, Joliet, MT 59041. The land for the detention center proposal was sold at auction August 21, 2023 by Musser Brothers auction company. The final bid price was \$405,000. Buyer also paid a buyer's premium of \$20,250. The County had the property appraised in June with a concluded market value of \$350,000. Blain moved to approve the sale closing, Bullock second, motion passed.

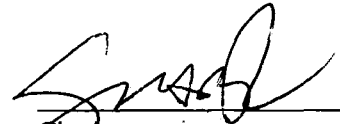
11:30 Miller departed to the Title Company to sign closing papers.

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12:00 Adjourned.

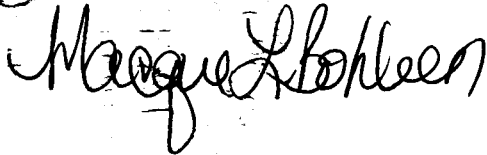
ATTEST:



Clerk



Commission Presiding Officer

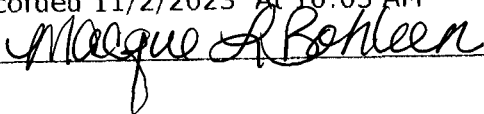


Doc # 397568 Fee: \$0.00

Commissioners Minutes

Macque L. Bohleen, Clerk & Recorder, Carbon County, MT

Recorded 11/2/2023 At 10:03 AM

By _____

**ELECTION RETURNS, RED LODGE-ROBERTS
AMBULANCE DISTRICT MILL LEVY
SEPTEMBER 12, 2023**

The undersigned hereby certify that within constitutes a full, true and complete Abstract of Votes cast in the Red Lodge-Roberts Ambulance District Mill Levy Election held September 12, 2023:

Red Lodge-Roberts Ambulance District Mill Levy

Total number of voters

747 Yes, repeal \$69 Fee and Impose a 22 Mill Levy

931 No, retain the \$69 Fee and do no impose a 22 Mill Levy

County of Carbon

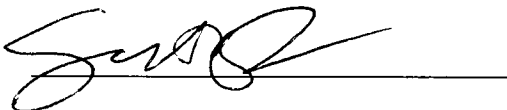
State of Montana

Attest Our hands this Sept 21, 2023

I, Crystal Roascio, Election Administrator of said County, do hereby certify that the within constitutes a full, true, and complete abstract of the number of votes cast in the Red Lodge-Roberts Ambulance District Mill Levy of said County for the issues enumerated.



Scott Miller

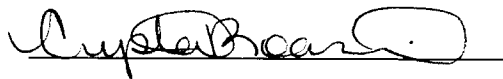


Scott Blain



Bill E. Bullock

Attest my hand and seal of said County, Hereto affixed this 21st day of September, 2023.



Election Administrator

SEAL



Mail Ballot Reconciliation

County Election Administrators shall perform a reconciliation comparing the number of ballots purchased or printed to the total number of issued and unissued ballots. Ballot reconciliations shall be completed prior to the start of the county canvass. Ballot reconciliations shall be maintained by the Election Administrator according to applicable federal or local government records retention schedules. This is an optional form to assist counties with satisfying the requirements in ARM 44.3.2904 (3).

COUNTY: CARBON

DATE: 9/12/2023

A. Ballots purchased or printed by county:	= <u>3636</u>
B. Ballots issued during election cycle:	= <u>3537</u>
C. Ballots not issued during election cycle:	+ <u>96</u>
D. Ballots issued (B) plus ballots not issued (C):	= <u>3633</u>

If D does not equal A detail below how many ballots are short or in excess and the reason for the discrepancy:

We are short (3) ballots. This is human error due to confusion in

the beginning over voiding ballots.

Signature of Election Administrator: 

Date: 9/21/23

County: CARBON
 User Name: CRYSTAL
 ROASCIO

Ballot Statistics By Ballot Style

Date: 9/12/2023

Ballot Style	Issued	Not Returned	Prepared	Accepted	Rejected	Voided	UnDel	Reissued/Re placed
PRECINCT 7	629	321	0	273	6	1	28	0
PRECINCT 9	397	216	0	163	3	0	15	0
STYLE 4	60	23	0	36	1	0	0	0
STYLE 2	1112	509	0	554	7	3	39	0
PRECINCT 8	617	255	0	331	8	2	19	0
PRECINCT 16	250	127	0	118	1	0	4	0
PRECINCT 10	472	229	0	208	9	1	25	0
Total	3537	1680	0	1663	35	7	130	0

Accepted/voted = 47.6%

Not returned = 47.5%

undeliverable = 3.68%

rejected = .99%

**ELECTION RETURNS, RED LODGE MOUNTAIN
RESORT TAX RENEWAL
SEPTEMBER 12, 2023**

The undersigned hereby certify that within constitutes a full, true and complete Abstract of Votes cast in the Red Lodge Mountain Resort Tax Renewal Election held September 12, 2023:

Red Lodge Mountain Resort Tax Renewal Election

Total number of voters

123 FOR the continued resort tax on food, beverage and other sales at 3% and lift tickets (both sold on premise and online) at 2% for the first 5 years and increase to 3% in year 6?

13 AGAINST, the continued resort tax on food, beverages and other sales at 3% and lift tickets (both sold on premise and online) at 2% for the first 5 years and increase to 3% in year 6?

County of Carbon

State of Montana

Attest Our hands this Sept 21, 2023

I, Crystal Roascio, Election Administrator of said County, do hereby certify that the within constitutes a full, true, and complete abstract of the number of votes cast in the Red Lodge Mountain Resort Tax Renewal Election of said County for the issues enumerated.



Scott Miller

Attest my hand and seal of said County,
Hereto affixed this 21st day of September,
2023.



Scott Blain



Election Administrator



Bill E. Bullock

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COUNTY: CARBON

DATE: 9/12/2023

- A. Ballots purchased or printed by county: = 235
- B. Ballots issued during election cycle: = 212
- C. Ballots not issued during election cycle: + 23
- D. Ballots issued (B) plus ballots not issued (C): = 235

If D does not equal A detail below how many ballots are short or in excess and the reason for the discrepancy:

Signature of Election Administrator:  Date: 9/21/23

County: CARBON
 User Name: CRYSTAL
 ROASCIO

Ballot Statistics By Ballot Style

Date: 9/12/2023

Ballot Style	Accepted	Not Returned	Undeliverable	Rejected	Remaining	Total
Resort Dist	212	64	133	1	5	0
Total	212	64	133	1	5	0

Accepted / Voted = 62.74%
 Not returned = 30.19%
 undeliverable = 2.36%
 rejected = .48%
 remaining ballots 23