

AGENDA
ANACONDA-DEER LODGE COUNTY
SPECIAL COMMISSION MEETING
6 PM TUESDAY, JULY 9, 2019
COURTHOUSE COURTROOM

Please turn off or silence all cell phones and electronic devices.

Everyone is respectfully asked to follow these few Commission Rules of Procedure:

- To address the Commission, please approach the podium and state your name & address for the record.
- Please speak loud enough for the entire room to hear your comments.
- Please address all comments to the Commission as you are not in a debate with other presenters or members of the audience.
- Please be respectful to other speakers, presenters and members of the audience.
- No sidebar conversations will be allowed. Private conversations and whispering in the audience during the meeting is very disruptive so please step out of the room for any such conversations.

I. Pledge of Allegiance

II. Unfinished Business.

- A. Resolution 19-10, A Resolution for a Moratorium on Out-of County Septage and Pumpable Waste Dumping at the Anaconda-Deer Lodge County Wastewater Treatment Plant Septage Receiving Station.

The Commission may take action to approve Resolution 19-10, A Resolution for a Moratorium on Out-of County Septage and Pumpable Waste Dumping at the Anaconda-Deer Lodge County Wastewater Treatment Plant Septage Receiving Station.

III. Miscellaneous

IV. Public Comment – This is the time for members of the public to comment on items NOT appearing on this Agenda that are within the Commission’s jurisdiction.

V. Adjournment.

Anaconda-Deer Lodge County Executive Order

Moratorium on Out-of-County Septage and Pumpable Waste Dumping at the Anaconda-Deer Lodge County Wastewater Treatment Plant Septage Receiving Station

Be it resolved that as of July 1, 2019, Anaconda-Deer Lodge County (ADLC) shall impose a moratorium on the disposal of septage and other pumpable wastes at the ADLC Wastewater Treatment Plant Septage Receiving Station.

The ADLC Wastewater Treatment Plant is currently undergoing a facility upgrade. This upgrade involves the temporary decommissioning of its' wastewater treatment lagoons and aeration systems. The south lagoon has already been decommissioned and the north lagoon is scheduled for decommissioning in 2020. As a result, the plant is currently operating at less than one-half of its design hydraulic and treatment capacity, and will remain in this condition until late 2020 or early 2021.

Furthermore, surrounding counties either do not have facilities to accept septage and other pumpable wastes, or they have suspended receipt of same. The result is that all septage and pumpable wastes from surrounding counties are currently being disposed of at the ADLC facility to the detriment of the county's infrastructure.

Consequently, it is imperative that receipt of septage and other pumpable waste be minimized to the extent practicable in order to avoid potential treatment violations of the ADLC Groundwater Discharge Permit issued by the Montana Department of Environmental Quality (MTX000231).

Only septage and pumpable waste originating in Anaconda-Deer Lodge County shall be accepted at the ADLC Wastewater Treatment Plant Septage Receiving Station. Mixed loads of wastes from ADLC and other counties will not be accepted.

Licensed pumpers shall now provide a record of the point(s) of origin and quantities of wastes brought to the ADLC Wastewater Treatment Plant Septage Receiving Station for disposal. A new disposal record form has been prepared to collect the required information. Failure of a licensed pumper to truthfully and accurately report information required on the ADLC Septage Disposal Record shall result in permanent loss of privilege to dispose of septage and other pumpable wastes at the ADLC Wastewater Treatment Plant Septage Receiving Station

This moratorium shall remain in effect until the upgrades to the ADLC Wastewater Treatment Plant have been completed.

Signed 
Bill T. Everett, Chief Executive Officer
Anaconda-Deer Lodge County

Effective Date July 1, 2019

SIGNED _____
TERRY VERMEIKE, CHAIRMAN
A-DLC COMMISSION

DATE: _____