

### Helena-Lewis and Clark National Forest Land Management Plan Revision

### Objector Meeting Agenda and Objectives September 29-October 1, 2020

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#### **Meeting Outcomes**

- 1. Objectors and Interested Persons (attendees) discuss select topics with the Reviewing Officer.
- 2. Attendees have the chance to validate or clarify the Reviewing Officer's understanding of the objection topics on the day's agenda.
- 3. Attendees have the opportunity to discuss possible solutions to their overriding, collective concerns.
- 4. Attendees have a clear understanding of the next steps in the review process and of how the final resolution decision document will incorporate the Reviewing Officer's final response.

#### Tuesday, September 29, 2020 Agenda

| Time         | Topic  | Who   |
|--------------|--|---|
| 9:30–9:45    | <ul> <li>Welcome and Forest Service introductions</li> <li>Review meeting outcomes and agenda</li> <li>Review ground rules</li> <li>Go over Reviewing Officer's expectations for today and goals of objection process</li> </ul> | Leanne Marten, Regional Forester<br>William Avey, Forest Supervisor<br>Shawn Johnson, Meeting Facilitator |
| 9:45–10:00   | <ul> <li>The review process</li> <li>Brief overview of range of issues</li> <li>Issues selected for this meeting</li> <li>How decisions will be made</li> <li>Questions</li> </ul>   | Leanne Marten, Regional Forester  |
| 10:00 -11:30 | Wildlife – Diversity, Connectivity, and ESA Species  | Leanne Marten, William Avey   |



| Time         | Topic   | Who                                    |
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|              | Objector and interested person                                |  |
|              | introductions   |  |
|              | Brief review of issue as Reviewing                            |  |
|              | Officer understands it  |  |
|              | Discussion/clarification of revised                           |  |
|              | remedies from Objectors                                       |  |
|              | Input from Interested Persons                                 |  |
| 11:30 – 1300 | Lunch break   |  |
| 1:00 – 2:00  | Identification of Species of                                  | Christine Dawe, Associate Deputy Chief |
|              | Conservation Concern  | National Forest Management             |
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|              | Objector and interested person introductions                  | Learnie Marten                         |
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|              | Discussion/clarification of revised                           |  |
|              | remedies from Objectors                                       |  |
|              | Input from Interested Persons                                 |  |
| 2:00-3:00    | Elk Habitat Management  | Leanne Marten, William Avey            |
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|              | Objector and interested person                                |  |
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|              | Brief review of issue as Reviewing                            |  |
|              | Officer understands it  |  |
|              | Discussion/clarification of revised                           |  |
|              | remedies from Objectors                                       |  |
|              | Input from Interested Persons                                 |  |
| 3:00-3:30    | Summary of the Day  | Leanne Marten, Shawn Johnson           |
|              |   |  |
|              | Reviewing Officer's reflections                               |  |
|              | Meeting documentation, how and                                |  |
|              | when available  |  |
|              | Next steps in the review and planning                         |  |
|              | processes   |  |
|              | Meeting feedback  |  |

## Wednesday, September 30, 2020 Agenda

| Time          | Topic   | Who   |
|---------------|---|---|
| 9:00–9:15     | Welcome and Forest Service introductions                    | Leanne Marten, Regional Forester<br>William Avey, Forest Supervisor |
|               | Review meeting outcomes and                                 | Shawn Johnson, Meeting Facilitator                                  |
|               | agenda  |   |
|               | Review ground rules   |   |
|               | Go over Reviewing Officer's                                 |   |
|               | expectations for today and goals of                         |   |
| 2.47.000      | objection process   |   |
| 9:15–9:30     | The review process  | Leanne Marten, Regional Forester                                    |
|               | Brief overview of range of issues                           |   |
|               | Issues selected for this meeting                            |   |
|               | How decisions will be made                                  |   |
|               | Questions   |   |
| 10:00 – 11:00 | General Access – Motorized and Mechanized Suitability       | Leanne Marten, William Avey   |
|               | Objector and interested person                              |   |
|               | introductions   |   |
|               | Brief review of issue as Reviewing  Officer understands it. |   |
|               | Officer understands it                                      |   |
|               | Discussion/clarification of revised                         |   |
|               | remedies from Objectors                                     |   |



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| Input from Interested Persons       |   |
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| Objector and interested person      |   |
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|                                     | Leanne Marten, William Avey   |
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| Wildlife Management Unit,           |   |
| Continental Divide National Scenic  |   |
| Trail                               |   |
| Objector and interested person      |   |
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| Officer understands it              |   |
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| remedies from Objectors             |   |
| Input from Interested Persons       |   |
| Summary of the Day                  | Leanne Marten, Shawn Johnson  |
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|                                     | Input from Interested Persons  Break  Recommended Wilderness Areas and Boundary Adjustments      Objector and interested person introductions     Brief review of issue as Reviewing Officer understands it     Discussion/clarification of revised remedies from Objectors     Input from Interested Persons Lunch break  Designated Area Management — Badger Two Medicine, Elkhorn Wildlife Management Unit, Continental Divide National Scenic Trail      Objector and interested person introductions     Brief review of issue as Reviewing Officer understands it     Discussion/clarification of revised remedies from Objectors |

# Thursday, October 1, 2020

| Time          | Topic  | Who                                |
|---------------|--|------------------------------------|
| 9:00–9:15     | Welcome and Forest Service                           | Leanne Marten, Regional Forester   |
|               | introductions  | William Avey, Forest Supervisor    |
|               | Review meeting outcomes and                          | Shawn Johnson, Meeting Facilitator |
|               | agenda   |                                    |
|               | Review ground rules                                  |                                    |
|               | Go over Reviewing Officer's                          |                                    |
|               | expectations for today and goals of                  |                                    |
|               | objection process                                    |                                    |
| 9:15–9:30     | The review process                                   | Leanne Marten, Regional Forester   |
|               | Brief overview of range of issues                    |                                    |
|               | <ul> <li>Issues selected for this meeting</li> </ul> |                                    |
|               | How decisions will be made                           |                                    |
|               | Questions  |                                    |
| 10:00 – 11:00 | Conservation Watershed Network                       | Leanne Marten, William Avey        |
|               | and Downstream Water Uses                            |                                    |
|               |  |                                    |
|               | Objector and interested person                       |                                    |
|               | introductions  |                                    |



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|               | Officer understands it                                    |                              |
|               | Discussion/clarification of revised                       |                              |
|               | remedies from Objectors                                   |                              |
|               | Input from Interested Persons                             |                              |
| 11:00 – 12:00 | Timber, Sustained Yield, and,<br>Reforestation            | Leanne Marten, William Avey  |
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|               | <ul> <li>Objector and interested person</li> </ul>        |                              |
|               | introductions   |                              |
|               | <ul> <li>Brief review of issue as Reviewing</li> </ul>    |                              |
|               | Officer understands it                                    |                              |
|               | <ul> <li>Discussion/clarification of revised</li> </ul>   |                              |
|               | remedies from Objectors                                   |                              |
|               | Input from Interested Persons                             |                              |
| 12:00 – 1:30  | Lunch break   |                              |
| 1:30 – 2:30   | Range   | Leanne Marten, William Avey  |
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|               | <ul> <li>Objector and interested person</li> </ul>        |                              |
|               | introductions   |                              |
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|               | remedies from Objectors                                   |                              |
|               | <ul> <li>Input from Interested Persons</li> </ul>         |                              |
| 2:30 – 3:00   | Summary of the Day  | Leanne Marten, Shawn Johnson |
|               |   |                              |
|               | <ul> <li>Reviewing Officer's reflections</li> </ul>       |                              |
|               | <ul> <li>Meeting documentation, how and</li> </ul>        |                              |
|               | when available  |                              |
|               | <ul> <li>Next steps in the review and planning</li> </ul> |                              |
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|               | Meeting feedback  |                              |