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Commission Meeting Agenda TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE AND BEST ESTIMATE ONLY

Location: Virtually via Zoom **Date:** December 20, 2022

Time: 9:00 a.m.

The joint Parks and Outdoor Recreation Board and Fish and Wildlife Commission meeting will be held via Zoom. The Board and Commission will take public comment on agenda items for registered commenters on Zoom. If you wish to make a comment, registration will open on Fish, Wildlife & Parks' website https://fwp.mt.gov/ by noon on December 6 and close at 5:00 pm on December 19. The Commission Chair will call upon registrants by name to comment. When called upon to comment, please click the "raise hand" button on the Zoom screen or dial *9 if participating by phone. You will be notified when you have been unmuted. Before making your comment, please state your name, city, and the organization you are representing if applicable.

Agenda Items:

9:00 a.m. - Joint meeting with Parks and Recreation Board

Department Legislation and Budget

Fish and Wildlife Commission call to order

- Approval of minutes from October commission meeting
- Approval of commission expenses
- Commissioner reports
- Director's office report

<u>Fisheries</u>

Approved Commercial Bait Seining Waters, 2023-24

Wildlife

- Adjustments to 2022 Big Game Regulations for 2023 Season
- City of Lewistown Urban Deer Management Plan (R4)

Land and Water

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- Rock Creek (Paradise Valley) Water Right Lease (R3)
- Big Lake WMA Addition (R5)

Parks and Outdoor Recreation

- Commercial Use Permit Fee Rule Renewal Fishing Access Sites and Wildlife Management Areas
- Results of Madison River Work Group Recommendation Scoping

Public Comment for Items Not on this Agenda

Adjournment

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