

BEFORE THE BOARD OF WATER WELL CONTRACTORS AND
THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
AND CONSERVATION OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

In the matter of the amendment of ARM) NOTICE OF AMENDMENT AND
36.21.415 and 36.21.661 and the repeal) REPEAL
of ARM 36.21.413 pertaining to water)
well licensing and construction standards)

To: All Concerned Persons

1. On April 15, 2022, the Board of Water Well Contractors and the Department of Natural Resources and Conservation (department) published MAR Notice No. 36-22-213 pertaining to the public hearing on the proposed amendment and repeal of the above-stated rules at page 490 of the 2022 Montana Administrative Register, Issue Number 7.

2. The department has amended ARM 36.21.415 and 36.21.661 as proposed.

3. The department has repealed ARM 36.21.413 as proposed.

4. The department has thoroughly considered the written and oral comments received. A summary of the comments received and the department's responses are as follows:

COMMENT NO. 1: The rules should be adopted as proposed.

RESPONSE: The department agrees.

/s/ Amanda Kaster
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/s/ Cameron Boster
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Rule Reviewer

Certified to the Secretary of State July 26, 2022.