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NOTICE OF PETITION FOR CLOSURE OF STATE LANDS

April 21, 2025

Pursuant to Mont. Admin. R. 36.25.152(4), the Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation ("Department") hereby provides notice that it has received a petition for closure of the following described state lands:

Township 1 North, Range 2 East

Section 1: All
Section 2: All
Section 12: All

Township 2 North, Range 2 East

Section 36: Part of the S½ lying south of Interstate 90, and less MS403
Gallatin County, Montana

The Petition requests a decision from the Department, permanently closing the above-described lands to recreational use. A copy of the petition can be obtained by visiting <https://dnrc.mt.gov/News/public-notices>.

You may object to the petition by submitting your objection, in writing, either via email, at dnrcclosurepetition@mt.gov, or by submission to DNRC's Central Land Office or the Bozeman Unit Office at the following addresses:



Central Land Office
8001 North Montana
Helena, MT 59602

Bozeman Unit Office
2273 Boot Hill Court, Ste 110
Bozeman, MT 59715

To be considered by the Department, an objection must be submitted, in writing, by one of the methods described above; must state the reasons why the petition should not be granted; and must provide any applicable supporting documentation. Objections which do not satisfy the foregoing criteria will not be considered.

Either the Petitioner, or any Objector, may also request a public hearing on the Petition. Requests for a public hearing must be in writing and must be received by the Department on or before May 20, 2025. Objections to the Petition may be made until a public hearing is conducted on the Petition, or June 19, 2025, whichever is earlier. If requested, a public hearing will be conducted by the Department in Gallatin County on or before June 19, 2025. Whether a hearing is requested or not, the Department will issue a written decision to grant, grant with modifications, or deny the Petition on or before July 1, 2025.

