**Resource Conservation Advisor Council**

**February 12, 2020**

**1:30 to 5:00 p.m.**

**Billings Hotel & Convention**

**Billings, MT**

**Conference Call In Number: 1-866-516-3949---Password 3656839**

**Introductions**

**Review & Approval of November 19, 2019 Minutes**

**223 Review & Ranking**

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| **App #** | **CD Name** |   | **Requested** | **Approved** |
| 1522 | Deer Lodge Valley | Beaver Conflict Resolution Pilot Project | $17,600.00 |   |
| 1523 | Fergus | No-Till Drill | $20,000.00 |   |
| 1524 | Missoula | Seeley Lake Clear River Watershed E & O | $9,900.00 |   |
| 1525 | Upper Musselshell | Supply Canal Rehab Roma Ranch | $12,801.00 |   |
| 1526 | Yellowstone | Salt Cedar Management | $25,000.00 |   |
|   |   | **Total** |   |   |
|  |   |  | **$85,301.00** | **$0.00** |

**Leadership Summit Summary—Laurie Zeller/Gayla Wortman**

**MEPA Compliance for Grant Programs – Laurie Zeller**

**2020 Training Opportunities for Conservation Districts—Karl Christians**

**2021 Administrative Grants---Karl Christians**

**Pollinator Grants; Celebrating Envirothon’s 25th Anniversary—Mary Hendrix**

**Field Notes—Updates on Conservation Districts—Karl Christians, Lance Clark, Linda Brander & Mary Hendrix**

**Old Business**

**Reorganizing Resources to Meet Conservation District Needs—Laurie Zeller**

**Weather Station Grants Follow-Up—Linda Brander**

**223 Forms (application questions & ranking form)—do changes still need to be made—Linda Brander**

**Other**

**Public Comment**

**Next Meeting Date & Location—April 22, 2020 is the final 223 deadline**