

BOARD APPOINTEES AND VACANCIES

Section 2-15-108, MCA, passed by the 1991 Legislature, directed that all appointing authorities of all appointive boards, commissions, committees, and councils of state government take positive action to attain gender balance and proportional representation of minority residents to the greatest extent possible.

One directive of 2-15-108, MCA, is that the Secretary of State publish monthly in the ***Montana Administrative Register*** a list of appointees and upcoming or current vacancies on those boards and councils.

In this issue, appointments effective in November 2009 appear. Vacancies scheduled to appear from January 1, 2010, through March 31, 2010, are listed, as are current vacancies due to resignations or other reasons. Individuals interested in serving on a board should refer to the bill that created the board for details about the number of members to be appointed and necessary qualifications.

Each month, the previous month's appointees are printed, and current and upcoming vacancies for the next three months are published.

IMPORTANT

Membership on boards and commissions changes constantly. The following lists are current as of December 1, 2009.

For the most up-to-date information of the status of membership, or for more detailed information on the qualifications and requirements to serve on a board, contact the appointing authority.

BOARD AND COUNCIL APPOINTEES FROM NOVEMBER 2009

<u>Appointee</u>	<u>Appointed by</u>	<u>Succeeds</u>	<u>Appointment/End Date</u>
State Tax Appeals Board (Administration)			
Ms. Samantha Sanchez	Governor	Bartlett	11/2/2009
Helena			1/1/2011
Qualifications (if required): public representative			

VACANCIES ON BOARDS AND COUNCILS -- JANUARY 1, 2010 THROUGH MARCH 31, 2010

<u>Board/current position holder</u>	<u>Appointed by</u>	<u>Term end</u>
<p>Alternative Livestock Advisory Council (Fish, Wildlife and Parks) Dr. Don E. Woerner, Laurel Qualifications (if required): veterinarian</p>	Governor	1/1/2010
<p>Mr. Stan Frasier, Helena Qualifications (if required): sportsperson</p>	Governor	1/1/2010
<p>Mr. James Bouma, Choteau Qualifications (if required): alternative livestock industry representative</p>	Governor	1/1/2010
<p>Board of Architects (Labor and Industry) Ms. Maire O'Neill, Bozeman Qualifications (if required): registered architect with the Montana State University</p>	Governor	3/27/2010
<p>Board of Architects and Landscape Architects (Labor and Industry) Ms. Shelly Engler, Bozeman Qualifications (if required): licensed landscape architect</p>	Governor	3/27/2010
<p>Mr. Carl A. Thuesen, Billings Qualifications (if required): licensed landscape architect</p>	Governor	3/27/2010
<p>Ms. Teresa Wilson, Butte Qualifications (if required): public representative</p>	Governor	3/27/2010
<p>Board of Chiropractors (Labor and Industry) Dr. Thomas P. Fullerton DC, Kalispell Qualifications (if required): practicing chiropractor with at least one year experience</p>	Governor	1/1/2010

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Board of Horseracing (Livestock) Ms. Susan Austin, Kalispell Qualifications (if required): resident of district 5	Governor	1/20/2010
Mr. Charles Carruthers, Butte Qualifications (if required): industry representative	Governor	1/20/2010
Mr. Ray "Topper" Tracy, Stevensville Qualifications (if required): industry representative	Governor	1/20/2010
Mr. John Ostlund, Billings Qualifications (if required): resident of district 2	Governor	1/20/2010
Board of Pardons and Parole (Corrections) Mr. Darryl Dupuis, Polson Qualifications (if required): education or experience in criminology, education, psychiatry, psychology, law & sociology	Governor	1/1/2010
Ms. Margaret Hall-Bowman, Pablo Qualifications (if required): education or experience in criminology, education, psychiatry, psychology, law & sociology	Governor	1/1/2010
Board of Public Education (Education) Mr. Storrs M. Bishop, Ennis Qualifications (if required): Republican from District 2	Governor	2/1/2010
Board of Regents of Higher Education (Education) Rep. Lila V. Taylor, Busby Qualifications (if required): representative of District 4 and a Republican	Governor	2/1/2010

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<p>Board of Research and Commercialization (Commerce) Mr. Martin R. Connell, Billings Qualifications (if required): none specified</p>	President of the Senate	3/27/2010
<p>Children's Trust Fund (Public Health and Human Services) Rep. Rosalie Buzzas, Missoula Qualifications (if required): public representative</p>	Governor	1/1/2010
<p>Ms. Betty Hidalgo, Great Falls Qualifications (if required): public representative</p>	Governor	1/1/2010
<p>Ms. Mary Gallagher, no city listed Qualifications (if required): agency representative</p>	Governor	1/1/2010
<p>Ms. Nancy Wikle, Helena Qualifications (if required): agency representative</p>	Governor	1/1/2010
<p>Ms. Tara Jensen, Helena Qualifications (if required): agency representative</p>	Governor	1/1/2010
<p>Ms. JoAnn Eder, Red Lodge Qualifications (if required): public representative</p>	Governor	1/1/2010
<p>Commission on Practice of the Supreme Court (Supreme Court) Ms. Tracy Axelberg, Kalispell Qualifications (if required): elected</p>	elected	3/28/2010

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<p>Judicial Nomination Commission (Justice) Judge Ted O. Lympus, Kalispell Qualifications (if required): elected</p>	District Court	1/1/2010
<p>Mr. Paul Tuss, Havre Qualifications (if required): public representative</p>	Governor	1/1/2010
<p>Lottery Commission (Administration) Mr. Thomas M. Keegan, Helena Qualifications (if required): attorney</p>	Governor	1/1/2010
<p>Ms. Beth O'Halloran, Missoula Qualifications (if required): public member</p>	Governor	1/1/2010
<p>Montana Arts Council (Arts Council) Mr. Tim Holmes, Helena Qualifications (if required): resident of Montana</p>	Governor	2/1/2010
<p>Mr. Wilbur Wood, Roundup Qualifications (if required): resident of Montana</p>	Governor	2/1/2010
<p>Ms. Youpa Stein, Missoula Qualifications (if required): resident of Montana</p>	Governor	2/1/2010
<p>Mr. Mark Kuipers, Missoula Qualifications (if required): public representative</p>	Governor	2/1/2010

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Montana Council on Developmental Disabilities (Commerce) Ms. Sara Casey, Helena Qualifications (if required): agency representative	Governor	1/1/2010
Sen. Carol Williams, Missoula Qualifications (if required): legislator	Governor	1/1/2010
Mr. Roger Holt, Billings Qualifications (if required): advocacy representative	Governor	1/1/2010
Ms. Anna Whiting-Sorrell, Helena Qualifications (if required): DPHHS Director	Governor	1/1/2010
Rep. Tim Furey, Milltown Qualifications (if required): legislator	Governor	1/1/2010
Montana Grass Conservation Commission (Natural Resources and Conservation) Mr. Sonny Obrecht, Turner Qualifications (if required): grazing district preference holder	Governor	1/1/2010
Montana Pulse Crop Advisory Committee (Agriculture) Mr. Grant Zerbe, Frazer Qualifications (if required): none specified	Director	2/13/2010
Ms. Leta Campbell, Harlem Qualifications (if required): none specified	Director	2/13/2010

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Small Business Health Insurance Pool Board (State Auditor)		
Ms. Gail Briese-Zimmer, Helena Qualifications (if required): management level individual with knowledge of medicaid services	Governor	1/1/2010
Ms. Betty Beverly, Helena Qualifications (if required): consumer	Governor	1/1/2010
State Employee Charitable Giving Campaign Advisory Council (Administration)		
Ms. JereAnn Nelson, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Administration representative	Director	1/4/2010
Mr. Dave Paton, Helena Qualifications (if required): Department of Administration representative	Director	1/4/2010
State Employee Group Benefits Advisory Council (Administration)		
Ms. Amy Sassano, Helena Qualifications (if required): Executive Branch Agencies representative	Director	1/23/2010
Traumatic Brain Injury Advisory Council (Public Health and Human Services)		
Mr. Ian Elliot, Billings Qualifications (if required): survivor	Governor	1/1/2010
Mr. James Hunt, Helena Qualifications (if required): advocate for brain injured	Governor	1/1/2010