

BEFORE THE SECRETARY OF STATE
OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

In the matter of the proposed amendment) NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
of ARM 1.2.419 regarding the) ON PROPOSED AMENDMENT
scheduled dates for the 2007 Montana)
Administrative Register)

TO: All Concerned Persons

1. On November 30, 2006, a public hearing will be held at 10:00 a.m. in the Secretary of State's Office Conference Room, Room 260, State Capitol Building, Helena, Montana, to consider the proposed amendment of the above-stated rule.

2. The Secretary of State will make reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities who wish to participate in this public hearing or need an alternative accessible format of this notice. If you require an accommodation, contact the Secretary of State no later than 5:00 p.m. on November 21, 2006, to advise us of the nature of the accommodation that you need. Please contact Jean Branscum, Secretary of State's Office, P.O. Box 202801, Helena, MT 59620-2801; telephone (406) 444-5596; FAX (406) 444-4263; e-mail jbranscum@mt.gov.

3. The rule as proposed to be amended provides as follows, stricken matter interlined, new matter underlined:

1.2.419 FILING AND PUBLICATION SCHEDULE FOR THE MONTANA ADMINISTRATIVE REGISTER (1) The scheduled filing dates, time deadline, and publication dates for material to be published in the Montana Administrative Register are listed below:

~~2006~~ Schedule

<u>Filing</u>	<u>Publication</u>
January 3	January 12
January 13	January 26
January 30	February 9
February 13	February 23
February 27	March 9
March 13	March 23
March 27	April 6
April 10	April 20
April 24	May 4
May 8	May 18
May 22	June 4
June 12	June 22
June 26	July 6

July 17	July 27
July 31	August 10
August 14	August 24
August 28	September 7
September 11	September 21
September 25	October 5
October 16	October 26
October 30	November 9
November 13	November 22
November 27	December 7
December 11	December 21

2007 Schedule

<u>Filing</u>	<u>Publication</u>
<u>January 2</u>	<u>January 11</u>
<u>January 16</u>	<u>January 25</u>
<u>January 29</u>	<u>February 8</u>
<u>February 12</u>	<u>February 22</u>
<u>February 26</u>	<u>March 8</u>
<u>March 12</u>	<u>March 22</u>
<u>April 2</u>	<u>April 12</u>
<u>April 16</u>	<u>April 26</u>
<u>April 30</u>	<u>May 10</u>
<u>May 14</u>	<u>May 24</u>
<u>May 29</u>	<u>June 7</u>
<u>June 11</u>	<u>June 21</u>
<u>June 25</u>	<u>July 5</u>
<u>July 16</u>	<u>July 26</u>
<u>July 30</u>	<u>August 9</u>
<u>August 13</u>	<u>August 23</u>
<u>August 27</u>	<u>September 6</u>
<u>September 10</u>	<u>September 20</u>
<u>September 24</u>	<u>October 4</u>
<u>October 15</u>	<u>October 25</u>
<u>October 29</u>	<u>November 8</u>
<u>November 13</u>	<u>November 21</u>
<u>November 26</u>	<u>December 6</u>
<u>December 10</u>	<u>December 20</u>

(2) remains the same.

AUTH: 2-4-312, MCA
IMP: 2-4-312, MCA

4. ARM 1.2.419 is proposed to be amended to set dates pertinent to the publication of the Montana Administrative Register during 2007. The schedule is proposed during the month of November in order that it may be adopted during December to allow state agencies the opportunity to plan their rulemaking schedule to meet program needs for the upcoming year.

5. Concerned persons may present their data, views, or arguments, either orally or in writing, at the hearing. Written data, views, or arguments may also be submitted to Jean Branscum, Secretary of State's Office, P.O. Box 202801, Helena, Montana 59620-2801, or by e-mailing jabranscum@mt.gov, and must be received no later than 5:00 p.m., December 7, 2006.

6. Janice Doggett, Secretary of State's Office, P.O. Box 202801, Helena, Montana 59620-2801, has been designated to preside over and conduct the hearing.

7. The Secretary of State maintains a list of interested persons who wish to receive notices of rulemaking actions proposed by this agency. Persons who wish to have their name added to the list shall make a written request which includes the name and mailing address of the person to receive notices and specifies that the person wishes to receive notices regarding administrative rules, corporations, elections, notaries, records, uniform commercial code, or combination thereof. Such written request may be mailed or delivered to the Secretary of State's Office, Administrative Rules Bureau, 1236 Sixth Avenue, P.O. Box 202801, Helena, MT 59620-2801, faxed to the office at (406) 444-4263, or may be made by completing a request form at any rules hearing held by the Secretary of State's Office.

8. The bill sponsor notice requirements of 2-4-302, MCA, do not apply.

/s/ Mark A. Simonich for
BRAD JOHNSON
Secretary of State

/s/ Janice Doggett
JANICE DOGGETT
Rule Reviewer

Dated this 30th day of October 2006.