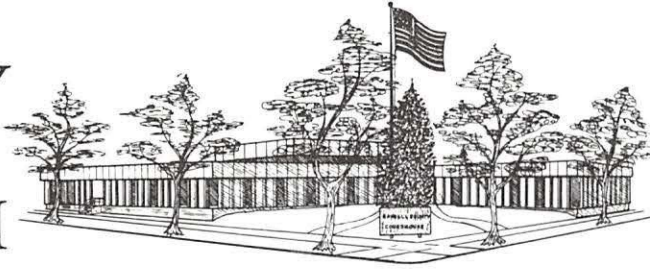


COUNTY OF RAVALLI



RAVALLI COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
215 S. 4th Street, Suite A
Hamilton, MT. 59840
406-375-6500
commissioners@rc.mt.gov

August 12, 2021

Objection Reviewing Officer
USDA Forest Service, Northern Region
26 Fort Missoula Road
Missoula, MT 59804

RE: Ravalli County Objection on the Mud Creek Project

Dear Reviewing Officer,

The Board of Ravalli County Commissioners (BCC) thanks Forest Supervisor Matt Anderson and FS staff for the collaborative effort in developing the Mud Creek Project.

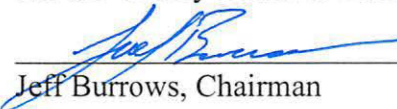
The Ravalli County Commissioners commented that there were additional opportunities for vegetation management including commercial harvest.

Ravalli County would object to any vegetation management reduction in the project area and support the Forest Supervisor's draft decision and finding of no significant impact for the Mud Creek Vegetation Project.


Please consider this objection as part of the official record for the Mud Creek Project.

Sincerely,


Ravalli County Board of Commissioners



Jeff Burrows, Chairman



Greg Chilcott, Member



Dan Huls, Vice-Chairman