

**MONTANA ASSOCIATION OF COUNTIES
108th ANNUAL CONFERENCE
GRANTREE INN - BOZEMAN
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17-THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2017**

ON-SITE REGISTRATION OPEN:

Sunday, September 17	1:00-5:00 p.m.
Monday, September 18	8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
Tuesday, September 19	8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
Wednesday, September 20	8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

12:00 noon-2:00 p.m. Workers' Compensation Trust Trustees Luncheon Meeting
Sponsored by:

1:00 p.m. Exhibitors begin set up

3:00-5:00 p.m. Board of Directors Meeting
Sponsored by:

5:30-10:00 p.m. President's Reception and Dinner

Presiding: Todd Devlin, MACo President
Prairie County Commissioner

Introduction of the head table and Executive Committee

Pledge of Allegiance: Todd Devlin

Invocation and Welcome: Gallatin County Commissioner

Dinner

Dinner Sponsored by:

Beverage tickets sponsored by:

Entertainment:

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

COFFEE AND SODA WILL BE AVAILABLE EVERY DAY

Sponsored by:

7:00-8:30 a.m. No-Host Prayer Breakfast
Sponsored by:

Speaker:
Music

8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Exhibitors

8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Spouse/Guest Quilting Project

8:30-10:00 a.m.

MACo Opening General Session

Presiding: Todd Devlin

Parliamentarian: Joe Briggs, Cascade County Commissioner

Flag Ceremony:

National Anthem:

Pledge of Allegiance: Todd Devlin

Invocation:

Welcome:

Response: Bill Barron, MACo 1st Vice President
Lake County Commissioner

Roll Call: Mike McGinley, MACo Fiscal Officer
Beaverhead County Commissioner

Approval of 2016 Annual Conference Minutes: Todd Devlin

Memorial Resolution: Gallatin County Commissioner

Announcements: Todd Devlin

Nominations Committee Report: Todd Devlin

Convention Site 2018 - Missoula: Todd Devlin and
Missoula County Commissioners

Presentation of Proposed Resolutions:
Jean Curtiss, Missoula County Commissioner

President's Report: Todd Devlin

Fiscal Officer's Report: Mike McGinley

Executive Director's Report: Harold Blattie

10:00-10:30 a.m

Coffee Break
Sponsored by:

Visit with Exhibitors

10:30 a.m.-12:00 noon

GENERAL SESSION

12:00 noon-1:30 p.m.

Lunch
Sponsored by:

Speaker:

1:30-2:30 p.m.

WORKSHOP SESSIONS

A.

B.

2:30-3:00 p.m.

Coffee Break
Sponsored by:

Visit with Exhibitors

3:00-4:00 p.m.

WORKSHOP SESSIONS

A.

B.

4:00-6:00 p.m.

Montana Coalition of Forest Counties Meeting
Carol Brooker, Chair, Sanders County Commissioner

4:00-6:00 p.m.

Oil, Gas & Coal Counties Meeting

Richard Dunbar, Chair, Phillips County Commissioner

Dinner on your own

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

6:00-8:00 a.m.

Property & Casualty Trust Trustees Breakfast Meeting
Sponsored by: QCI Asset Management, Inc.

8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Exhibitors

8:00-10:00 a.m.

MACo Committees will meet. Attendees who are not MACo committee members are encouraged to participate in the meeting of the committee of their choice.

1. Agriculture Committee
Larry Hendrickson, Chair, Liberty County
2. Community Economic Development & Labor Committee
Joe Briggs, Chair, Cascade County
3. Justice & Public Safety Committee
Laura Obert, Broadwater County
4. Land Use & Development Committee
Joe Skinner, Chair, Gallatin County

8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Spouse/Guest Quilting Project

10:00-10:30 a.m.

Coffee Break
Sponsored by:

Visit with Exhibitors

- 10:30-12:30 p.m. Committee Meetings:
1. Energy Committee
Doug Martens, Chair, Rosebud County
 2. Health & Human Services Committee
Carl Seilstad, Chair, Fergus County
 3. Public Lands Committee
Greg Chilcott, Chair, Ravalli County
 4. Transportation Committee
John Ostlund, Chair, Yellowstone County
- 12:30-1:30 p.m. Lunch – Exhibitor/Sponsor Appreciation
- 1:30-2:30 p.m. **GENERAL SESSION**
- 2:00-2:30 p.m. Exhibitor/Sponsor Meeting
- 2:30-3:00 p.m. Coffee Break
Sponsored by:
Visit with Exhibitors
- 3:00-4:00 p.m. **GENERAL SESSION CONTINUED**
- 4:00-5:00 p.m. MACo Health Care Trust Member Annual Meeting
(All counties are invited to attend)
- 4:00-5:00 p.m. Coalition of Wildlife Counties Meeting
Bill Wallace, Chair, Sweet Grass County Commissioner
- 4:00-5:00 p.m. 6 County Fort Peck Lake Group Meeting
Chris King, Chair, Petroleum County Commissioner
- 5:00-6:30 p.m. **Social – sponsored by all exhibitors**
- Dinner on your own

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

- 7:00-8:30 a.m. Health Care Trust Trustees Breakfast Meeting
- 7:30-8:30 a.m. Reservation Counties Breakfast Meeting
- 8:00 a.m.-12:00 noon Exhibitors
- 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Spouse/Guest Quilting Project
- 8:30-10:00 a.m. **GENERAL SESSION**
MACo/NACo Committee Reports
- 10:00-10:30 a.m. Coffee Break
Sponsored by:
Visit with Exhibitors

10:30-12:00 noon

GENERAL SESSION CONTINUED

12:00 noon-1:30 p.m.

Lunch

Speaker:

1:30-4:00 p.m.

Closing General Session/Annual Business Meeting

Presiding: Todd Devlin

Roll Call: Mike McGinley, Beaverhead County Commissioner

1. Unfinished business from the opening general session
2. Appreciation Resolution
3. Nominations Committee Report
4. Election of Officers
5. Resolutions
6. Proposed By-Law Amendments
7. Congressional Reports/Videos
8. Other business

No actual scheduled break this afternoon – break items in the back of the room

THE FOLLOWING MEETINGS WILL BEGIN UPON ADJOURMENT OF THE GENERAL SESSION

4:00-5:00 p.m.

Hard Rock Mining Counties Meeting

Bill Wallace, Chair, Sweet Grass County Commissioner

4:00-5:00 p.m.

Urban Counties Meeting

Andy Hunthausen, Lewis & Clark County Commissioner

Annual Banquet

5:30 p.m.

Beverage tickets:

Banquet

Invocation: Gallatin County Commissioner

Entertainment:

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

7:30-9:00 a.m.

New Board of Directors' Breakfast Meeting