1. Roll Call & Introductions: Chair Seilstad called the meeting to order and conducted roll call.
   - [X] Carl Seilstad, Chair, Fergus
   - [X] Andy Hunthausen, Vice Chair, Lewis & Clark
   - [X] Mary Armstrong, Valley
   - [X] Gale Decker, Lake
   - [X] Sidney Fitzpatrick, Big Horn
   - [X] Jim Hart, Madison
   - [X] Scott MacFarlane, Gallatin
   - [X] Bob Mullen, Jefferson
   - [X] Joe Skinner, Gallatin
   - [X] Bill Slaughter, Granite
   - [X] Jane Weber, Cascade
   - [X] Joette Woods, Liberty

   Guests: Todd Harwell, Montana Department of Public Health & Human Services; Deborah Frandsen, Senator Tester’s Office; Natalia Bowser, Montana Board of Crime Control; Robin Baker, Senator Steve Daines’ Office; Tony Scribner, Congressman Gianforte’s Office; Penny Cope, Montana Department of Commerce-Housing; Ken Wall, Geodata Services, Inc.

2. Approval of Minutes: February 12, 2018: Commissioner Armstrong motioned to adopt the minutes; Commissioner Hunthausen seconded the motion; motion passed unanimously.

3. Senior & Long-Term Care: Shaunda Hildebrand, Fiscal & Nursing Facility Services Bureau Chief, Senior and Long-Term Care Division, MT Dep. Of Public Health & Human Services, spoke to the group about nursing facilities’ funding, veteran homes, swing beds, and CAHs. There number of county-owned nursing facilities is declining (from 33 in 2004 to 13 in 2020).

4. Public Health System Improvement Report: Terry Ray, Public Health System Improvement Coordinator; and Todd Harwell, Administrator, Public Health & Safety Division, Montana Department of Health & Human Services, talked about the DPHHS’ operations and goals including educational and continuing education opportunities: Public Health 3.0, Bolt training, and tabletop.

5. CIT Training Opportunities: Deb Matteucci, Gallatin County, reported on CIT training opportunities, explained best practices, and talked about risk reduction 101 as well as county matching grants.

6. Updates:
   - Mental Health Centers: Erin McGowan talked to the group about Board of Health authority challenge, anti-vaccine bills, and clean air act.
   - HB 660, funding for mobile crisis response teams--$500K RFP coming
   - Sanitarian Fees: Potential bill to increase reimbursement rates.

7. Adjournment
   There being no further business, the committee adjourned.