

Minutes of Fergus Co. Commissioners Special Meeting  
May 8, 2020 – 2:00 p.m.  
Fergus County Commissioners  
712 W. Main St., Suite 210  
Lewistown, MT 59457

Present: Commissioner Ross Butcher, Commissioner Sandy Youngbauer, Commissioner Carl Seilstad and Deputy Clerk & Recorder Abbie Craig. Public present: See attached.

**CALL TO ORDER:**

Commissioner Youngbauer called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

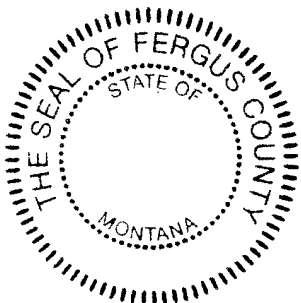
**PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS:** None

**DISCUSSION /ACTION ITEMS:**

- 1) Resolution 19-2020 –Fergus County Directive & Health Order Related to COVID-19: Commissioner Butcher moved to approve Resolution 19-2020 – Fergus County Directive & Health Order Related to COVID-19. Commissioner Seilstad seconded. Commissioner Butcher stated that citizens need to be accountable for their own actions. The Central Montana Health District plans to offer more education, thus having to take less action. Deb Hill with the News Argus asked about the Sheriff's Department enforcing directives regarding COVID-19. County Attorney Kent Sipe said it is not the responsibility of the Sheriff's Department to enforce COVID-19 unless every day business is adversely affected. Passed unanimously.

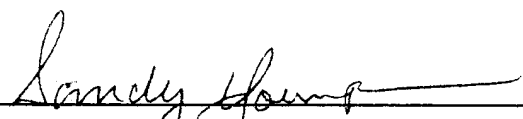
**OTHER BUSINESS:** None

**FERGUS COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:**



Attest:

  
Rana J. Wichman, Clerk & Recorder

  
Sandy Youngbauer, Presiding Officer

  
Ross Butcher, Commissioner

  
Carl Seilstad, Commissioner