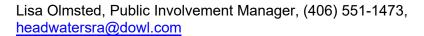


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Headwaters Rest Area Public Open House Scheduled



The Montana Department of Transportation (MDT) invites you to attend either an in-person open house or a virtual public meeting to discuss the Headwaters Rest Area project, which will include the construction of a new rest area near Three Forks and the removal of the Bozeman Rest Area. MDT and the Montana Rest Area JV Partners (a C.A. Rickert and Associates Inc./Diamond Construction Joint Venture) team representatives will be providing an overview of the new rest area plan, including design features, safety plans, and the value that rest areas serve to the traveling public. A timeline of the construction will also be presented. Team members will be available to answer any questions the public may have.

MDT and the Montana Rest Area JV Partners team will be constructing a new rest area, to be named Headwaters Rest Area, near Three Forks. The new facility will be located approximately 3,000 feet north of I 90 on the west side of US 287, just north of existing commercial development. This new rest area will include many modern design and safety improvements and will ultimately replace the dated and undersized rest area located at the 19th Avenue interchange in Bozeman.

In-Person Public Open House July 20th, 2021, 4-7 pm

The in-person event will be open house format; come whenever is most convenient for you.

Headwaters Livestock 25 Wheatland Road Three Forks, MT 59752

Virtual Public Meeting July 21st, 2021, 4 pm

Registration is required. Presentation will begin at 4:00 pm and will be followed by a Q&A session.

Register at: https://www.mdt.mt.gov/pubinvolve/headwatersrestarea



More information about the project can be found at the project website: https://www.mdt.mt.gov/pubinvolve/headwatersrestarea. Comments, questions or concerns can be directed to headwatersra@dowl.com or by calling the project hotline at (406) 551-1473.

The Department of Transportation will make reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities who wish to participate in the Headwaters Rest Area Open House or need an alternative accessible format of this notice. If you require an accommodation, contact the Department of Transportation no later than July 16th, 2021 to advise us of the nature of the accommodation that you need. Please contact Matt Maze, Office of Civil Rights, P.O. Box 201001, Helena, Montana 59620; telephone (406) 444-5416; Montana Relay 711; facsimile (406) 444-7243; or e-mail to mmaze@mt.gov.

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