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### **Open House and Virtual Meeting Scheduled to Discuss MT 200 Bridges Lewistown Area Project**

The Montana Department of Transportation (MDT) is hosting a public open house and virtual meeting to discuss the MT 200 Bridges Lewistown Area project. MDT and project team representatives will be providing a general project overview and anticipated project timeline. Team members will also be available to answer questions the public may have.

The project will reconstruct 10 bridges along US 87/MT 200 east of Lewistown. The project will replace aging and deteriorating structures with new bridges or culverts. Nine of the bridges were constructed prior to 1940 and the timber structures are reaching the end of their useful and serviceable life.

In addition to the bridge replacements, the project will include minor road and approach construction to tie the new structures into the existing road. Safety components including wider shoulders along reconstructed roadways, new guardrail and rumble strips are also included in the project design.

#### **Public Open House**

**Tuesday, June 14, 2022, 4:30-6:30 pm**

The event will be open house format; come whenever is most convenient for you.  
Little Montana Chuckwagon  
44045 US 87 S  
Grass Range, MT 59032

#### **Virtual Public Meeting**

**Wednesday, June 15, 2022, 11:00 am**

Register at: <https://www.mdt.mt.gov/pubinvolve/mt200lewistown>

More information about the project can be found at the project website:

<https://www.mdt.mt.gov/pubinvolve/mt200lewistown/>. Comments, questions or concerns can be directed to Lisa Olmsted at [MT200@dowl.com](mailto:MT200@dowl.com) or by calling (833) 337-0453.

The Department of Transportation will make reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities who wish to participate in this MT 200 Public Meeting or need an alternative accessible format of this notice. If you require an accommodation, contact the Department of Transportation no later than June 13 at 5 pm 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](mailto:mmaze@mt.gov).

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