

November 19-20, 2020

ITEM 191-102-R1120

A Resolution of the Montana Board of Regents Regarding the Establishment of the Bitterroot Valley Community College District in Ravalli County

THAT

See attached resolution.

EXPLANATION

The Board of Regents is committed to expanding affordable access to higher education for all Montana residents and recognizes the importance of workforce training and Career & Technical Education (CTE) as drivers of economic growth in the state of Montana, including the Bitterroot Valley. The Board of Regents has heard several presentations regarding the BVCC District, has carefully considered all documentation and public comment presented, and finds promise in the academic and workforce programming outlined. However, important information about the enrollment figures and funding sources necessary to launch and sustain a community college district can only be provided by the students and voters of Ravalli County, other potential financial supporters, and the Montana Legislature.

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment #1 – A Resolution of the Montana Board of Regents Regarding the Establishment of the Bitterroot Valley Community College District in Ravalli County