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**To:** Montana Land Information Advisory Council

**From:** Erin Fashway, State GIS Coordinator

**Date:** November 13, 2019

**Re: Proposed 2020 MLIAC Meeting and Other Important Dates**

The Montana Land Information Advisory Council meets four times a year, in April, June, September, and November. The following are the proposed dates for calendar year 2020:

- January/February Proposed Working Meeting Possible Dates:
  - Friday, January 24; Friday, January 31; Friday, February 7
- Tuesday, April 7, 2020 – Missoula, MT
  - The April Council meeting will be held in conjunction with the Montana Association of Geographic Information Professionals (MAGIP) annual GIS conference: Big Sky GeoCon. In 2020, the conference will be held in Missoula from April 6 - 9. The main priority of the April Council meeting is to approve grant project funding. This meeting occurs earlier than normal, in the first week of the month.
- Wednesday, June 24, 2020 – Helena, MT
- Wednesday, September 16, 2020 – Helena, MT
- Wednesday, November 18, 2020 – Helena, MT
  - The Council will finalize and approve the next state fiscal year's Land Information Plan no later than the November meeting.

**Other Important Dates:**

- January 15, 2020 – MLIA Grant Application Released
- February 18, 2020 – MLIA Grant Application Submittal Deadline
- March 2, 2020 – Revisions for MLIA Grant Application Due
- March 2-5, 2020 – NSGIC'S Midwinter Conference – Albuquerque, NM
- April 6-9, 2020 – MAGIP's Big Sky GeoCon – Missoula, MT
- June 30, 2020 – End of FY2020 / MLIA FY2020 Grant Year Ends
- July 1, 2020 – Beginning of FY2021 / MLIA FY2021 Grant Year Begins
- September 21-25 – NSGIC Annual Conference – New Orleans, LA
- November 18, 2020 – GIS Day