

Montana Spatial Data Infrastructure: Cadastral Data Updates

The Montana Spatial Data Infrastructure (MSDI) Cadastral Framework data have been updated for May. View a [map of the counties](#) updated this month.

The Montana [Public Lands](#) and the Montana Department of Revenue [Conservation Easements](#) data have also been updated for May.

New this month we have added fields and updated the domains in the geodatabases:

- Parcels:
 - The **CountyCode** integer attribute domain has changed from displaying the county name (as text) and is now displaying the county number (integer).
 - A new **CountyName** text field has been added, with a domain displaying the county name (e.g., Beaverhead).
- Public Lands: The **Owner** field is now a text field with the owner name.
- Conservation Easements: The **EaseHolder** field is now a text field with the name of the easement holder.

These updates have the potential to disrupt workflows based on the changed fields identified above. Due to the potential for disruption, the former versions of the [statewide](#) datasets will also be available for 90 days. These are denoted with “_old” at the end of the zipped file name (e.g. MTPublicLands_GDB_old). The Montana State Library will notify users when these changes have been reflected in the respective web services.

For information about the MSDI Cadastral Framework and how to download the data/metadata, please visit: <http://msl.mt.gov/GIS/Cadastral>.

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