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Montana State Library

Distributes \$157,534 in Montana Land Information Act Grants

(HELENA) - The Montana State Library is pleased to announce the recipients of the State's fiscal year 2016 Montana Land Information Act (MLIA) grants.

At its June meeting, the State Library Commission approved nine applications totaling \$157,534.

Successful applicants include Liberty County, Silver Bow County, Park County, Lake County, Glacier County, Sanders County, the towns of Shelby and Superior and the Billings Heights Water District.

The purpose of the MLIA is to develop standardized sustainable methods to collect, maintain, and disseminate information in digital formats about the natural and artificial land characteristics of Montana. Approved projects included improvements to local road, infrastructure and parcel data that will eventually be integrated into statewide databases.

About the Montana State Library

Through its statewide programs, the Montana State Library empowers Montanans; enhances learning in families and communities; builds 21st Century skills; and provides opportunities for civic participation.

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