

## **CadNSDI Montana Change Management Advisory Group**

This group will be an ad hoc working group of the Montana Land Information Advisory Council (MLIAC), advising the Montana State Library's Geographic Information Program on changes to CadNSDI Montana.

**CadNSDI Montana is a GIS representation of the best estimated positions of the components of the PLSS.** Membership is closely aligned with the structure of the MLIAC

<http://leg.mt.gov/bills/mca/90/1/90-1-405.htm> but may have stakeholders that don't represent a current seat at the MLIAC table. The Group is formed for the following purposes:

1. Examine methodologies in the prioritized areas that would most efficiently and effectively provide satisfactory change. Weigh the cost/benefit ratios of short term vs. long term change methodologies.
  - a. Establish recommendations or guidelines for acceptable change and provide record of decision for those changes.
2. Identify and prioritize areas within CadNSDI that would benefit from accuracy enhancement.
3. Advise the MSL Geographic Information Program on CadNSDI change proposals.
4. Advocate for long term funding to improve monument records, including coordinate positions, for the Montana PLSS.

### **Initial Invited Participants – Term April 2014 through June 2015**

Stu Kirkpatrick – MSL, Staff

Keith Blount – MSL Cadastral Database Analyst

Rudy Cicon – Montana Association of Registered Land Surveyors (MARLS), MLIAC

Harold Montoya – BLM State Office

Will Peddle – U.S. Forest Service (possibly Tony Bachman depending on who they want)

Ted Chase – Montana Department of Revenue

Kreh Germaine – Montana Department of Natural Resources (could go with a MDT rep )

A member of the Montana Association of Geographic Information Professionals (to be decided by the Board)

Allen Armstrong - Gallatin County

Annette Cabrera – Yellowstone County

Wallace Gladstone – Tribal Liaison (tentative – must discuss in Billings)

Bob Ader – BLM, National PLSS Data Steward

Nancy Von Meyer – Fairview Industries, FGDC Cadastral Subcommittee