



Upper and Lower Rattlesnake Neighborhoods Meeting

Tuesday, February 12, 2013

Missoula International School (Prescott), Harrison & Briar streets

Influence the Appearance of the I-90 Noise Barrier!

Montana Department of Transportation (MDT) is planning to upgrade the I-90/Van Buren Street interchange and construct a noise barrier along I-90 at the mouth of the Rattlesnake Valley.

MDT is seeking comments on the I-90 noise wall. Photographs of examples of noise walls will be on display. Your comments will influence their decision and how our neighborhood looks for years to come. MDT will also display plans for the new I-90/Van Buren interchange and discuss them with the public.

AGENDA

- 6:00-7:00 Meet with MDT reps; view and discuss plans one-on-one
- 7:00-8:00 General Meeting
- 7:00-7:15 Upper Rattlesnake business
- 7:15-7:30 Lower Rattlesnake Leadership Team elections
- 7:30-7:50 MDT presentation on I-90/Van Buren interchange
- 7:50-8:00 Public comments on non-agenda items
- 8:00-9:00 Continue to view and discuss plans one-on-one with MDT

An Invitation to Serve on the Lower Rattlesnake Neighborhood Council Leadership Team

Neighborhood councils were established to advise the city council and the mayor on neighborhood and city-wide issues and to provide a structure for increased citizen participation in the governance of the Missoula. LRNC Leadership Team duties include developing proposals for neighborhood plans and advising the city on neighborhood projects.

The LRNC Leadership Team is a group of neighbors interested in improving the beauty and welfare of the Lower Rattlesnake Neighborhood. The workload consists of arranging for one or two meetings a year. One of the benefits is the availability of money to undertake neighborhood improvement projects. Some of the projects completed and ongoing during recent years have been improvements to Greenough and Sgt Don Gregory parks, the planted median on Van Buren, the Greenough Drive Gateway Project, the ongoing Van Buren sidewalk project and the current noise abatement projects.

Please consider serving your neighborhood and city in this capacity. The input is minimal and the rewards are great! Please come to the neighborhood meeting on February 12 and volunteer.