

Licensing Reform Task Force

Minutes

April 13, 2026

2:00 p.m.

Ponderosa Room
Montana Heritage Center
225 N. Roberts St., Helena, MT

- I. Welcome & Introductions - *Commissioner Sarah Swanson, Chair (00:01:07)*
- II. Task Force Initiatives: Recap - *Erin Sullivan, Lead Staff (00:04:08)*
- III. Subcommittee Work Plans: Review & Discussion
 - a. Barriers Subcommittee (00:11:14)
Rep. Josh Seckinger & Director Eric Strauss, Co-Chairs
 - i. Review of Work Plan
 - ii. Public Comment
 - iii. Task Force Discussion
 - b. Construction Subcommittee (00:27:33)
Sen. Derek Harvey & Bob Dean, Co-Chairs
 - i. Review of Work Plan
 - ii. Public Comment
 - iii. Task Force Discussion
 - c. Healthcare Subcommittee (00:50:14)
Rep. Jodee Etchart & Tony King, Co-Chairs
 - i. Review of Work Plan; Review RHTP Initiative 1 Presentation
 - ii. Public Comment
 - iii. Task Force Discussion
 - d. Sunset Subcommittee (01:23:58)
Sen. Daniel Zolnikov & Allen Lloyd, Co-Chairs
 - i. Review of Work Plan
 - ii. Public Comment
 - iii. Task Force Discussion

- IV. Additional Member Topics - *Commissioner Sarah Swanson, Chair (01:44:22)*
- V. Instructions to Staff for Next Meeting (01:59:59)
- VI. Future Full Task Force Meetings
 - a. June 8, 2026 (02:01:47)
 - i. City College, Billings, MT
 - ii. Time & agenda TBD
 - b. August 21, 2026
 - i. TBD, Butte or Missoula
 - ii. Time & agenda TBD