

Montana Department of Revenue PO Box 5805 Helena, MT 59604-5805

April 30, 2024

To Whom It May Concern,

The Ravalli County Board of County Commissioners (BCC) has received the Montana Department of Revenue's notification regarding Grizzly Broadband LLC's Senate Bill 51 (SB51) Property Tax Exemption application, and thanks you for the opportunity to comment on this exemption application pursuant to 15-6-243, MCA.

The BCC reserves its right to "recapture taxes previously exempted in that jurisdiction, plus interest and penalties for nonpayment of property taxes as provided in 15-16-102, during any tax year in which an exemption under the provisions of this section was improper[15-6-156(5)(b)]," pursuant to 15-6-156(5), 15-6-219(2) and/or 15-6-135(4), MCA, and any other available remedies arising out of this exemption application. The BCC also requests Montana Department of Revenue notify the BCC if this SB51 Property Tax Exemption is subject to termination and/or recapture as described in 15-6-219(2), 15-6-156(5), and/or 15-6-135(4), MCA, pursuant to 15-6-243 and 15-6-235, MCA.

Sincerely,

Dan Huls, Chair

Greg Chilcott, Vice Chair

Offela

Jeff Burrows, Member