

Butte Restoration Alliance

Apply By February 8!

A great opportunity to “make a difference” and “improve the quality of life” for Butte citizens

Role of the Restoration Alliance

Butte is undergoing exciting changes and we need the community to play an active role. The Butte Restoration Alliance was created in the fall of 2006 to advise and make recommendations to local government, agencies, and boards on future restoration projects in Butte and Silver Bow County. The Alliance solicits new ideas, seeks and affirms public support on existing plans, ongoing and future projects, maintains a set of priority projects for the future, and provides community based support to projects endorsed by the Alliance. The Alliance will evaluate possible restoration and redevelopment projects related to available and future funding; collect feedback from the broader public; and develop and make recommendations on various projects and priorities. Projects seek a balance between environmental concerns and other more aesthetically and culturally enhancing projects that make Butte a more desirable place to live.

Time commitment

The Butte Restoration Alliance meets a minimum of one weekday evening per month for 2-3 hours. In addition, subcommittees meet as needed for site visits, reviewing documents, maps and plans, etc.

Member Criteria

- Work in a collaborative process within the charter, goals and governance structure of the Alliance.
- Have a high interest in successful redevelopment and restoration efforts in Butte
- Be community oriented and represent a broad cross-section of residents
- Bring information back to the Alliance by conducting interviews and collecting opinions of others
- Approach the process with open mind
- Be able to compromise/collaborate and have represented these traits in the past
- Assist with broader public outreach
- Be a practical problem solver who can work toward consensus recommendations

Return applications to BSB Planning Dept./Attn: Tom Malloy, Courthouse, 155 West Granite, Butte, MT 59701 or fax to 497-6298. Electronic copies may also be requested and submitted via email (tmalloy@bsb.mt.gov) For more information call Tom at 497-6257. Thank you. **Applications must be received by 2/8/2010.**

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Email _____

What groups/organizations/interests do you represent or are you affiliated with?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Butte-Silver Bow K-12 Schools | <input type="checkbox"/> College/University System | <input type="checkbox"/> Historic and Cultural Preservation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Civic groups: (Kiwanis, Rotary, Scouts, etc) | <input type="checkbox"/> Mining (active or past mining, mine waste, reclamation) | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Health |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Recreation (walking, biking, atv, motorbikes, youth athletic, etc) | <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Protection (water quality, wildlife, fisheries, botany, weed control, etc.) | <input type="checkbox"/> Business Development (Chamber of Commerce, hotels, realtors, contractors, etc.) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising and financial | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please list): | |

Why do you want to be a member of the Butte Restoration Alliance? (Continue on back if necessary)

