

SENATE STATE ADMIN.

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Ravalli County Fish & Wildlife Association
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Montana Senate
State Administration Committee
Room 335
Helena, MT
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Dear State Administration Committee:

The Ravalli County Fish & Wildlife Association is a local grassroots organization consisting of Sportsmen and Sportswomen that has been in existence since the early 1900's. The main mission of our Club is to maintain wildlife populations and protect their habitat for future generations.

It has come to our attention that your committee is in the process of reviewing appointments to the FWP Commission. We have been informed that the appointment of Mr. Shane Colton will be reviewed separately from the rest of the Commission appointees.

Our Club would like to state that we support Mr. Colton's appointment. We hope that you will fairly consider his qualifications and experience during the review process. We feel he will be an asset to the FWP Commission.

We appreciate this opportunity to express our opinion and thank you for your attention to our concerns.

Sincerely,
Ravalli County Fish & Wildlife Association
Cheryl Dooley, President