

## Revised MINUTES

**Montana Supreme Court Public Meeting  
Justice Building, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Attorney's Lounge  
Helena, Montana  
March 24, 2015**

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*Ed Smith*

Chief Justice McGrath called the meeting to order at 1:15 p.m. Justices Baker and Shea  
were in attendance. Justices Cotter, McKinnon, Rice, and Wheat were excused. Also  
present were Chris Manos on behalf of the Montana State Bar Association and Kelly  
Driscoll, Law Clerk to Chief Justice McGrath.

### **Item 1: Minutes for the March 17, 2015 Public Meeting**

The Court unanimously approved the Minutes of the March 17, 2015 Public Meeting.

### **Item 2: Appointment to the Judicial Nomination Commission**

The Court discussed candidates for the Judicial Nomination Commission. Justice  
McKinnon nominated Kelly Gallinger to the Commission. The Court approved the  
appointment of Elizabeth Halverson to the Commission. Justice Rice abstained from the  
vote due to illness.

### **Item 3: Appointment to the Commission on Courts of Limited Jurisdiction**

The Court approved the appointment of Charlie Harball to the Commission on Courts of  
Limited Jurisdiction.

### **Item 4: Public Comment**

Chris Manos inquired into whether a Justice would be available to meet with local high  
school students when the Court holds oral argument in Missoula on April 10, 2015.  
Justice McKinnon will speak to the students.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:23 p.m.

Duly Submitted  
Kelly Driscoll  
Law Clerk