

Granite County Resource Guide

* Resources that are statewide in scope.	
Chamber of Commerce	
Philipsburg Chamber of Commerce	Description: Promotes economic and social development in Granite County; also provides general information. Contact: Phone line at (406) 859-3388; located at 135 South Sansome Street, PO Box 661, Philipsburg, MT 59858; email at chamber@philipsburgmt.com ; website at http://philipsburgmt.com .
Drummond Chamber of Commerce	Description: Similar to the Phillipsburg Chamber of Commerce, also runs the local museum and flag park. Contact: Blaine Bradshaw, vice president: bcbradshaw@hotmail.com ; website can be found at: http://www.drummondmontana.com/ .
Child Services	
Early Head Start	Description: Federally funded childcare program for age groups 0-3 and 3-5. Contact: 1001 Worden, Missoula, MT 59802; Phone: 406-728-5460 Fax: 406-728-5566
*Montana Court Appointed Special Advocates	Description: Nonprofit organization dedicated to helping children find advocates to assist them in navigating through court processes. In the 3 rd Judicial District, attorneys provide advice, but are rarely appointed as GALs in abuse and neglect cases. Contact: Clerk of District Court; 220 North Sansome, P.O. Box 399, Philipsburg, MT 59858; Phone: 406-859-3712; Fax: 406-859-3817
Community Programs	
Philipsburg Rotary	Description: Social and volunteer opportunities for participants. Contact: Phone line at (406) 859-3241 (Secretary of Rotary Club).
Crisis Resources	
Drummond Fire Department	Contact: Phone line at (406) 288-3301; located at 163 East Front Street, Drummond, MT 59832.
Disability Resources	
* AWARE Incorporated	Description: Provides case management, family therapy, and psychiatric rehabilitative services for mentally disabled youth and their families. Also assists with eligibility and referrals for other services. Contact: Phone line at (800) 432-6145 or (406) 563-8117; located at 205 East Park Avenue, Anaconda, MT 59711; email at info@aware-inc.org ; website at http://www.aware-inc.org/about.html .
* Blind and Low Vision	Description: Provides employment, independence services for those with visual disabilities, disability

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Services	employment and transitional or vocational rehabilitation. Contact: Phone line at (877) 296-1197 or (406) 444-2590; located at 111 North Last Chance Gulch, 4C, PO Box 4210, Helena, MT 59604-4210; website at http://www.dphhs.mt.gov/vocrehab/blvs .
* Montana Independent Living Project	Description: Provides assistance for those who are disabled and seek to live independently. Contact: Phone line at (800) 735-6457 or (406) 442-5755; located at 34 North Last chance Gulch, 500, Helena, MT 59601; website at http://www.milp.us/home.html .
* Summit Independent Living center	Description: Provides assistance for those who are disabled and seek to live independently. Contact: Phone line at (800) 398-9002 or (406) 728-1630; mailing address at 700 Southwest Higgins, 101, Missoula, MT 59803; website at http://www.summitilc.org/index.html .
Domestic Violence	
*The Friendship Center	Description: Provides safe haven and offers a broad array of services for those who are dealing with domestic violence and sexual abuse. Contact: Phone line at (800) 248-3166 or (406) 442-6800; located at 1430 Sanders Street, Helena, MT 59601; email at officem@thefriendshipcenter.org ; website at http://thefriendshipcenter.org .
Granite County Witness Victim Program	Description: Advocacy for victims of violent crime. Office: (406) 560-1799 Crisis Line: (406) 859-3251
Educational Resources	
Granite County Superintendent of Schools	Description: Oversees the school system in Granite County. Contact: Phone line at (406) 859-7024; mailing address at PO Box 520, Philipsburg, MT 59858; email at jhusbyn@co.granite.mt.us .
Montana State University Extension – Granite County Chapter	Description: Provides information on a wide array of common issues, including youth development, crops and livestock, community, healthy living, yard and garden, energy, wills, property, debt management, etc. Contact: Phone line at (406) 859-3304; mailing address at PO Box 665, Philipsburg, MT 59858; email at msuextension@montana.edu ; website at https://www.msuextension.org .
Employment Resources	
Anaconda Job Service	Description: Information and resource referral database for job seekers and employers in Deer Lodge and Granite County. Contact: Phone line at (406) 563-3444; located at 307 East Park Avenue, Anaconda, MT 59711; website at

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		http://wsd.dli.mt.gov/local/anaconda .
* Vocational Rehabilitation Services	Description: Career guidance, counseling, evaluation, training, development, placement, and helping disabled people get back to work. Includes blind-low vision. Contact: Phone line at (888) 279-7531 or (406) 496-4925; located at 700 Casey Street (East Entrance), B, Butte, MT 59701; website at http://www.dphhs.mt.gov/vocrehab/vrs/index.shtml .	
Financial Resources		
* Consumer Counseling Services	Description: Helps people find credit and debt solutions, provides financial education and counseling, and assists in forming financial plans. Bankruptcy and mortgage information. Contact: Phone line at (877) 275-2227 or (406) 443-1774; located at 1225 Birch St., B, Helena, MT 59601; email at rdi@ruraldynamics.org ; website at http://www.ruraldynamics.org .	
Food Services		
Granite County Food Bank	Description: Food bank providing free groceries to customers in need. Contact: Food Bank is run out of a private home in Maxville. E-mail granitecountyfood@gmail.com for more information or call 406-859-1810.	
Government Programs		
Granite County Commission	Description: Protects the health and safety of residents of Granite County and manages annual county budget. Contact: Phone line at (406) 859-7022; mailing address at PO Box 925, Philipsburg, MT 59858; email at commissioner@co.granite.mt.us .	
Granite County Welfare Department	Description: Assists with welfare issues. Contact: Phone line at (406) 859-3831.	
* Tri-County Environmental Health	Description: Assists residents with food programs, public accommodations, air quality, subdivision of land, well water sampling, well drilling permits, junk vehicle programs, and other public health inspection programs. Contact: Phone line at Powell County Sanitary Services (406) 846-9710; located at 409 Missouri Avenue, 103, Deer Lodge, MT 59722; email at sanitarian@anacondadeerlodge.mt.gov ; website at http://www.anacondadeerlodge.mt.gov/departments/env_health.aspx .	
Housing Resources		
* Habitat for Humanity – Southwest Montana	Description: Assists low-income families in finding affordable housing. Contact: Phone line at (406) 782-8579 or fax at 782-5539; located at 66 West Park Street, 211, Butte, MT 59701; email at nahn@nhan.com ; website at http://www.habitatswmt.org .	

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Police	
Granite County Sheriff and Coroner	Description: Sheriff services, also investigates deaths. Contact: Phone lines at (406) 859-3251 (non-emergency) and 911 (emergency); located at 115 Kearney Street, Box 188, Philipsburg, MT 59858.
Public Library	
Philipsburg Public Library	Description: Library services, internet access, and printing at 10 cents/page. Contact: Phone line at (406) 859-5030; located at 102 South Sansome Street, Philipsburg, MT 59858.
Legal Resources	
Granite County Clerk of District Court	Description: Assists with district court cases. Contact: Phone line at (406) 859-3712; mailing address at PO Box 399, Philipsburg, MT 59858; email at cborhnsen@mt.gov .
Drummond City Court	Description: Oversees cases of limited jurisdiction. Contact: PO Box 159, Drummond, MT 59832 Phone: 406-288-3446; Fax: 406-288-3050
Philipsburg City Court	Description: Oversees cases of limited jurisdiction. Contact: Delavera Vosa, City Judge; PO Box 356, Phillipsburg, MT 59858; Phone: 406-859-3006; Fax: 406-859-3817
* People's Law Center	Description: Represents underserved individuals who are attempting to get or are in danger of losing Social Security Disability benefits. All cases handled on a contingency basis with a maximum fee of \$6,000. Contact: Phone line at (406) 443-3896 or (800) 406-5567; mailing address at PO Box 5046, Helena, MT 59604; website at http://www.peopleslawcenter.org .
* Montana Legal Services Association	Description: Provides legal advice and representation, pro bono referrals/applications, referrals to self-help law clinics, self-help law materials, tax assistance, and educational brochures and workshops. Must be federal poverty level qualified and have limited assets. Contact: Phone line at (800) 666-6899; located at 616 Helena Avenue, 100, Helena, MT 59601; website at http://www.mtlsa.org .
* State Law Library Self-Help Law Center	Description: Provides legal forms, information, references, and resource referrals to citizens dealing with civil matters. Contact: Phone line at (406) 444-9300; located at 215 North Sanders Street, Helena, MT 59620; office

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	hours at the Anaconda, Boulder, and Dillon courthouses on select Fridays; email at statelawlibraryselfhelp@gmail.com ; website at http://courts.mt.gov/library/topic/default.mcp.x .
Medical Resources	
Granite County Medical Center	Description: General medical services. Contact: Phone line at (406) 859-3271; located at 310 Sansome Street, Philipsburg, MT 59858; website at http://www.gcmecenter.org .
Granite County Public Health Nurse	Description: Manages health issues for Granite County. Contact: Karyn Johnson, RN. Phone: (406) 288-0330 or (406) 859-0330; mailing address: Box 312, Drummond, MT 59832; e-mail address: kjohnston@co.missoula.mt.us .
Granite County Public Health Emergency Preparedness	Description: Public Health Emergency Preparedness primes individuals and local agencies to cope with and prepare for natural and/or manmade disasters through communication, planning, training, and prevention. Contact: Becky Smith. Phone: (406) 859-7024; mailing address: Box 925, Philipsburg, MT 59858; e-mail address: phep@co.granite.mt.us .
* Rocky Mountain Hospice	Description: Provides hospice services for those with life-limiting illnesses; paid for by Medicare, Medicaid, and most private insurance companies. RN's, CNA's, and social workers. Contact: Phone line at (406) 442-2214 (Helena) and (406) 494-6114 (Butte); located at 1075 North Rodney, 102, Helena, MT 59601 (Helena) and 19 Discovery Drive, Butte, MT 59701 (Butte); website at http://rockymountainhospice.com ; email at edithhoepner@rockymountainhospice.com
Mental Health / Counseling	
* Center for Mental Health	Description: Organization dedicated to improving the lives of those who have been diagnosed with mental health issues. Contact: Phone line at (888) 718-2100 or (406) 443-7151; website at http://www.center4mh.org .
Office of Public Assistance	
Office of Public Assistance – Granite County	Description: Processes applications for SNAP, TANF, LIEAP, WIC, etc., and provides information and referrals for low-income residents. Contact: Phone line at (406) 563-3448; located at 307 East Park Avenue, 305, Anaconda, MT 59711; website at http://www.dphhs.mt.gov .
Seniors	
* Senior and Long Term Care Division	Description: Provides protection and intervention services for senior citizens who are being abused, legal access for the elderly, and general information and assistance on various issues involving seniors.

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	<p>Contact: Elder Abuse phone line at (800) 551-3191, Aging Services phone line at (800) 332-2272 or (406) 444-4077; website at http://www.dphhs.mt.gov/sltc/services/APS/index.shtml.</p>
Senior Citizen's Center	<p>Description: Senior citizen information and social center; also provides free meals occasionally to low-income residents.</p> <p>Contact: Phone line at (406) 859-3595; located at 101 East Broadway Street, Philipsburg, MT 59858.</p>
Veteran's Resources	
* Montana Veterans Affairs	<p>Description: Provides general services, assistance, and resource referrals for veterans and their families; suicide prevention hotline.</p> <p>Contact: General phone line at (406) 324-3740, suicide prevention hotline at (800) 273-8255; located at 1900 Williams St. PO Box 5715, Helena, MT 59604-5715; website at http://montanadma.org/montana-veterans-affairs.</p>