

STATE OF MONTANA

Executive Order No. 12-77

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Executive Order designating the Office of Budget and Program Planning as manager for data processing and creating the Montana Data Processing Advisory Committee.

The planning and operation of automated data systems in Montana State Government represents an investment of over eight million dollars a year. Recognizing the magnitude and importance of this investment, on June 23, 1976, I issued Executive Order No. 5-76 creating a Data Processing Policy Committee. I directed this committee to review the data processing capabilities and needs of state government and to recommend guidelines for the best use and development of data processing in state government.

In its report to me, the committee recommended that a single entity in state government be designated as a manager for the data processing system, to coordinate data processing within state government, to evaluate state needs for data processing, and to provide advice on procurement of data processing services.

I am, therefore, designating the Office of Budget and Program Planning, within the Governor's Office, as a manager for data processing in state government. Under this order, the Office of Budget and Program Planning shall:

- (1) Establish guidelines for the operation and development of data processing services by or for the state government.
- (2) Set priorities for the development and acquisition of data processing systems.
- (3) Approve the procurement of data processing equipment before such equipment is acquired for the state government by the Department of Administration.
- (4) Approve the location and staffing level of all data processing services.


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In addition, I am continuing the Data Processing Policy Committee as an advisory committee pursuant to Section 82-110, R.C.M. 1947, and with the new name of the Montana Data Processing Advisory Committee. The Advisory Committee shall be an advisor to the Office of Budget and Program Planning in the performance of its duties under this order, and shall continue in existence until July 1, 1979, or as long thereafter as may be provided by subsequent Executive Order. The members of the Montana Data Processing Advisory Committee shall be the following persons representing the indicated functional areas of state government:

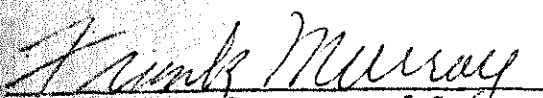
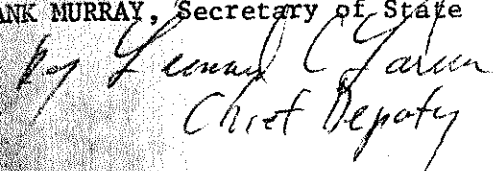
- (1) William Blake - Transportation
- (2) Laury M. Lewis - General Government
- 384 (3) Sue Hanson - Public Safety
- 385 (4) Dick Hulme - Human Services
- (5) Ronald M. Near - Education
- (6) Martin T. Mangan - Local Government
- (7) Fletcher Newby - Environmental Management
- 386 (8) Doyle Saxby - Systems Operation
- 387 (9) Michael P. Meldahl - OBPP (Committee Chairman)

This order supercedes Executive Order 5-76 and that order is therefore rescinded.

Given under my hand and the GREAT SEAL of the State of Montana this 28th day of July, in the year of our LORD, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-Six.


THOMAS L. JUDGE, Governor

ATTEST:


FRANK MURRAY, Secretary of State

Leonard C. Garon
Chief Deputy