

## Midtown Community Collaborative (MCC) – Meeting Agenda

**Date:** Tuesday, January 13, 2026

**Time:** 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM

**Location:** 1234 Ave C, Billings, MT (Entry in rear of building)

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### 1. Welcome & Agenda Overview (10 mins)

- Brief walk-through of tonight's agenda

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### 2. Mission Statement & Purpose (15 mins)

- **Mission:** “To bring neighbors together to create solutions and build a stronger, safer community.”
- What the MCC is and isn’t
  - **What It Is**
    - A *volunteer-led* group of residents and stakeholders who care about improving our neighborhood.
    - A space to *share ideas, identify problems, and collaborate on solutions*.
    - A bridge between the community, local government, and city services.
    - Focused on *action, communication, and community-building*.
    - Open to everyone who wants to make Midtown stronger, safer, and more connected.
  - **What It Isn’t**
    - It’s *not* a homeowner’s association (HOA). We don’t enforce rules or collect dues.
    - It’s *not* a political group—our focus is on *local, practical improvements*.
    - It’s *not* a complaint box, we’re here to find *solutions*, not just vent frustrations.
    - It’s *not* just talking. We’re here to *build, clean, fix, and support*.

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### 3. Current Tools & Initiatives (15–20 mins)

- Present current ideas and tools:
  - Brainstormed event ideas
  - Known issues
- Ask for suggestions and additions

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### 4. Community Needs & Quick Wins (30 mins)

- Open forum discussion
  - What problems are top priority?
  - What quick wins can we organize before next meeting?
  - What are ways to make meetings and problems visible to all?

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### 5. Volunteer Roles & Committees (15 mins)

- Ask for volunteers for open roles
- Define roles:
  - Communications Lead (texts/social)
  - Event Coordinator
  - Safety Lead
- Announce open roles and invite volunteers
- Confirm basic structure for communication and updates

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### 6. Next Steps & Meeting Schedule (10–15 mins)

- Set March meeting date/time
- Confirm initial action items:
  - Launch text sign-up push
  - Start contact list of interested residents

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### 7. Wrap-Up & Attendee Input Q&A (10 mins)

- Open floor for final comments/questions
- Go around the room: Name, years in neighborhood, one thing you'd like to see change/improve
- Thank everyone for coming and for being part of the solution