

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)

1. Welcome & Agenda Overview (10 mins)

- Brief walk-through of tonight's agenda
-

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.*
-

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

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

Midtown Community Collaborative (MCC) – Meeting Agenda

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?
-

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
-

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
-

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