

GLACIER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
The Future Game Workshop
Blackfeet Community College, Browning
Friday, January 29, 2010

The Board of Glacier County Commissioners met at the Blackfeet Community College in Browning to attend the The Future Game Workshop at 9:00 a.m. on Friday, January 29, 2010. Commissioners Michael DesRosier and Ron Rides At The Door were in attendance.

9:00 a.m. Welcome and Introductions – Janice Coburn, Executive Director of Browning Community Development Corporation

9:30 a.m. Futures Game – Western Australia, Facilitator: Dan Clark, LGS Director, Montana State University, Bozeman

This activity is created as part of The Futures Game – Western Australian Wheatbelt workshop. This workshop has been developed by innovative Leadership Australia to provide assistance to regions in developing collaborative community and economic development plans and activities.

The scenario planning process, as used in the Western Australia Wheatbelt, offers regional leaders an opportunity to explore the future in comprehensive and collaborative manner. It helps core leadership teams assimilate a wide array of drivers and variables, and assess their potential impact to the region's economy, workforce and number of regions across the USA and in various settings such as workforce development, regional economic and community stimulation and organizational development. Its strength is that it takes a multifaceted and integrated view of the future, and allows leaders to explore a range of plausible futures and assess their implications and consequences. This 'futures simulation' approach adds extra depth and potency to regional planning efforts.

Those present participated in the workshop.

11:30 a.m. Lunch

12:00 pm Wrap-up

BOARD OF GLACIER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Michael J. DesRosier, Chairman

ATTEST:

Glenda Hall, Clerk and Recorder