

CASCADE COUNTY

UTILITIES GUIDE

Cascade County

Treasurer	(406) 454-6850
Sheriff's Office	(406) 454-6820
Disaster & Emergency Services	(406) 454-6903
Animal Shelter	(406) 454-2276
DMV	(406) 454-6860
Community Rec Center	(406) 727-6099
Expo Park (Fairgrounds)	(406) 452-8955

Utilities

Great Falls Public Utilities	(406) 727-7660
Northwestern Energy	(888) 467-2669
Black Eagle Cascade County Water	(406) 452-5951
Montana Waste Systems	(406) 761-2545
Energy West (Gas)	(406) 791-7500

Cable/ Internet/ Phone:

Charter Communications	(888) 438-2427
DIRECTV	(877) 516-4660

Hospitals

Great Falls Clinic Medical Center	(406) 216-8000
Benefis Sletten Cancer Institute	(406) 731-8150
Benefis Healthcare - East Campus	(406) 455-5000
Benefis Health System - West Campus	(406) 455-2130

City/Town Offices

Great Falls	(406) 455-8451
Belt	(406) 277-3621
Cascade	(406) 468-2808
Neihart	(406) 236-5511

School Districts

Belt Elementary School District	(406) 277-3351
Belt High School District	(406) 277-3351
Cascade Elementary School District	(406) 468-2671
Cascade High School School District	(406) 468-2267
Centerville Elementary School District	(406) 736-5167



Centerville High School School District	(406) 736-5167
Deep Creek Elementary School District	(406) 866-3381
Great Falls Elementary School District	(406) 268-6006
Great Falls High School District	(406) 268-6008
Montana School For Deaf Blind	(406) 771-6000
Sun River Valley Elementary School District	(406) 264-5110
Ulm Elementary School District	(406) 866-3313
Vaughn Elementary School District	(406) 965-2232

About the County

Cascade county is located in the U.S. state of Montana. As of the 2019 census, the population was 81,366, making it the fifth-most populous county in Montana. Its county seat is Great Falls. At the time of the Lewis and Clark Expedition, Cascade County was the territory of the Blackfeet. The county was named for the falls on the Missouri River. Great Falls takes its name from the series of five waterfalls in close proximity along the upper Missouri River basin that the Lewis and Clark Expedition had to portage around over a ten mile stretch; the effort required 31 days of arduous labor during the westward leg of their 1805-06 exploration of the Louisiana Purchase and to the Pacific Northwest Coast of the Oregon Country. Each falls sports a hydroelectric dam today, hence Great Falls is nicknamed "the Electric City".

Great Falls is home to the C. M. Russell Museum Complex, the University of Great Falls, Great Falls College Montana State University, Giant Springs, the Roe River (claimed to be the world's shortest river), the Montana School for the Deaf and the Blind, the Great Falls Voyagers minor league baseball team, and Malmstrom Air Force Base. The local newspaper is the Great Falls Tribune.