

Montana State Library Commission Policy

Per Diem

Commission per diem will be paid for all days that Governor-appointed Commission members are engaged in official Commission business. This will include Commission meetings, retreats and travel days. If Commission members attend other functions, which the Commission has approved, the member will be paid per diem. Per diem will be paid on a prorated basis. Any time spent on Commission business less than four hours will be paid at one-half of the maximum per diem for that day.

Montana law stipulates the per diem amount. Commissioners who represent the University System, the Office of Public Instruction, or who receive their normal salary while attending Commission meetings, normally do not receive per diem. However, if they are engaged in official Commission business on a day other than a workday for which they would be paid, they are eligible for per diem.