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IN THE MATTER OF THE JULY 2026 MONTANA BAR EXAMINATION

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The Members of the Montana Board of Bar Examiners, appointed by this Honorable Court to conduct examinations of candidates for admission to the Bar of Montana, respectfully report that on July 28th - 29th, 2026 they conducted the general examination of 94 applicants for admission to the State Bar of Montana, and the results have been certified by the Board and the Bar Admissions Administrator.

The Board finds that the following-named applicants have passed the July 2026 examination, and recommends they be admitted to practice law in the State of Montana:

Chara Lee Allen	Gillian Paige Ellison	Breanna Lee Martin	Ethan Reese Saberhagen
Anthony Jose Amongero	Kirsti Evelyn Ericksen	Caelin Dae Marum	Anthony Jordan Shirey
Jennifer Joyce Artz	Jake Andrew Espeland	John Robert Milton	Miranda Elizabeth Shure
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Matthew James Belle	Ian Alexander Gutierrez	Gillian McKenzie O'Neil	Stephani Raeanne Stalcup
Elizabeth Durant Bennett	Mary Melissa HagEstad	Alan Lee Palmer	Dennis Hayden Stock
Alis Rainier Berk	Burgan Deanna Hawkins	Taylor Anne Powell	Rachel Tillman
André Michael Bidegaray	Jamie Cole Hill	Jared Lee Randall	Deighan Marie Valko
Kelly Earl Brady	Thomas Ryan Kirby	Anna C. Reely	Jacoby Scott Warner
Dalton Dean Branson	Jessica Meghana Kurtz	Samuel John Renouard	Justin Bryce Wiley
Zachary Thomas Brown	Savannah Kay Larson	Fisher Henry Richardson	Savannah Lyn Withrow
Katelyn Allison Byrd	Josephine Jane Lindseth-Wood	LaRenzo Wade Roanbear	Matthew Madden Zahn
Linnea Lois Cairns	Taylor Jacklynn McBurney	Ysabella Nicole Roberts	Yue Tong Zhao
Clint Francis Connors	Ryan Michael McCarthy	Sarah Louise Rollins	
Tyler Maison Cummings	Michael Liam McCollum	Nicholas James Romano	
Victoria Chirstine Dille	Margaret Mary McGuire		
Joseph Michael Doda	Sara Renae McNutt		

The Board also examined the following-named applicant, certified to the Board of Bar Examiners by the Bar Admissions Administrator. These applicants passed the July 2026 examination but still need to acquire a qualifying MPRE score and/or attend the Montana Law Seminar. Accordingly, in the opinion of the Board, these applicants have not met the requirements for admission to the Bar of Montana:

Ashley Marie Bianco
Chase del la Cruz Ellis
Misty Anne Giles