## BILLINGS CURATION CENTER MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Billings Curation Center, within the Branch of Land Resources, Montana State Office is:

To catalog, curate, preserve and protect the cultural materials, historic and prehistoric, originating from Bureau of Land Management properties in Montana and the Dakotas, in accordance to the standards established in the National Park Service's Museum Property Handbook (411 DM).

To encourage the scholarly use of the collections held at the Billings Curation Center, by way of educational programs and exhibits, student internships, and promoting their availability to researchers.