

BOZEMAN MONTANA



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## 495 Moffit Gulch Road, Bozeman MT 59715

\$29,500,000 Acres: ± 1597.92 MLS#: 397891





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### INTRODUCTION

The Schmidt Ranch offers an unparalleled recreational retreat just 10 minutes from downtown Bozeman, Montana. Spanning 1,598 deeded acres, this property captures the essence of Montanas rugged beauty with rolling aspen hills, evergreen forests, meadows, and creeks, all with breathtaking views of the Bridger Mountain ridgeline to the north, along with sweeping 360-degree mountain views that complete this scenic landscape. Of the deeded acres, 1,236-acres are protected under conservation easement with the Gallatin Valley Land Trust, ensuring a legacy of preservation. This easement allows for division into four parcels, each a minimum of 160 acres. Four building envelopes each support the construction of four single-family residences, with four additional guest or caretaker houses, which areideal for creating your dream retreat or primary residence. The remaining 362 acres outside the easement currently features a modest single-family home built in 1984 with three bedrooms, one bathroom, a half bathroom, and a shed and garage. The Schmidt Ranch is a haven for wildlife enthusiasts, featuring abundant deer, elk, bear, moose, and diverse bird species. The property borders a mile of Forest Service land, expanding access to outdoor adventures, including hunting, fishing, hiking, cross-country skiing, and rock climbing. Strategically located near Kelly Canyon, Moffit Gulch, and Trail Creek Roads, the ranch is just 10 minutes from Bozemans amenities, 20 minutes from Bridger Bowl Ski Area, and only 1.5 hours from Yellowstone National Parks north entrance. The Schmidt Ranch provides a unique opportunity to enjoy natural beauty and abundant recreation close to Bozeman, all within the serenity of a private retreat.









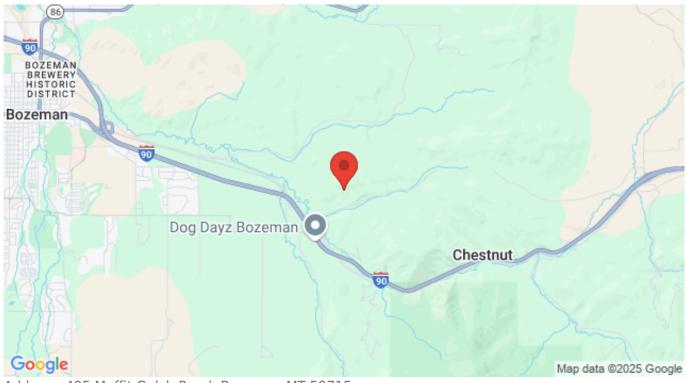




#### FEATURES

Status:	Active
Туре:	Land
Acres:	± 1597.92
View:	Meadow, Mountains, Rural, River, SouthernExposure, CreekStream, Valley, TreesWoods
Water Features:	Creek, Pond
Listing Date:	2024-10-24
Listing Agent:	Jeff Eshbaugh of Altitude Real Estate, LLC

#### LOCATION



Address: 495 Moffit Gulch Road, Bozeman MT 59715





#### PHOTOS

















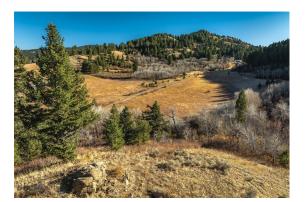
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#### BOZEMAN LIFESTYLE<sup>TM</sup>



Bozeman lifestyle is considered one of the most appealing in the West. Bozeman is routinely ranked as one of the best places to live, best places to retire, best place to raise a kid, best place to visit, best ski town, and best college town. Big Sky Resort is also frequently recognized as one of the world's best ski resorts, most affordable ski resort, and best ski resort for families.

Bozeman is known for its friendly people, sense of community, excellent schools and quality of life. The

town has a western charm and a relaxed attitude. The Bozeman Quality Of Life index rates very well due to access to Outdoor Recreation, Amusement, Culture, Education, Medical, Religion, Restaurants and Weather. Bozeman has the cultural amenities of a local symphony and ballet, an energetic downtown restaurant and art scene, and the vibrancy of a college community. Located 16 miles north of Bozeman in the Bridger Canyon area is Bridger Bowl, a home-grown, nonprofit community ski area operating since 1955. Big Sky Resort is less than an hour away and is also frequently recognized as one of the world's best ski resorts, most affordable ski resort, and best ski resort for families.

When it comes to outdoor recreation Bozeman is surrounded by 6 different mountain ranges, which offer vast winter and summer recreational opportunities.

A world class destination for fly fishing, Bozeman is home to the word's most famous Blue Ribbon fly fishing rivers, spring creeks and lakes on Earth. The Yellowstone, Madison, Gallatin, Jefferson, Beaverhead, and Missouri rivers are all nearby.

Bozeman has 60 miles of "Main Street To Mountains" trail system in town, surrounded by 6.9 million acres of public land.





### GALLATIN COUNTY

Located in a sweeping valley in the heart of the Rocky Mountains, Gallatin County is the most populated and fastest growing county in scenic southwest Montana. Gallatin Valley has a rich history. Native americans referred to this area as the "Valley of Flowers". The name seems appropriate because of the great variety of wild flowers found on the mountainsides as well as in the valley. Gallatin Valley derives its name from the Gallatin River, one of the forks of the Missouri river that rises in Yellowstone Park. The Gallatin river, Jefferson river, and



Madison river all merge at the town of Three Forks to form the Missouri River. Lewis and Clark named the rivers on their famous expedition to this part of the world in 1805.



There are approximately 1,682,048 acres(2,500 square miles) in Gallatin County including over 16,500 acres in surface water. Approximately 800,000 acres in Gallatin County are owned by the public and managed by several local and national agencies including the Bureau of Land Management, U.S. Forest Service, National Park Service, Montana Fish Wildlife & Parks, Montana Department of Transportation, Department of Natural Resources & Conservation and various local governments. The U.S. Forest Service is the largest land holder in Gallatin

County, currently managing over 665,000 acres. In addition to the Forest Service, various state departments manage approximately 61,000 acres. The Bureau of Land Management holds just over 9,000 acres and an additional 1,600 acres belongs to local governments. On the southern edge of Gallatin County is Yellowstone National Park. Yellowstone National Park is one of the world's primary wildlife preserves and has the greatest concentration of geysers and hot springs in America. Yellowstone National Park is 2,219,789 acres in size(Larger than Rhode Island and Delaware combined). Over 97,600 acres of Yellowstone National Park is located within Gallatin County.





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