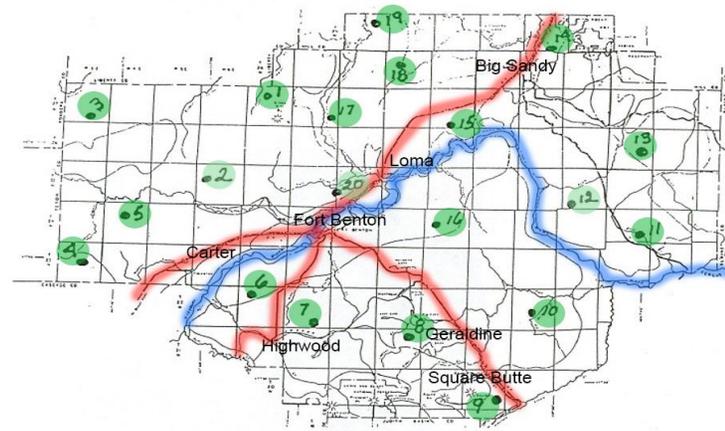


**MSU Extension Chouteau County 2026 Soil Moisture Survey**

Testing for soil moisture took place in Chouteau county on March 23-24. All winter wheat and fallow plots scored in the excellent (green) range. All plots have a full soil profile and will do well with just a couple of inches of moisture during the growing season.

Sincerely,  
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Chouteau County MSU Extension Agent



**DEPTH OF MOISTURE INCHES IN FALLOW OR WINTER WHEAT**

#	Soil	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	10	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	Average
1	Med	28	42	24	36	18	20	12	14	16	6	12	20	30	22	34	25	40	26	19	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	24	22	42	42	42	29.35
2	Modc	19	32	8	42	21	16	10	14	10	4	22	22	30	30	30	4	40	44	42	42	22	42	42	42	42	42	21	20	36	42	42	27.77
3	Modf	23	30	20	42	30	12	13	26	14	17	26	34	37	24	36	24	42	20	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	23	32	42	42	42	31.14
4	Modf	20	27	20	36	20	26	22	30	18	11	14	24	25	24	34	15	42	26	42	42	20	42	42	42	42	42	18	32	42	42	42	28.97
5	Modf	30	28	16	32	22	15	15	12	12	4	6	20	40	33	22	6	42	30	42	42	26	42	42	42	42	42	13	18	42	42	42	26.83
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