

Boston Wakeham started working with Five Valleys Land Trust in Fall of 2021 as their Operations Manager. He brings a passion for structure and efficiency that will help strengthen the already impressive foundation at Five Valleys Land Trust and keep their administrative wheels greased. In the small organization he wears many hats working between Finance, HR and IT to supporting the program teams internally.

Before his time at Five Valleys, Boston worked with the Montana Conservation Corps, doing boots on the ground conservation, and completed his bachelor's of science degree in parks, tourism and recreation management at the University of Montana. Upon completion of his schooling, he worked for several years with the National Park Service in Washington at Mt Rainier working on trail infrastructure and conservation education with volunteers, corps members, and visitors. Wishing to return to Missoula, Boston accepted an opportunity with onXmaps that allowed him to lean into his coordination and organization strengths by working in between HR and Operations. In his time there he aided in planning and the scaling of their physical operations during rapid organizational growth and national uncertainty with the pandemic.

Outside of work when Boston, his partner, Lisa, and their dogs, Cholla and Juniper, aren't floating rivers or exploring new trails, he is likely hosting potlucks or board game nights.