## **Grahm DeMars**

Having grown up along the Rocky Mountain Front, I've spent my whole life in or near the mountains of Montana. Prior to and at the beginning of my professional career, I received undergraduate and graduate degrees in accounting from Montana State University and through the University of South Dakota, respectively. Originally having moved back to the Great Falls area following undergrad, I entered into banking as a commercial and agricultural lender before moving to Missoula in 2018. I'm currently a commercial lender at Clearwater Credit Union working with a wide variety of business members throughout the western portion of our state and taking advantage of the numerous volunteer opportunities Clearwater coordinates. Outside the work week, I spend a lot of my time heading east on HWY 200 to kayak, hike, hunt, or to meet family. Come the winter months, I'm usually glued to college basketball and, hopefully, travelling to March Madness games.