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**Cascade Lakes National Scenic Byway Hosts Open House**

*Deschutes National Forest* – An open house will be held next Tuesday to hear ideas from the community on future interpretive sites, outdoor environmental education programs, volunteers and partnerships along the Cascade Lakes National Scenic Byway.

The open house will be held on Tuesday, December 1, 2009 from 3:30 to 6 p.m. at the Arts Central Resource and Education Center (formerly Mirror Pond Gallery) 875 NW Brooks Street on Bend's Downtown River Plaza.

The Cascade Lakes Scenic Byway follows the road toward Mt. Bachelor and passes by Sparks Lake, Elk Lake, Lava and Little Lava Lakes, Cultus Lake and many other scenic locations in Central Oregon. The byway is managed by the Deschutes National Forest and is a national program.

At the open house, Forest Service specialists and community volunteers will listen to the community's ideas and priorities for conservation education and interpretation on the Cascade Lakes Scenic Byway. These ideas will be used to update the Corridor Management and Interpretive Plan for the Cascade Lakes National Scenic Byway.

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