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Watch for Cyclists When Recreating on Klamath and Rogue River-Siskiyou National Forests This Week

Yreka, CA – The Klamath and Rogue River-Siskiyou National Forests will be hosting a number of cyclists participating in a long distance ride now through August 2nd.

Motorists should be on the lookout for cyclists throughout the area. Beginning Tuesday July 29th the group will be traveling the Scott River Road with an option to continue onto Scott Bar Mountain. On Wednesday they will be traveling on Sawyer's Bar Road to the top of Etna Summit and down into Salmon River. They will continue along the narrow road between Sawyer's Bar and Forks of Salmon through to the Klamath River and on to Orleans.

Beginning Thursday the group will be traveling North on Hwy 96 towards Happy Camp. On Friday they will traverse the Siskiyou Mountains by way of Grayback or Forest Road 48 on the Rogue Siskiyou National Forest enroute to Lake Selmac. On Saturday August 2nd expect the group to be traveling through the Illinois and Applegate Valley's back to Ashland, Oregon.

If you plan to be traveling through or recreating in these areas this week allow extra time as roads may be congested with cyclists.

For more information, please call the Klamath National Forest at (530) 842-6131.