

Stanislaus National Forest



Open House **Discussion of DRAFT Proposed Action** **Stanislaus National Forest Over-Snow Vehicle (OSV) Use Designation**

Please join us to discuss the DRAFT Proposed Action for the forestwide over-snow vehicle EIS **before** it goes to publishing as the Notice of Intent in late March, early April. These meetings are a follow-up to the workshops held last fall. Open houses will also be hosted after the proposed action is finalized and made available for public comment. The Forest has built the proposal based on the following objectives:

- Identify routes to be designated as snow trails;
- Identify areas to be designated for snowmobile use;
- Identify preliminary needs to work with Calaveras county on agreement to groom county roads;
- Identify areas where snowmobile use is not allowed; and
- Identify roads and trails where snowmobile use is allowed in years where snowlines drop below 5,000'.

We are seeking your input in two specific areas:

1. Have we missed any major areas or routes that historically have been used by snowmobiles? If so, where and how are they being used?;
2. Is the DRAFT Proposed Action clearly stated and mapped? If not, how can it be improved?

These open houses are informal, drop-ins at the following **locations and times**:

FS Supervisors Office

March 11, 1-5 p.m.
19777 Greenley Road
Sonora, CA
Phone: (209) 532-3671 Ext. 263

Pinecrest Community Center

2 Pinecrest School Rd.
Pinecrest, CA 95364
March 17, 5-7 p.m.
Phone: (209) 965-3434

Calaveras Ranger Station

March 13, 1-5 p.m.
5519 Highway 4
Hathaway Pines, CA
Phone: (209) 795-1381

Bear Valley Library, conference room

March 19, 5-8 p.m.
367 Creekside Drive
Bear Valley, CA 95223
Phone: (209) 753-6219