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Open House Planned for Salish Good Resource Management Project

KALISPELL, MONTANA – The Tally Lake Ranger District is inviting the public to an open house to discuss the Salish Good Resource Management Project. The proposed project would address a number of management concerns on National Forest System lands in the Good Creek drainage northwest of the community of Whitefish, Montana by treating vegetation; maintaining existing roads; constructing temporary and specified roads; changing access to existing roads and motorcycle trails; and installing, removing, and/or repairing fish barriers.

The objectives of this project are to: improve forest stand conditions related to vegetative structure and species composition; reduce hazardous fuels to varying degrees across the landscape; create and expand fuel reduction treatments to enhance fire suppression control efforts and increase firefighter safety by reducing fire intensity; reduce sediment and improve water quality and aquatic species habitat in project area streams and wetlands; maintain and improve terrestrial wildlife species habitat and security; and provide commercial and personal-use wood products for the local economy.

The open house will take place on Monday, July 27, 2015 from 4:00 to 7:00 PM at the Flathead National Forest Supervisor's office at the Flathead National Forest/Tally Lake District office located at 650 Wolfpack Way, Kalispell, Montana.

For additional information about this open house, contact Matt Shaffer, Project Team leader at (406) 758-3508 or matthewshaffer@fs.fed.us.

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