BLM debuts poster series that includes San Juan Islands National Monument!

Portland, Ore. – On Thursday, Dec. 11, the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is releasing the next series of its popular vintage poster collection and it includes a poster of the San Juan Islands National Monument (SJINM). The SJINM encompasses about 1,000 acres of land spread across rocks and islands managed by BLM. The vintage-style drawing featured on the poster is of Patos Island and its lighthouse, which is a dominant feature of the area.

Other similarly styled posters feature the Oregon National Historic Trail in Wyoming and the Rio Grande del Norte National Monument in New Mexico.

There will be an official unveiling of the three posters at XX a.m. on Thursday Dec. 11 at the BLM Oregon/Washington State Office at 1220 S.W. 3rd Ave., Portland OR 97204. All are welcome and those who are interested in attending the poster unveiling should contact Jeff Clark at (503) 808-6028.

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The BLM manages more than 245 million acres of public land, the most of any Federal agency. This land, known as the National System of Public Lands, is primarily located in 12 Western states, including Alaska. The BLM also administers 700 million acres of sub-surface mineral estate throughout the nation. The BLM’s mission is to manage and conserve the public lands for the use and enjoyment of present and future generations under our mandate of multiple-use and sustained yield. In fiscal Year, 2013, the BLM generated $4.7 billion in receipts from public lands.