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BLM to Offer Christmas Tree Permits

Eugene, Ore.—the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is continuing the holiday tradition of offering Christmas tree permits beginning Monday, December 2.

Permits cost \$5.50 per tree with a maximum of three trees per household. A map with directions to the designated cutting area is issued with the permit. Permits may be obtained through December 23 at the Springfield Interagency Office at 3106 Pierce Pkwy, Springfield, OR 97477. The office is open weekdays, 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

For more information, please contact the Eugene District office at (541) 683-6600.

About the BLM: 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 multiple-use mission is to sustain the health, diversity, and productivity of the public lands for the use and enjoyment of present and future generations. In Fiscal Year 2012, activities on public lands generated \$4.6 billion in revenue, much of which was shared with the States where the activities occurred. In addition, public lands contributed more than \$112 billion to the U.S. economy and helped support more than 500,000 jobs.

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