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BLM's Coffeepot Lake Now Open for Boat Launching

Spokane, Wash. – The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Spokane District is pleased to report that the boat launch area at Coffeepot Lake is now open and available for use by boat trailers. Unusually low lake levels led to the boat launch closure. Due to lots of spring runoff, concrete obstacles have been removed and the boat launch is again open to trailer-launched boats.

BLM's Spokane District will continue to monitor water levels to ensure that the boat launch can safely remain open. Another nearby BLM fishing lake, stocked with trout, and which has a trailered boat launch, is Upper Twin Lake. Both sites are located west of Harrington, WA. More information on Coffeepot Lake and Upper Twin Lake can be found at <http://on.doi.gov/1vLC3u5>.

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