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Dear Interested Party,

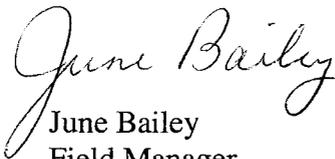
I am writing to enlist your help in working with our staff to better manage BLM forest resources in the Judith and Moccasin Mountains. As a first step in this collaborative effort, members of our Forestry and Fuels staff will host a public meeting to discuss how you can be involved at the site specific project level.

You, and any other persons or groups you think may be interested, are invited to join us at the Central Montana Community Center, 307 W. Watson, on Wednesday, January 24th at 6:00 p.m. During this initial meeting, we will focus on the collaborative process, proposed projects in the Maiden Canyon area, and how you can be involved in implementing these projects.

As we move from the planning phase of these projects to implementation I believe that a collaborative effort is needed. Collaboration involves citizens, groups, businesses and agencies working together to provide input and helps ensure positive results on the ground. The attached agenda will give you some idea of the collaborative process and our goals. If you are unable to attend but would like to be kept informed or have specific questions or comments please contact me at (406) 538-1945.

I look forward to your active involvement.

Sincerely,


June Bailey
Field Manager

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