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STANLEY, ID—The Sawtooth Society will present an open forum to learn about the latest information concerning the proposal for a Boulder-White Clouds National Monument at the Stanley Community Center on Tuesday, March 4, from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

Find out what latest developments have occurred with the proposal, what key stakeholders in Washington DC are saying, what the likely next steps are in the process and how those interested can effectively share their views.

The forum is intended to build a broader awareness regarding the proposal to create a National Monument in Central Idaho, which would include lands within the Sawtooth NRA.

The Sawtooth Society will also provide some background information about the proposed National Monument, explain how the proposal has been advanced and what may or may not be accomplished by a National Monument.

Forum attendees will also have ample opportunity to share their thoughts and ask questions. Investing time to learn about this issue is important because its resolution will likely set the future direction for management of the Sawtooth NRA and the surrounding lands.

The Sawtooth Society, formed in 1997, is the only non-profit group dedicated exclusively to serving as an advocate for the Sawtooth National Recreation Area, preserving open space in the Sawtooth National Recreation Area and enhancing its recreation facilities and services. The Sawtooth Society has funded over 160 recreational-related projects throughout the Sawtooth National Recreation Area and sponsored many dozens of volunteer projects.

For additional information about the organization, visit the Sawtooth Society at www.sawtoothsociety.org or email gary@sawtoothsociety.org.