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BCRD Encourages Wood River Trail Users to Share the Trail

May 18, 2023, (Hailey, IDAHO)—Blaine County Recreation District (BCRD) is welcoming the start of summer by encouraging users to Share the Trail on the Wood River Trail. Spanning over 22-miles through our community, the tax-supported trail welcomes pedestrians, cyclists, equestrians, and dogs all summer.

Now seen on the Wood River Trail, and throughout our community, BCRD has created an illustrated, bilingual poster, Share the Trails, or Comparta los Senderos, reminding users of good etiquette while recreating. The posters advise users to wear helmets, yield to traffic and fellow trail users, be cautious around horses, maintain control of dogs and clean up after them, and respect one another's mode, speed, and skill level. It also stresses the importance of giving advance notice before passing, staying to the right except when overtaking others, using caution in tunnels, and managing speed.

Also, on Wood River Trail trailhead signage, users can see updated Share the Trail signage with this language. Additionally, BCRD has added a QR code on the Share the Trail signage that takes users to a page on bcrd.org sharing current e-bike ordinances.

By adopting these practices, everyone who shares the Wood River Trail, including pedestrians, cyclists, and equestrians, can enjoy a harmonious experience. BCRD is committed to nurturing a welcoming environment for all trail users, and these posters and updated signage serve as a gentle reminder of everyone's responsibility in maintaining a positive atmosphere. The organization believes that fostering mutual respect among trail users is crucial for a safe and enjoyable environment for everyone using the Wood River Trail.

Blaine County Recreation District provides healthy, active, and diverse recreational opportunities for our community.