

Date: March 21, 2006 Contact: Lynn Anderson, 406-896-5248

Effective Wednesday, March 22, the Shepherd Ah Nei OHV area is closed to OHV use due to the recent wet weather. Bureau of Land Management outdoor recreation planner Lynn Anderson says that the area may close and re-open several times in the coming months depending on the weather. Anderson estimates that the area could be closed for up to a week or more. The BLM has established a hotline so members of the public can get the latest information on whether the area is open or closed. That number is 896-5014.

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