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Boy Scout Troop 46 Wins Runner-Up Award for Volunteer Service

Roseburg, OR – Boy Scout Troop 46 of Roseburg, Oregon, has placed as a runner-up in the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region 10 President's Environmental Youth Award (PEYA) Program for 2005. Based upon a nomination from the Bureau of Land Management, the troop is being recognized for their years of volunteer service on the public lands, primarily for their trail maintenance and proactive stewardship on National Public Lands Day. Competition was stiff with nominations received from Alaska, Oregon, Idaho and Washington.

A plaque that will be presented to Troop 46 at their meeting on **Thursday, APRIL 13 at 7 PM** at Sunnyslope School in Green, Or. The troop has already scheduled this year's volunteer work on the North Umpqua Trail on **SATURDAY, APRIL 29**. That event coincides with the Troop's support of the Great American Cleanup (sponsored by Keep America Beautiful, Inc.), National Youth Service Day, and National Arbor Day. For more information about the EPA's Regional PEYA Awards, please see <http://www.epa.gov/enviroed/awards.html> Winners are invited back to D.C. for a ceremony with The President or one of his key staff.

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