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## **OR 140 Improvements Proposed Over Bly Mountain**

### ***ODOT Sets Open House***

Klamath County, OR - The Oregon Department of Transportation is holding a public open house to discuss proposed improvements for OR 140 from Ritter Road to Deer Run Road (mileposts 25 to 34). The open house will be held on **May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2009**, from **3 pm to 7 pm**, at **Fire District #5** (9139 Bly Mountain Cutoff Road, Bonanza, OR 97623).

Proposed improvements on the highway include straightening curves, widening shoulders, and realigning the intersection with Bly Mountain Cutoff Road.

Members of the public are invited to stop by at any time during the scheduled hours. ODOT staff will give a short presentation every hour, on the hour, and will gladly answer any questions about the project. Construction of the improvements is currently anticipated for 2012.

Accommodations will be provided to persons with disabilities. To request an accommodation, please call Mike Redd at 541-883-5781.

### **PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE**

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Time: 3 pm – 7 pm

Place: Fire District #5, 9139 Bly Mountain Cutoff Rd.

For more information: Mike Redd, 541-883-5781

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