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Hells Canyon National Recreation Area Dedication Ceremony planned
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BOISE -- Idaho's U.S. Senator Jim McClure announced today that a two-day dedication ceremony will be held in June for the Hells Canyon National Recreation Area. McClure said the ceremony would be held in Oregon and Idaho on June 19th and 20th.

McClure had sponsored successful legislation creating the Hells Canyon National Recreation Area and President Ford signed the bill late last year.

McClure said the two-day event will begin on Saturday, June 19th, at Hat Point, Oregon, overlooking the mile deep canyon. On Sunday, June 20th, ceremonies will take place in Lewiston, Idaho. It will include a riverboat trip up the river and other festivities.

McClure said that final details for the dedication are being worked out by the U.S. Forest Service. Further details will be announced in the coming weeks.

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