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Guided Earth Week hike at Sluice Boxes State Park

GREAT FALLS – Celebrate Earth Week at Sluice Boxes State Park and learn about the history of mining, railroads, and the restoration of native fish in a five-mile ranger-guided hike beginning at 1 p.m. on Saturday April 24.

Participants should bring plenty of water, a sack lunch and snacks, hat, sturdy hiking boots, and sunscreen, and should be in good hiking condition, as the hike will be moderately strenuous and includes elevation change through rugged terrain. There are also high cliffs and steep drop-offs along the trail.

This hike is weather dependent and may be cancelled due to ice or snow.

Cost for the hike is \$4 per person, and participation is limited to 15 people.

Pre-registration is required.

Please call Ranger Alice Southworth at 406-866-2217 to register.

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