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**FINAL WEEKEND FOR RENTAL EQUIPMENT AT NORDIC CENTER
*Area to Remain Open as long as Snow Holds***

March 12 through 14, 2010 will be the final weekend equipment rentals are available at the East Mink Creek Nordic Center. However, City of Pocatello officials estimate that the recreation area will remain open until at least March 22, 2010, based on current snow pack. "The only change is that people without their own equipment must now rent from a local sporting goods store," said Lance Clark, Outdoor Recreation Programmer.

The trails will remain 100% open as long as the snow holds, and grooming will continue several times a week. Trail fees can be paid at the self-serve box in the parking lot for 24 hour access to the 15 mile trail system.

For more information about the East Mink Creek Nordic Center, call 234-6237 or check trail information online at www.pokyxc.org.

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