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New Exhibits on I-5 Corridor bring Visitors to Basin: Exhibits feature attractions such as Lava Beds, Tule Lake, and Klamath Basin Refuges.

TULELAKE, California- New exhibits were added to the Collier Interpretive & Information Center (CIIC), located on the Klamath River at Highway 96 and I-5 just south of the Oregon border in California. The new exhibit highlights basin area visitor attractions, along with directions on how to visit these outstanding sites.

“The basin welcomes visitors from across the country and around the world,” said Lava Beds and Tule Lake superintendent, Mike Reynolds. “We are delighted to share the story of Lava Beds, Tule Lake, and the Klamath Basin Refuges through these new panels.” The new Collier exhibit panels inform visitors of the unique experiences awaiting them on the eastern side of the county, including both monuments and the Klamath Basin National Wildlife Refuges. “It provides a way to introduce visitors to this part of the country and all that it has to offer,” says Reynolds. The exhibit is one of several planned over the next year to promote visitation to the basin.

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Lava Beds National Monument, established in 1925, is a land of turmoil, both geologic and historic. Over the last half-million years, volcanic eruptions have created a rugged landscape

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