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## MTV ANNOUNCES 30th SEASON OF REAL WORLD TO TAKE PLACE IN BOZEMAN, MONTANA

## MTV's Hit Series Returns for a 30<sup>th</sup> All-New Season in Late 2014/Early 2015

**New York, NY (April 1, 2014)** – MTV today announced that the 30<sup>th</sup> season of its ground-breaking series "The Real World" will take place in Bozeman, Montana.

The landmark 30th season of "The Real World: Big Sky Country" promises to be an emotional, invigorating and exciting season. When seven strangers come together, anything can happen. Rather than focusing on one group job, the roommates will pursue their Montana dreams – to be a farmer, journalist, ski bum, or barista. They will also form a voluntary fire department, heroically helping Montanans in danger of forest fires.

"The Real World has always been about real life expectations. This upcoming season will remind people of that," said Steve Pence. "It's going to be dope. Similar to past seasons, our house members will be close to a great bar scene, young crowd, and exciting region based jobs. The new added element is the constant threat of bear attack."

"We've already done the show in Denver, Seattle, Portland, and Austin. Bozeman is the logical next step," said Pence. The application process for the 30<sup>th</sup> season won't begin until 3Q of 2014. The Real World's 29<sup>th</sup> season in San Francisco is currently finishing up filming.

Fueled by its record-breaking original programming, MTV recorded its most-watched and highest-rated calendar year ever in 2013, in addition to its most-watched fiscal year ever (October 2012 through September 2013) among the network's core demographic of P12-34.

MTV targets young people with smart, funny and relevant content, including comedic, music and action-oriented original programming. For more information on the network, visit MTV.com or MTVPress.com.

"If you're still reading this, I love you," said Pence, a fake person. "The Montana Mint is the best and I hope you have a good April Fool's Day," he continued. "Please don't spoil the prank in the comments like a jerk," said Pence.

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