



## Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

07/01/2008 to 09/30/2008

### Inyo National Forest

This report contains the best available information at the time of publication. Questions may be directed to the Project Contact.

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#### Projects Occurring Nationwide

<b>National Forest System Land Management Planning - Proposed Rule</b>	- Regulations, Directives, Orders	Completed	Actual: 04/09/2008	04/2008	Gina Owens 202-205-1187 gowens@fs.fed.us
EIS	<b>Description:</b> The Agency proposes to publish a rule at 36 CFR part 219 to finish rulemaking on the land management planning rule issued on January 5, 2005 (2005 rule). The 2005 rule guides development, revision, and amendment of land management plans.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/emc/nfma/2008_planning_rule.html">http://www.fs.fed.us/emc/nfma/2008_planning_rule.html</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - All Districts-level Units. STATE - All States. COUNTY - All Counties. LEGAL - All units of the National Forest System. Agency-wide.				

#### Projects Occurring in more than one Region (excluding Nationwide)

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<b>Projects Occurring in more than one Region (excluding Nationwide)</b>					
<b>Designation of Energy Corridors on Federal Land in the 11 Western States</b> EIS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Minerals and Geology</li> <li>- Land management planning</li> </ul>	In Progress: DEIS NOA in Federal Register 11/08/2007 Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 09/2008	Expected:11/2008	12/2008	Peter Gaulke 202-205-1521 pgaulke@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> In accordance with Sec 368 of the Energy Policy Act of 2005, "...The Sec of Agriculture, Commerce, Defense, Energy and Interior, in consultation with FERC, States, tribal or local units of government shall designate energy corridors on federal land. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://corridoreis.anl.gov/">http://corridoreis.anl.gov/</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Fernan Ranger District, Butte Ranger District, Jefferson Ranger District, Missoula Ranger District, Superior Ranger District, Norwood Ranger District, Ouray Ranger District, Yampa Ranger District, Douglas and Thunder Basin Ranger District, Clear Creek Ranger District, Sulphur Ranger District, Nogales Ranger District, Williams Ranger District, Tusayan Ranger District, Chino Valley Ranger District, Cave Creek Ranger District, Payson Ranger District, Tonto Basin Ranger District, Pine Valley Ranger District, Beaver Ranger District, Carson Ranger District, Ely Ranger District, Spanish Fork Ranger District, Los Angeles River, Descanso Ranger District, Mount Whitney Ranger District, Hat Creek Ranger District, Big Valley Ranger District, Doublehead Ranger District, Cajon Ranger District, Yolla Bolla Ranger District, Mt. Shasta Ranger District, McCloud Ranger District, Yuba River Ranger District, Truckee Ranger District, Bend/Fort Rock Ranger District, Bly Ranger District, Lakeview Ranger District, Paisley Ranger District, Skykomish Ranger District, North Fork John Day Ranger District, Cle Elum Ranger District, Ogden Ranger District, Silver Lake Ranger District, Ninemile Ranger District, Black Mesa Ranger District, Mesa Ranger District, Flaming Gorge Ranger District, Bridgeport Ranger District, Ruby Mountains Ranger District, Trabuco Ranger District, Mono Ranger District, Goosenest Ranger District, Devils Garden Ranger District, Hayfork Ranger District, American River Ranger District, North Bend Ranger District, Dillon Ranger District, Gunnison Ranger District, Heber Ranger District, Santa Clara/Mojave Rivers, Mad River Ranger District, Mt. Hood National Forest All Units, Entiat Ranger District, Wenatchee River Ranger District, Mancos/Dolores Ranger District, Dubois Ranger District, Chiloquin Ranger District, Salida Ranger District, Washington Office (National Headquarter). STATE - Wyoming, Washington, Utah, Oregon, New Mexico, Nevada, Montana, Idaho, Colorado, California, Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino, Gila, Maricopa, Navajo, Santa Cruz, Yavapai, Humboldt, Inyo, Lassen, Los Angeles, Modoc, Mono, Nevada, Orange, Placer, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Diego, Shasta, Sierra, Siskiyou, Trinity, Chaffee, Clear Creek, Dolores, Grand, Gunnison, La Plata, Montezuma, Montrose, Ouray, Routt, San Miguel, Clark, Kootenai, Shoshone, Beaverhead, Jefferson, Mineral, Missoula, Silver Bow, Elko, Lyon, Mineral, Washoe, White Pine, Clackamas, Columbia, Crook, Deschutes, Hood River, Jackson, Jefferson, Klamath, Lake, Umatilla, Union, Wasco, Beaver, Carbon, Daggett, Emery, Garfield, Grand, Iron, Juab, Kane, Millard, Piute, San Juan, Sanpete, Sevier, Tooele, Uintah, Utah, Wasatch, Washington, Weber, Chelan, King, Kittitas, Snohomish, Natrona, Sweetwater. LEGAL - 11 Western States, excluding Alaska & Hawaii. 11 western states (Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming).					

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<b>Geothermal Leasing Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement</b> EIS  *NEW LISTING*	- Regulations, Directives, Orders	In Progress: DEIS NOA in Federal Register 06/13/2008 Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 11/2008	Expected:12/2008	02/2009	Peter Gaulke 703-605-4796 tparker03@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> The Bureau of Land Management and Forest Service are preparing a joint Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement to analyze the leasing of BLM and USFS administered lands with moderate to high potential for geothermal resources in 11 western states. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.blm.gov/wo/st/en/prog/energy/geothermal/geothermal_nationwide.html">http://www.blm.gov/wo/st/en/prog/energy/geothermal/geothermal_nationwide.html</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Clearwater National Forest All Units, Beaverhead-Deerlodge National Forest All Units, Bitterroot National Forest All Units, Lewis And Clark National Forest All Units, Medicine Bow-Routt National Forest All Units, San Juan National Forest All Units, White River National Forest All Units, Carson National Forest All Units, Cibola National Forest All Units, Coronado National Forest All Units, Gila National Forest All Units, Lincoln National Forest All Units, Boise National Forest All Units, Bridger-Teton National Forest All Units, Dixie National Forest All Units, Fishlake National Forest All Units, Payette National Forest All Units, Salmon-Challis National Forest All Units, Sawtooth National Forest All Units, Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest All Units, Uinta National Forest All Units, Cleveland National Forest All Units, Eldorado National Forest All Units, Lassen National Forest All Units, Los Padres National Forest All Units, Mendocino National Forest All Units, Modoc National Forest All Units, San Bernardino National Forest All Units, Sequoia National Forest All Units, Tahoe National Forest All Units, Gifford Pinchot National Forest All Units, Malheur National Forest All Units, Mt Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest All Units, Rogue River-Siskiyou National Forest All Units, Umpqua National Forest All Units, Wallowa-Whitman National Forest All Units, Okanogan-Wenatchee National Forest All Units, Willamette National Forest All Units, R10 - Alaska Region All Units, Custer National Forest All Units, Rio Grande National Forest All Units, Apache-Sitgreaves National Forests All Units, Wasatch-Cache National Forest All Units, Klamath National Forest All Units, Sierra National Forest All Units, Ochoco National Forest All Units, Gallatin National Forest All Units, Helena National Forest All Units, Grand Mesa Uncompahgre and Gunnison National Forest All Units, Santa Fe National Forest All Units, Angeles National Forest All Units, Plumas National Forest All Units, Fremont-Winema National Forest All Units, Umatilla National Forest All Units, Lolo National Forest All Units, Nez Perce National Forest All Units, Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests All Units, Manti-Lasal National Forest All Units, Caribou-Targhee National Forest All Units, Shasta Trinity National Forest All Units, Deschutes National Forest All Units, Mt. Hood National Forest All Units, Tonto National Forest All Units, Inyo National Forest All Units, Pike and San Isabel National Forests and Cimarron and Comanche National Grasslands All Units, Washington Office (National Headquarter). STATE - Wyoming, Washington, Utah, Texas, South Dakota, Oregon, Oklahoma, North Dakota, New Mexico, Nevada, Nebraska, Montana, Kansas, Idaho, District of Columbia, Colorado, California, Arizona, Alaska. COUNTY - Aleutians East, La Paz, Colusa, Denver, Douglas, Bonner, Columbia, Coos. 11 contiguous Western States (Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, New Mexico, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming) and Alaska.					

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<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region, Occurring in more than one Forest (excluding Regionwide)</b>					
<b>Bardini Foundation, Inc. Term Permit Issuance</b> EA  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 05/2008	Expected:08/2008	01/2009	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> To issue a term priority use permit to the Bardini Foundation, Inc. for outfitting and guiding. Proponent is a current temporary permit holder and has operated successfully for 3 years. Activities Policy allows for the conversion to priority status				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Sierra National Forest All Units, Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - Nevada, California. COUNTY - Fresno, Inyo, Madera, Mono. Ansel Adams and John Muir Wilderness areas of the Sierra and Inyo National Forests and non-wilderness areas of the Inyo National Forest.				

<b>Inyo National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>3M Guide Service Temporary Special Use Authorization</b> CE	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 06/12/2008 06/12/2008	07/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Issue a temporary special use permit to Brandon Mojarro for the provision of guided hunting.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. Inyo National Forest Lands within California state hunt zones x9a, x9b,.				
<b>California Trophy Seekers Temporary Special Use Authorizaiton</b> CE	- Special area management	Completed	Actual: 06/05/2008	07/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> to issue a temporary use permit to Evan Sherrit, dba California Trophy Hunters, for the provision of guided hunting, fishing, and photography tours. Use will be limited to non-wilderness areas for fishing and photography.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. California hunt zones within the administratove boundary of the Inyo Natinal Forest, lakes and streams within the boundary of the White Mountain and Mt. Whiteny Ranger Districts, nonwilderness areas.				

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<b>Inyo National Forest Motorized Travel Management (Route Designation Strategy)</b> EIS	- Road management	In Progress: NOI in Federal Register 10/01/2007 Est. DEIS NOA in Federal Register 08/2008	Expected:12/2008	01/2009	Marty Hornick 760-873-2461 mhornick@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> This EIS will designate a system of roads, trails and areas for people using motorized wheeled vehicles on the Inyo National Forest				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/r5/inyo/projects/ohvroute5.shtml">http://www.fs.fed.us/r5/inyo/projects/ohvroute5.shtml</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - Nevada, California. COUNTY - Inyo, Madera, Mono, Tulare, Esmeralda, Mineral. Inyo National Forest.					
<b>MtBA Temporary Special Use Authorization</b> CE	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 05/21/2008	06/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> To issue a temporary use permit to Mt. Bachelor Academy for the continued provision of a credited educational course trip focusing on science and natural history of the area. Estimated 70 temporary, non-wilderness, service days of camping and hiking				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. Existing dispersed sites in the areas of Mono Lake, Banner Ridge, Little Antelope Valley, White Mountain Peak.				
<b>Permit Term Increase for Priority Use Outfitter/Guide Permits</b> CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 05/2008	Expected:07/2008	09/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service revised its directive for special use permits to increase the maximum term from five to ten years. This decision will reflect the change in national policy.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. John Muir/Ansel Adams Wildernesses, non-wilderness areas of the Inyo National Forest, occasional special itinerary requests into the Golden Trout and South Sierra Wildernesses.				

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<b>SYMG Temporary Special Use Authorization</b> CE	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 04/03/2008	05/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> To issue a temporary special use permit to Southern Yosemite Mountain Guides, Inc for the provision of guided backpacking. Estimated 100 service days of use in the Golden Trout Wilderness and 50 service days of use in the Ansel Adams/John Muir				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. Passing through the Golden Trout Wilderness, entering on the PCT and traveling out to Cottonwood Pass. Travel from Yosemite NP into the Ansel Adams on the JMT.				
<b>Wilderness Rites. LLC Temporary Special Use Authorization</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 05/21/2008	07/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> To issue a temporary permit to Wilderness Rites LLC for the provision of guided non-wilderness camping in the Inyo Mountains.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - Section 24, T11S, R35E and SEction 10 T10S, R35E. Inyo Mountains, Inyo National Forest.				
<b>Wounded Warrior Project Temporary Special Use Authorization</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 06/09/2008	06/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> to issue a permit to the Wounded Warrior Project to guide 6 severely disabled war veterens up White Mountain Peak.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. White Mountain Peak, White Mountains, Mono County.				
<b>Yo! Basecamp Temporary Special Use Authorization</b> CE	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 05/21/2008	05/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> To issue a temporary use permit to Yo! Basecamp Rock Climbing Camps for the continued provision of guided youth camping and climbing trips.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. Camping to take place in a developed campground in Rock Creek with climbing activities taking place in Rock Creek and the Buttermilks and other commonly used climbing areas.				

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<b>Betty Jumbo and Gable Mine AML Closures</b> CE	- Minerals and Geology	Completed	Actual: 05/19/2008 05/19/2008	07/2008	Lynn Oliver 760-873-2424 loliver@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Bat accessible gates and solid closures will be installed at the Betty Jumbo and Gable Mines on the Inyo National Forest.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District, Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - E =, NE <, Sec. 15, T. 13 S., R. 36 E and NW <, Section 21, T. 7 S., R. 30 E. The Betty Jumbo Mine is four miles east of Independence, CA and the Gable Mine is 17 miles west of Bishop, CA in the John Muir Wilderness.				
<b>Campground Concessionaire Prospectus for 2007 - June Lake, Lee Vining, and Mammoth Area</b> CE	- Special use management - Recreation management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Adrienne Thatcher 760-924-5524 athatcher@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> NEPA documentation for campground prospectus. Target for prospectus issuance is May 2007. REVISED ISSUANCE DATE MAY 2008				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District, Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. Mammoth Area, June Lake, and Lee Vining Canyon Campgrounds.				
<b>Crowley Lake Watershed Grazing Allotment Analysis</b> EA	- Watershed management - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Grazing management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	In Progress: 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 06/28/2007	Expected:08/2008	10/2008	MaryBeth Hennessy 760-873-2448 mhennessy@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Analysis of grazing on allotments in the Crowley Lake Area including the Alpers Canyon, Antelope, Casa Diablo, Clark Canyon, Clover Patch, Hot Crk, Long Valley, McGee, Rock Crk, Tobacco Flat, Turner, and Watterson Allotments.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District, White Mountain Ranger District, Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. Grazing Allotments around Long Valley including Alpers Cyn, Antelope, Casa Diablo, Clark Cyn, Clover Patch, Hot Crk, Long Vly, McGee, Rock Crk, Tobacco Flt, Turner, Watterson Cyn, and Wilfred Crk.				

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<b>G&amp;J Temporary Special use Authorization</b> CE	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 06/02/2008	07/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Issue a temporary special use permit to Cary Jellison of G&J Outdoor Enterprises for the purpose of guided hunting.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District, Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - California State Hune Zone G3. National Forest System lands within the G3 Special California Hunt Zone, including wilderness and non-wilder ness use. Generally from Taboose Creek to the north to Lone Pine Creek to the south.				
<b>Moraine</b> CE	- Fuels management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jennifer Ebert 760-924-5535 jebert@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Proposal is to treat approximately 4,200 acres of brush and timber with prescribed fire. Project area is located on selected Southeast, South and Southwest aspects on the Mono Lake and Mammoth Ranger Districts.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District, Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. From the town of Crowley Lake in the south to Conway Summit in the north and predominantly to the west of highway 395. A map is available on request.				
<b>Neal Taylors Outdoor Concepts Temporary Special Use Authorization</b> CE	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 04/18/2008	05/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Issue a temporary special use permit to Neal Taylor for guided flyfishing trips as part of university extension programs.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District, White Mountain Ranger District, Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. South fork Bishop Creek, rock Creek, Owens River, non wilderness areas.				
<b>Outdoor Concepts Temporary Special Use Authorization</b> CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 03/2008	Expected:04/2008	05/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Issue a temporary special use permit to Neal Taylor's Outdoor Concepts Unlimited for the continued provision of guided flyfishing for UC extension program students.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District, White Mountain Ranger District, Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. LEGAL - Lands administered by the Inyo National Forest within the Rock Creek, South Fork Bishop Creek and the Owens River. Rock Creek, South Fork Bishop Creek and the Owens River.				

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<b>Inyo National Forest, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Reissuance of Civil Air Patrol leases: Mazourka and Silver Peak Communication Sites</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/25/2007	Expected:06/2008	06/2008	Frances Alvarado 760-873-2455 falvarado@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Existing use of Private Mobile Radio Service (PMRS) within a government owned communications facility (White Mountain and Mt. Whitney Ranger Districts).				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District, Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - T6S, R34E, Sec 24 AND T11S, R35E, Sec 23. Silver Peak Communication Site, White Mountain RS and Mazourka Peak Communication Site, Mt. Whitney RS.				
<b>Reissuance of Los Angeles Dept of Water and Power Diversions</b> CE	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 05/01/2008	05/2008	Frances Alvarado 760-873-2455 falvarado@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> To reissue LA DWP a permit for short term (1 year or less) water diversions and to combine up to 12 diversions onto one permit. Some diversions were discontinued or continued.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District, Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - T10S, R33E, Sec. 34, SE 1/4, T10S, R33E, Sec. 26, SW 1/4, T11S, R33E, Sec. 12, NW 1/4, T11S, R33E, Sec. 26, NE 1/4, T11S, R34E, Sec. 19, NW 1/4, T12S, R33E, Sec. 1, W 1/2, T12S, R34E, Sec. 5, N 1/2, T12. Mount Whitney Ranger and White Mountain Ranger District (west of HWY 395).				
<b>Sierra Nevada Bighorn Sheep Habitat Enhancement Prescribed Burn</b> CE	- Fuels management - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 07/2008	Expected:09/2008	11/2008	Leeann Murphy 760-873-2400 lbmurphy@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Reduce vegetation cover, primarily pinyon pine, within areas adjacent to winter range of the Sierra Nevada bighorn sheep using prescribed burning.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District, Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. Shepard Creek, South Blairs Creek, Lee Vining Canyon, Tuttle Creek, Lubken Creek, and Carroll Creek.				
<b>Wildlife Guzzler Retrofit</b> CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 09/2008	Expected:09/2008	10/2008	Richard Perloff 760-924-5508 rperloff@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Retrofit existing guzzlers by installing new pipelines and external drinking troughs				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District, Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. Casa Diablo area, Inyo and White Mountains.				

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<b>Inyo National Forest Mammoth Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Crystral Crag Water System Permit Resissuance</b> CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 09/2008	Expected:10/2008	10/2008	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Renewal of expired permit for water system. Water system service the Lake Mary Recreation Residence Tract, Crystal Crag Lodge, and the Lake Mary Store, all located in the Lakes Basin.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T. 4S., R27E., Sec. 21. Inyo National Forest, Mammoth Ranger District, Lakes Basin.				
<b>Doe Ridge Fuels Reduction Project</b> EA	- Fuels management - Vegetation management (other than forest products)	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 08/2008	Expected:11/2008	03/2009	Jennifer Ebert 760-924-5535 jebert@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Hazardous fuels reduction through prescribed burning and some thinning of trees and brush on approximately 1,400 acres. The objective would be to reduce fuel accumulations around the base of individual trees, in a mosaic pattern.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - section 1, T.4S., R.28E.; section 36, T.3S., R.28E; section 30 and 31, T.3S, R.29E.; section 6, T.4S, R.29E. northeast of the Mammoth Airport, west of the Benton Crossing Road.				
<b>EWindFarm MET Tower Installation</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/27/2008	Expected:09/2008	10/2008	Ben Lara 760-924-5509 blara@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Applicant is proposing to install 3 meteorological towers at there different locations on the forest. Each tower is approximately 60 meter tall covers approximately 25 sq. ft				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T1S, R28E Sec 13; T1S, R30E, Sec 35; T2S, R30E Sec 18. Sagehen Peak, Black Moutain, Glass Mountain.				
<b>Lake George to McCloud Lake Trail Construction</b> CE	- Recreation management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/28/2007	Expected:09/2008	06/2009	Jon Regelbrugge 760-924-5553 jregelbrugge@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Construct an equestrian and hiking trail from Lake George to McCloud Lake to provide safe visitor access for users of the Lakes Basin				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T27E, R4S, NW 1/4 section 17 and NE 1/4 section 18. Mammoth Lakes Basin, between Lake George and McCloud Lake.				

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<b>Lake George to TJ Lake Trail watershed improvement project</b> CE	- Watershed management - Recreation management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 06/2008	Expected:07/2008	09/2008	Michael Morse (760) 924-5511 mmorse02@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Work includes realigning 1.5 miles of trail out of fragile streamside meadows, hardening creek crossings and repairing bank damage on hiker trails in the Mammoth Lakes Basin. Steep, unprotected sections of trail will be stabilized.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - 1994 USGS Crystal Crag CA quadrangle, Township 4S, Range 27E, Section 16. Lake George and TJ/Barret Lakes Trail, Mammoth Lakes Basin, south of the Town of Mammoth Lakes, CA Inyo NF.				
<b>Long Valley Mineral Material Permit</b> EA	- Minerals and Geology	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Lynn Oliver 760-873-2424 loliver@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Town of Mammoth Lakes, Mono County, and Mammoth Community Water District will operate a mineral material excavation site at the Long Valley Mineral Material Site (formerly known as the Airport Pit).				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - NW1/4 Sec. 1, T. 4 S., R. 28 E., MT. DIABLO PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, NE1/4 Sec. 2, T. 4 S., R. 28 E., MT. DIABLO PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN. The Airport Pit is located northeast of the Mammoth/Yosemite Airport, between Hot Creek Road and Benton Crossing Road, Mono County, CA.				
<b>Mammoth Area OHV Restoration and Conservation Project</b> CE	- Watershed management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Recreation management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 06/2008	Expected:07/2008	07/2008	Casey Shannon 760-873-2407 cshannon@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Recently created and non-inventoried OHV routes near Mammoth Lakes are proposed to be obliterated and restored to a natural condition. Inventoried and designated routes will be maintained to prevent future expansion into undisturbed areas.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. Various OHV trails and use areas within a 15 mile radius of the Town of Mammoth Lakes. Located on the Old Mammoth and Mammoth Mountain Quadrangles.				
<b>Mammoth Community Water District Bluffs Storage Tank</b> CE	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 04/25/2008	06/2008	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 sirons@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Construction of a 1,000,000 gallon water tank and associated facilities on approximately .64 acres of NFS lands				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T4S, R27E, SE < Sec 4. MDB&M. Mammoth Bluffs (Old Mammoth).				

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<b>Inyo National Forest Mammoth Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Mammoth Community Water District Reclaimed Water Lines</b> CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 07/2008	Expected:07/2008	07/2008	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Installation of Mammoth Community Water District pipelines to provide reclaimed water to golf courses located within the Town of Mammoth Lakes.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T.3S., R28E., MDBM. National Forest System land north of the community of Mammoth Lakes, CA.				
<b>Mammoth Lakes Airport Expansion</b> EIS	- Facility management	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Mike Schlafmann 760-924-5503 mschlafmann@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Joint FAA/Town of Mammoth Lakes/Forest Service project analyzing the expansion of air services at the Mammoth Lakes Airport				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. Mammoth Lakes, CA.				
<b>Mammoth Meadow Watershed Restoration Project</b> CE	- Watershed management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 06/2008	Expected:08/2008	09/2008	Casey Shannon 760-873-2407 cshannon@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Project is designed to restore degraded riparian meadows as a result of a non-maintained and historical irrigation system that has created severe erosion and negative impacts to local hydrology.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Township 4s, Range 27e, Section 10, NE 1/4, NW 1/4. Mammoth Meadow, south of the Town of Mammoth Lakes, Mono County, CA The project area is south-west of Snowcreek 5 condominiums, and lies at the base of the Sherwin Mountain Range.				
<b>Obsidian Biathlon</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/28/2008	Expected:03/2008	03/2008	Ben Lara 760-924-5509 blara@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Recreation event that consists of 52 participants cross country skiing on existing trails and shooting biathlon specific rifles at designated targets.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T2S, R27E, Sec 16,17,20,21 (June Lake Quad). Obsidian Dome Cross Country Ski Area.				

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<b>Inyo National Forest Mammoth Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Obsidian Dome Winter Biathlon</b> CE	- Recreation management	Completed	Actual: 03/27/2008	03/2008	Jonathan Fisher 760-914-1327 jcfisher@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Biathlon recreation event near obsidian dome.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. Obsidian Dome.				
<b>Promenade Bike Path</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 05/05/2008	Expected:06/2008	08/2008	Jonathan Fisher 760-924-5503 jcfisher@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Construction of bike path along Hwy. 203 to connect two existing bike paths. Bike path will be constructed between Laurel Mountain Rd. and Old Mammoth Rd. near the Forest Service administrative site.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. Town of Mammoth Lakes, Hwy. 203 at Old Mammoth Rd.				
<b>Rainbow Fuels Reduction</b> CE	- Fuels management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jennifer Ebert 760-924-5535 jebert@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Hazardous Fuels reduction in old Rainbow Fire area.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T. 4S, R. 26E, S.2, 11, 14. Reds Meadow Area.				
<b>Rock Creek Energy Project</b> CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 07/2008	Expected:07/2008	08/2008	Jonathan Fisher 909-382-2771 jcfisher@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Install 100 feet of propane pipeline to connect existing pipeline on both ends of existing pipeline.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T3S, R27E, Sec 33. West of John Muir Rd. and ending at 924 Canyon Blvd.				

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<b>Inyo National Forest Mammoth Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Ski Back Trail</b> EA	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/09/2007 Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 07/2008	Expected:07/2008	07/2008	Jonathan Fisher 760-924-5503 jcfisher@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Construction of a ski trail from the Mammoth Mountain Ski Area, paralleling SR 203, to the North Village Development				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - R 26 E, T 3 S, Sec. 33, 28, and 27. June Lakes, California.				
<b>Southern California Edison Mammoth Distribution Area Permit Renewal</b> CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 09/2008	Expected:10/2008	10/2008	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 sirons@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Reissuance of expired permit for Southern California Edison's electrical distribution lines in the Mammoth Distribution Area.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T.3S., R.28E., MDBM. Mammoth Distribution Area, Mammoth Lakes Area.				
<b>Town of Mammoth Lakes Airport Access Road</b> CE  *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 07/2008	Expected:10/2008	05/2010	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 sirons@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Construction of access road to Mammoth Yosemite Airport (located on private land)				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - MDM, T.4S., R.28E., Sec. 1. From Benton Crossing Road to Airport.				
<b>Turner Propane Access Road</b> CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Ben Lara 760-924-5509 blara@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Sherwin Creek road improvements, including paving of 1,000 feet, to access propane tank farm, which will be located on private property. Installation of 2,000 feet of propane and 550 feet of electrical line.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - MDM, T.4S, R.27E., Sec 2. Sherwin Creek Road.				

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<b>Inyo National Forest Mammoth Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Winter Access Route - Basalt Canyon Geothermal Pipeline Project</b> EA	- Minerals and Geology	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Lynn Oliver 760-873-2424 loliver@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The winter access route would begin from the snow disposal area east of the Mammoth Visitor Center on approximately 2,300 feet of existing roads and about 1,200 feet of new overland route. The proposed project is located east of Shady Rest Park.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. East of Shady Rest Park within portions of Sections 25 and 36 of Township 3 South, Range 27 East on the Inyo National Forest.				
<b>Inyo National Forest Mono Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Alpers Ranch Permit Reissuance</b> CE  *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 07/2008	Expected:07/2008	07/2008	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 sirons@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> New authorization to new owners				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - MDM, T.2S., R.28E., Sec. 19. National Forest System land adjacent to Alper's Ranch.				
<b>Crestview Communications Site Wireless Multi-Carrier Facility</b> CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 06/2008	Expected:09/2008	06/2009	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 sirons@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Installation by Vista Towers of a wireless multi-carrier facility at the Crestview Communications Site.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T.2S., R.27E., Sec. 22, MDBM. Crestview Communications Site.				
<b>Escape Gold Drilling Project: Red Rock Mine</b> CE	- Minerals and Geology	Completed	Actual: 06/06/2008	08/2008	Lynn Oliver 760-873-2424 loliver@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Escape Gold will locate two drill pads on the existing road network. From these two drill pads they will drill reverse circulation and/or core holes to a depth of up to 1500 feet below the surface. More than one drill hole will be completed.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mono Ranger District. STATE - Nevada. COUNTY - Esmeralda. LEGAL - The Project is located at the Red Rock Mine, approximately 70 miles west-southwest of Tonopah, Nevada at the north end of Fish Lake Valley in Section 18, Township 1 South, Range 34 East (T1N, R34E) Da. Red Rock Mine.				

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<b>Inyo National Forest Mono Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>High Sierra Jeep Adventures</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management - Recreation management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2008	Expected:05/2008	05/2008	Barry McDonald 760-647-3023 bmcdonald01@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> This is a proponent driven proposal to conduct jeep tours along Forest Service designated routes on the Mammoth and Mono Lake Ranger Districts of the Inyo National Forest. Four vehicles with a total per trip capacity of 12 customers.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. 4 treks, each along a designated route on the Mammoth and Mono Lake Ranger Districts, Inyo National Forest, all within Mono County, California.				
<b>June Fire Reforestation</b> CE	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	In Progress: 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 03/20/2008	Expected:07/2008	09/2008	Scott Kusumoto 760-924-5522 skusumoto@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Plant 360 acres of Inyo NF lands in 2010 burned by the 2007 June Fire. Activities expected to include mechanical site preparation, planting of Jeffrey pine seedlings and manual release activities to reduce vegetation competition to seedlings.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T1S, R26E, Sections 26, 26, 35 and 36 MDB&M. Mono Lake RD, Inyo NF, Mono County, California.				
<b>June Lake PUD, test well for domestic water supply</b> CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 07/2008	Expected:07/2008	09/2008	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 sirons@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Test well adjacent to the Clark Water Treatment Plant.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - MDM, T.2S., R.26E, Sec. 21. Adjacent to the Clark Water Treatment Plant.				
<b>Los Angeles Department of Water and Power Mono Gate One Project</b> CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 07/2008	Expected:07/2008	07/2008	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 sirons@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Replacement of Mono Gate One which controls water release from the Grant Lake Reservoir. This replacement would allow for monitoring and flow control capabilities. Also includes installation of 4100 feet of aboveground power line				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T.1S., R. 26E., Sec. 15, M.D.M>. Mono Gate One, Grant Lake Reservoir.				

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<b>Inyo National Forest Mono Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Mono Lake Trail</b> EA	- Road management - Heritage resource management - Recreation management	Completed	Actual: 03/27/2008	06/2008	Jon Kazmierski 760-647-3010 jkazmierski@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The construction of a recreation trail that connects the Mono Basin National Forest Scenic Area Visitor Center to the Old Marina site adjacent to Mono Lake. Implementation pending grant approval				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/r5/inyo/projects/lake_trail.shtml">http://www.fs.fed.us/r5/inyo/projects/lake_trail.shtml</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Sections 4,5, &9, T1N, R26E. North of Mono Basin National Forest Scenic Area Visitor Center to Old Marina site along S/W shore of Mono Lake.					
<b>Pinecliff Resort Permit Renewal</b> CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Barry McDonald 760-647-3023 bmcdonald01@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Renew existing resort permit for 1 year				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. Pinecliff Resort in the June Lake Loop vicinity, Mono Lake Ranger District.				
<b>Rust II Forest Health and Fuel Reduction Project</b> CE	- Fuels management - Vegetation management (other than forest products)	Completed	Actual: 06/12/2008	07/2008	Scott Kusumoto 760-924-5522 skusumoto@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Thinning to reduce fuels and improve forest health on approximately 500 acres of Jeffery pine forest located off the Bald Mountain Road				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T 1 S, R 28E, parts of sec. 29, 30, 31, 32. Located off of Bald Mountain Road near Little Sand Flat and Indiana Summit.				
<b>Verizon Cell Tower at June Mountain</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 07/2008	Expected:07/2008	08/2008	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 sirons@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Installation of new cell tower at mid-chalet area at June Mountain Ski Area				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - MDM, T.2S., R.26E., Sec 23. Mid-chalet area at June Mountain Ski Area.				

**Inyo National Forest Mount Whitney Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)**

**R5 - Pacific Southwest Region**

Project Name	Project Purpose	Planning Status	Decision	Expected Implementation	Project Contact
<b>Inyo National Forest Mount Whitney Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>California Alpine Guides Temporary Special Use Authorization</b> CE	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 05/21/2008	08/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Issue a temporary special use authorization to CAG for guided backpacking trips through the Golden Trout Wilderness for ingress and egress to and from Sequoia Kings National Parks.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. Golden Trout Wilderness, ingress and egress to and from Sequoia Kings National Parks via Cottonwood Pass.				
<b>Cottonwood Lakes #3 Cabin</b> CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Frances Alvarado 760-873-2455 falvarado@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> CA Fish and Game has requested a permit renewal for continued use of the cabin located within the John Muir Wilderness. Used for the operation/maintenance of the golden trout spawning station and housing for CDFG employees 6 weeks per yr				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - SW1/4 of Sec. 31, T.16S., R.35E., MDB&M. Near Cottonwood Lakes #3, John Muir Wilderness.				
<b>Kern Plateau Stream and Riparian Restoration</b> CE	- Watershed management	Completed	Actual: 04/09/2008	07/2008	Todd Ellsworth 760-873-2457 tellsworth@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Maintain existing and construct new headcut stabilization structures at 7 sites on streams of the Kern Plateau. The meadows where headcut stabilization will occur are: Ash, Bullfrog, Horseshoe/Rodeo, Olivas, Groundhog, Casa Vieja, and Dutch Meadows.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Tulare. LEGAL - MD&B Meridian, T17S, 18S, 19S, Range 34E, 35E, 36E. Kern Plateau, Tulare and Inyo Counties; Ash, Bullfrog, Groundhog, Casa Vieja, Horseshoe, Olivas, and Dutch Meadows.				
<b>Kingfisher Ridge Fuels Reduction</b> EA	- Fuels management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 09/2008	Expected:07/2009	08/2009	Beth Nabors 760-873-2500 bnabors@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Hazardous fuels reduction on Kingfisher Ridge in the Monache Meadows area.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - T.19S, R.35E, S.19, 20, 30, 31. Kingfisher Ridge West of Monache Meadows.				

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<b>Inyo National Forest Mount Whitney Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Lyndon State College Temporary Special Use Authorization</b> CE	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 04/03/2008	06/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> To issue a temporary permit to Lyndon State College for conducting a credited college course. Activities include backpacking and climbing the mountaineers route of Mt. Whitney in June. Not to exceed 50 service days in the John Muir Wilderness				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. Enter the North Fork of Lone Pine Creek, camping at Upper Boy Scout Lake, ascending the mountaineers route.				
<b>Papoose Flat pluton geology research, Inyo Mountains</b> CE <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Research	In Progress: Scoping Start 04/15/2008	Expected:08/2008	08/2008	Frances Alvarado 760-873-2455 falvarado@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Research examines mechanisms of strain partitioning and how a lithologically heterogeneous system maintains strain compatibility in response to deformation associated with pluton emplacement. There will be field mapping and rock sampling.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - All Sections within T10S R35E, T10S R36E, T11S R35E, and T11S R36E (random locations throughout). Inyo Mountains/Wilderness (Papoose Flats and Whipoorwill RNA.				
<b>Portal Fuels Reduction</b> EA	- Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 06/19/2007 Est. Objection Period Legal Notice 07/2008	Expected:08/2008	10/2008	Beth Nabors 760-873-2400 bnabors@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Reduce hazardous fuels in and around homes and businesses in the Whitney Portal area.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - T.15S, R.34E, S.25, 35, 36. Whitney Portal west of Lone Pine.				
<b>Pt. Loma Nazarene Univ. Temporary Special Use Authorization</b> CE <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 06/06/2008	08/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> To issue a temporary permit to PLNU for guided backpacking beginning at Cottonwood Lakes trailhead and ending at the Cottonwood Pass trailhead.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. Cottonwood Lakes Basin of the John Muir Wilderness and the PCT route from Sequoia National Park to the Cottonwood Pass Trailhead.				

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<b>Inyo National Forest White Mountain Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Altimus Temporary Special Use Authorization</b> CE	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 06/02/2008	07/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Issue a temporary special use permit to Larry Altimus for the provision of guided hunting. Non wilderness use within the White Mountains.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Nevada, California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. Inyo National Forest Lands within California State Hunt Zone x9c, Mono County.				
<b>Black Canyon Conservation Project</b> CE	- Road management - Watershed management - Recreation management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Casey Shannon 760-873-2407 cshannon@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> In Black Canyon, up to 9 road crossings (over a distance of 3 miles) would be improved and stabilized, and drainage would be improved to prevent spring and stream flow onto the road. Harden and stabilize the adjacent road tread.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. Inyo National Forest, White Mountain Ranger District, Black Canyon, 10 - 15 miles SE of Bishop.				
<b>Christine Hallman, Univ of Arizona, Tree-ring Research: Bristlecone chronology and tree growth</b> CE  *NEW LISTING*	- Research	Completed	Actual: 05/01/2008	05/2008	Susan Joyce 760-873-2516 sejoyce@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Authorize research for up to 2-3 yrs in the summer season. Place 1 weather station (2' W x 2' L x 4' H) near Schulman VC. Attach 15 dendrometers in Schulman area & 16 near Blanco Mountain. To core up to 30 trees (shulman)/80 trees near Blanco Mtn.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. LEGAL - Secs.18, 31, T. 6 S., R. 35 E, Secs. 19, 31, 32, T. 5 S., R. 35 E., Ancient Bristlecone Pine Forest.				
<b>Crowley Communities Hazardous Fuels Reduction Project</b> EA	- Fuels management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 08/2008	Expected:10/2008	11/2008	Beth Nabors 760-873-2462 bnabors@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Fire hazard reduction by removal of hazardous fuels around the communities of Aspen Springs, Crowley, McGee Creek, Sunny Slopes, & Tom's Place				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T4S, R30E, Sec.33,32,29, &28; T5S, R30E, Sec.5&6; T4S, R29E, Sec.35,34,&28. Public land near or adjacent to the residences and businesses of Aspen Springs, Crowley, and McGee Creek.				

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<b>Inyo National Forest White Mountain Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Emplacement mechanisms of the Morgan Cr. Pluton &amp; mineralization in the Pine Cr skarn</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Research	Completed	Actual: 05/01/2008	05/2008	Susan Joyce 760-873-2516 sejoyce@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Research by John Porter (U. of UT) for dissertation. 4 week field project to collect 5 to 10 samples U-Pb zircon dating. These samples will each require approx 10 lbs. of rock. 25-40 additional samples for geochemical/petrographic work.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - Secs.28, 29, 30, 31, 24, 25, 26 T6S., R30E., MT. DIABLO PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN (MDM), Sec. 5,6,7, 8,18, 18, T7S, R30E. Pine Creek area, John Muir Wilderness.				
<b>Furnace Creek Road Analysis Environmental Assessment</b> EA	- Road management - Recreation management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Garry Oye 760-873-2464 goye@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Joint Forest Service and BLM Assessment of the Furnace Creek Road to determine if riparian values are being affected and what measures are necessary to protect the riparian area.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T 4 S, R 36 E, Sections 37, 17, 21, 28, 33, & 32 this is an area of disputed stateline with several section corrections. T 5 S, R 36 E Sections 4, 5, & 6, T 5 S, R 35 E, Section 1 . Furnace Creek road is located 3 miles south of Dyer, Nevada on the disputed California/Nevada Stateline.				
<b>GSC Rhino Adventure Tours Temporary Special Use Authorization</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	In Progress: 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 05/24/2008	Expected:08/2008	09/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> To issue a temporary permit to R & P Gillespie, Inc. to conduct guided ATV tours on system and non-system roads within the Inyo National Forest. Focus on area history and propoer land use. A proposed 12 tours a season with 3-4 clients a tour.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. Four Proposed Routes: 1) Coyote Flat 2) Buttermilk Country 3) Silver Canyon and 4) Tablelands (INF lands north of Chidago Cyn).				

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<b>Inyo National Forest White Mountain Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>High Sierra: Natural History Field Studies</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Frances Alvarado 760-873-2455 falvarado@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Authorize Humboldt State Univ Dept of Plant Sciences temporary permit to conduct a credited educational 6 week field camp. 13 days will be on Forest lands and within that, 11 days along Paiute Pass. Base camping near Lower Desolation/Tomahawk Lakes				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Fresno, Inyo. LEGAL - T8S, R30E, Sec. 17, 20, 25, T7S, R30E, Sec 30. Paiute Pass trail (from trailhead to Hutchison's Meadow and up to Pine Creek Pass).				
<b>Lower Wyman Canyon and Silver Canyon Road Conservation Project</b> CE	- Road management - Watershed management - Recreation management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 08/2008	Expected:10/2008	06/2009	Todd Ellsworth 760-873-2457 tellsworth@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Repair up to 7 stream road crossings in Lower Wyman Canyon and up to 10 stream crossings along the Silver Canyon OHV Road. Crossings will be narrowed and stabilized to prevent stream damage and sedimentation into the creeks. Reduce water flow on road				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - T6S, R33E, S24; T6S, R34E, S 19, 20, 21, 27 and T6S, R35E, S13, 14 and T6S, R36E, S18. Inyo National Forest, White Mountain Ranger District, White Mountains, Silver Canyon and Wyman Canyon, East of Bishop.				
<b>Muench Temporary Special Use Authorization</b> CE	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 06/06/2008	08/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> issue a temporary special use permit to Muench Workshops, LLC for one four day photography workshop within the John Muir Wilderness. Wilderness camping and day hiking focused on landscape photography instruction.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. Sabrina Basin of the John Muir Wilderness.				
<b>Outdoor Link, Inc. Temporary Special Use Autohrization</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 05/06/2008	Expected:08/2008	09/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> to issue a temporary permit to Outdoor Link, Inc for the provision of guided youth camping and outdoor educational trips. Estimated 750 non-wilderness service days.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. Non-wilderness areas of the INF, including, but not limited to, the Buttermilk area, Bishop Creek, Rock Creek,.				

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<b>Inyo National Forest White Mountain Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Pine Creek Pack Station Drinking Water Improvement</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 07/2008	Expected:08/2008	09/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Develop an adequate source to meet Inyo County REQUIRED drinking water standards for public consumption at the pack station. Proposal is to install a subsurfaceperforated pipe manifold to collect subsurface water & then pipe above ground.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. Sect. 9, T7S, R30E.				
<b>Rainbow Pack Outfitters Water System Improvement</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 07/2008	Expected:08/2008	09/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> To improve existing water source to meet Inyo county REQUIRED drinking water standards for public consumption at the pack station facilities (non-wilderness).				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. Sect. 11, T4S, R26E.				
<b>Re-issuance of expired research permit: field research at Pine Creek-Bishop Pass-Sawmill Pa</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Research	Completed	Actual: 05/01/2008	05/2008	Frances Alvarado 760-873-2455 falvarado@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> NSF funded research in the John Muir Wilderness. This project will entail geologic mapping, structural analysis and sample collecting for micro-structural and electron-microprobe analysis.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - T9S, R31E, Sec. 22, 23, 26, 27, 35, 36 T11S, R33E, Sec. 18 ,19 T12S, R33E, Sec 22, 23, 27, 28, (Sec. 5, 6, 7, 8, 18) Western = NW < T7S R310E. Bishop Creek-Bishop Pass and Pine Creek (Sec. 24, 25, 26) Southern 1/2 of T6S R29 =5E.				
<b>Reissuance of research permit for Robert Rice, PhD UC Merced</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Research	Completed	Actual: 05/01/2008	05/2008	Frances Alvarado 760-873-2455 falvarado@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> determine the hydrologic and biogeochemical significance of the Palisades Rock Glaciers (South Fork) in John Muir Wilderness- Inyo National Forest. Also in rock glaciers in the Ruby Lake drainage with the sub drainage being Mills Lake.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - Sec. 14, T. 10 S., R. 32 E., Sec. 35, 26, 27,23, 13 T. 6 S., R. 29 E.,. Palisades Rock Glaciers (South Fork) & rock glaciers in the Ruby Lake drainage in the John Muir Wilderness.				

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<b>Ruby Lake Trail Re-Route and Restoration</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Watershed management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Recreation management	In Progress: Scoping Start 06/28/2008	Expected:07/2008	08/2008	Jeff Novak 760-876-6231 jnovak@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Re-route section of Ruby Lake Trail out of Ruby Lk. Meadow to alignment on more durable soil. Naturalize abandoned section of trail. Reduce width of Mono Pass Trail through Ruby Lk. Meadow. Install retaining wall and waterbars on Mono Pass Trail.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - se 1/4 section 6, T.6S., R.29E. Ruby Lake Trail near Mono Pass.				
<b>SGWO Temporary Special Use Authorization</b> CE	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 06/05/2008	07/2008	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Issue a temporary special use permit to Terry Anderson for the continued provision of guided big horn sheep hunts in the White Mountains. Non-wilderness use, including the minimum use of stock to dunnage gear for base camp.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Nevada, California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. LEGAL - Lands within the administrative boundary of the Inyo National Forest within the CA State Hunt Zone X9c. Inyo National forest Lands within the California State Nelson Bighorn Sheep Hunt Zone (X9c), Mono County, CA.				
<b>Verizon Fiber Optic Cable Placement</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 05/07/2008	Expected:07/2008	07/2008	Susan Joyce 760-873-2516 sejoyce@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Placement of fiber optic cable on existing distribution lines to provide additional telecommunications facilities and more reliable 911 service to the Mammoth Lakes area.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. Existing distribution line corridor between Bishop and Mammoth, CA.				
<b>Vista Towers Multicarrier Facility</b> CE	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 04/12/2008	05/2008	Susan Joyce 760-873-2516 sejoyce@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Construction and maintenance of a multicarrier facility at Sherwin Summit Communication Site				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T5S, R30E, Sec. 1, Mt. Diablo Principal Meridian. Sherwin Summit Communication Site.				

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<b>West Olancha Wilderness Road Restoration</b> CE	- Road management - Watershed management - Recreation management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 08/2008	Expected:10/2008	07/2009	Todd Ellsworth 760-873-2457 tellsworth@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Two to four roads that enter the Golden Trout Wilderness West of Olancha would be blockaded and disguised. Blockading and disguising would use native materials such as rock and brush, as well as berms. The project will prevent Wilderness incursions.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - T.19S, R.36E, S. 11, 23. Inyo National Forest, Mt. Whitney Ranger District, West of Olancha, CA.				
<b>White Mountain Group Allotment Analysis</b> EA	- Watershed management - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Grazing management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 07/2008	Expected:11/2008	05/2009	Joseph Robson 760-873-2505 jrobson@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Analysis of grazing on allotments in the White Mountains including Davis Creek C&H, Indian Creek, Perry Aiken, and Trail Canyon Allotments.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Nevada, California. COUNTY - Mono, Esmeralda. White Mountains, White Mountain Ranger District.				

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