



## Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

04/01/2007 to 06/30/2007

### Umatilla 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>Aerial Application of Fire Retardant</b>  EA	- Fuels management	In Progress: 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 07/28/2006	Expected:07/2007	08/2007	Christopher Wehrli 202-205-1332 fire_retardant@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service proposes to continue the aerial application of fire retardant to fight fires on National Forest System lands. An environmental analysis will be conducted to prepare an Environmental Assessment on the proposed action.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/fire/retardant/index.html">http://www.fs.fed.us/fire/retardant/index.html</a> .					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - All Districts-level Units. STATE - All States. COUNTY - All Counties. Nation Wide.					

#### R6 - Pacific Northwest Region, Occurring in more than one Forest (excluding Regionwide)

<b>Blue Mountain Land Exchange</b>  EIS	- Land acquisition - Land ownership management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Alicia Glassford 541-426-5689 aglassford@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Exchanging lands to consolidate ownership patterns on Federal and private lands					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/r6/w-w/planning/bmle/">http://www.fs.fed.us/r6/w-w/planning/bmle/</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Malheur National Forest All Units, Wallowa-Whitman National Forest All Units, Umatilla National Forest All Units. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Baker, Grant, Morrow, Umatilla, Union, Wallowa, Wheeler. Selected parcels in vicinity of Wallowa-Whitman, Umatilla, and Malheur National Forests.					

#### Umatilla National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)

**R6 - Pacific Northwest Region**

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<b>Umatilla National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)</b>			<b>R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>		
<b>Umatilla National Forest Invasive Plants Treatment</b> EIS	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	In Progress: NOI in Federal Register 04/06/2006 Est. DEIS NOA in Federal Register 04/2007	Expected:09/2007	06/2008	Glen Westlund 509-522-6009 gwestlund@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Treatment of known and newly discovered invasive plants using herbicide, manual, mechanical, biological, and/or cultural methods. The Forest has approx. 25,000 acres of invasive plants, approx. 18,500 acres is proposed for herbicide treatment.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Umatilla National Forest All Units. STATE - Washington, Oregon. COUNTY - Grant, Morrow, Umatilla, Union, Wallowa, Wheeler, Asotin, Columbia, Garfield, Walla Walla. LEGAL - Forest wide. Forest wide.				

<b>Umatilla National Forest, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)</b>			<b>R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>		
<b>Columbia Complex Fire Salvage Recovery Project</b> EIS	- Forest products	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Dean Millett 509-843-4644 dmillett@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Economic recovery of timber after Columbia Complex Fire and removal of danger trees along open travel routes, all haul routes, developed recreation sites, and administrative sites. Approximately 4,500 acres.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pomeroy Ranger District, Walla Walla Ranger District. STATE - Washington. COUNTY - Columbia, Garfield. LEGAL - T7N, R39E, S 1-2, 11-14, & 23; T7N, R40E, S 2-10; T8N, R39E, S 13, 24-25, & 35-36; T8N, R40E, S 1-3, 10-15, & 18-35; T8N, R41E, S 1-24, 27-30 & 33; T9N, R40E, S 25-26; T10N, R41E, S 31-32; T8N, R41E, S, 1.12-1. Columbia Complex Fire area on National Forest land - within Upper Touchet River and Upper Tucannon River Watersheds.				

<b>Umatilla National Forest Heppner Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>		
<b>2007 Personal Use Firewood</b> CE  *NEW LISTING*	- Forest products	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2007	Expected:04/2007	05/2007	John Shepherd 541-676-2154 jtshepherd@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Gathering of fuelwood for personal use.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Heppner Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Grant, Morrow, Wheeler. LEGAL - Townships 6, 7, & 8 Ranges 23, 24, & 25 and Townships 4, 5, 6, & 7 Ranges 26, 27, 28, & 29. Areas along open roads west of State Highway 207 and east of Forest Service Road 22..				

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<b>2007 Personal Use Post and Poles</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Forest products	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2007	Expected:05/2007	06/2007	John Shepherd 541-676-2154 jtshepherd@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Gathering of post and poles for personal use.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Heppner Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Morrow. LEGAL - Township 5 South, Range 29 East, Sections 5, 6, 8 and 9. Near Kelly Prairie on the eastern portion of the district..				
<b>Big Wall Telephone Line SUP</b> CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 06/2007	Expected:09/2007	09/2007	Janet Plocharsky 541-676-2148 jlplocharsky@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Issue a new special use permit for the use and maintenance of a telephone line that follows along FS Rd 23.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Heppner Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Grant. LEGAL - Sections 29, 31, and 32 of T 7 S, R27 E. The telephone line follows FS Rd 23 beginning at FS Rd 22 running west for for 2.9 miles to a section of private land. .				
<b>Colvin Creek Range Improvement</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Grazing management	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/23/2007	Expected:04/2007	06/2007	Joseph Lee 541-676-2176 jdlee@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Replace 2.75 miles of existing electric fence with three strand barbed wire fence and develop 4 springs to provide upland water sources for both cattle and wildlife.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Heppner Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Wheeler. LEGAL - Township 7 South, Range 25 East, Sections 1, 2, 11, and 13. East of State Highway 207 near Whitetail Butte.				
<b>Hog Creek Fence Replacement</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Grazing management	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/23/2007	Expected:04/2007	06/2007	Joseph Lee 541-676-2176 jdlee@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Replace an existing 1.75 miles of electric fence with a 3-strand barbed-wire fence.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Heppner Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Morrow. LEGAL - Township 6 South, Range 27 East, Sections 3, 10, and 11.. One and a half miles east of the Tupper Work Center running west along Skookum Creek.				

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<b>Umatilla National Forest</b>		<b>Heppler Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>	
<b>Little Potamus Guzzler</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2007	Expected:06/2007	07/2007	Randall Scarlett 541-427-5381 rscarlett@fs.fed.us	
	<b>Description:</b> Install a 500-gallon fiberglass tank in the ground to collect rainfall and snowmelt to improve or create upland bird habitat. Barbed wire fence would be installed to exclude cattle.					
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Heppler Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Morrow. LEGAL - Township 6 South, Range 29 East, Section 20. East of Little Potamus Creek, twelve miles west of the town of Dale, Oregon.					
<b>Rail Canyon Range Improvements</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Grazing management	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/23/2007	Expected:04/2007	06/2007	Joseph Lee 541-676-2176 jdlee@fs.fed.us	
	<b>Description:</b> Construct 1.25 miles of three-strand barbed-wire fence around a portion of Rail Canyon and develop a spring source outside of the riparian area to provide water for both livestock and wildlife.					
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Heppler Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Grant. LEGAL - Township 8 South, Range 27 East, Sections 17 and 20.. Five miles NW of the town of Monument, Oregon along Rail Canyon..					
<b>Wheeler County Aspen Restoration</b> CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Watershed management - Vegetation management (other than forest products)	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2007	Expected:05/2007	09/2007	Randall Scarlett 541-427-5381 rscarlett@fs.fed.us	
	<b>Description:</b> Treatment of 12 aspen stands to include thinning conifer ingrowth from approximately 15 acres and constructing buck and pole fences around approximately 10 acres of those stands that do not currently have fencing					
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Heppler Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Wheeler. LEGAL - Sec., 5 and 14 of T 7 S, R 25 E and Sec., 12 of T 7 S, R 24 E Willamette Meridian. The project area is about 20 miles southwest of Heppler, OR and 10 miles north of Spray, OR..					
<b>Wildcat Fuels and Vegetation Management Project</b> EA	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Forest products	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/02/2007 Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 08/2007	Expected:09/2007	04/2008	Janet Plocharsky 541-676-2148 jlplocharsky@fs.fed.us	
	<b>Description:</b> The purpose of this project is to improve the vigor, health and fire resistance within the forested ecosystem.					
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Heppler Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Morrow. LEGAL - T 5 S, R 27 and R 28 E and T 6 S, R 27 and 28 E, Willamette Meridian. Project area is about 18 miles south of Heppler, generally area is south of Texas Butte, east of FS Road 2120, and west of FS Rd 2110 .					

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<b>Umatilla National Forest North Fork John Day Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>					
<b>Big Creek Trail Bridge Replacement</b> CE	- Recreation management	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/01/2006	Expected:06/2007	07/2007	Janel Lacey 541-427-5394 jlacey@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Replace the existing broken-down bridge with a new bridge that would be accessible to foot and stock traffic. The bridge frame would be steel, with wood decking and fencing.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Grant. LEGAL - T7S R33E section 13. Bridge connects trailhead on Forest Road 5506 to North Fork John Day River Trail #3022, crossing Big Creek..				
<b>Blue Mountain Adventures Special Use Permit</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management - Recreation management	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/01/2007	Expected:05/2007	06/2007	Karla Gallegos 541-427-5336 kgallegos@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Issue Temporary Outfitter Guide Permit for archery and rifle season to perform a guided service for big game hunters in the North Fork John Day Wilderness. Permit will involve 3 camps & up to 8 hunters per season with associated stock.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Grant. LEGAL - T8S R34E Sec 3 & T8S R35 1/2 Sec 10 . North Fork John Day Wilderness.				
<b>Catherine Freer Wilderness Therapy Programs Outfitter/ Guide Permit</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management - Recreation management	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/01/2007	Expected:04/2007	06/2007	Karla Gallegos 541-427-5336 kgallegos@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Issue an Outfitter /Guide Special Use Permit for guided therapeutic backpacking trips for at-risk adolescents. a three week and a one week trip are planned prior to hunting seasons when no other permittees are active with clients.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Grant. LEGAL - T8S R35 1/2 E Sec 4, 15, 33 & T7S R 35E Sec 1,29, 12. North Fork John Day Wilderness.				
<b>Dale Building Disposal</b> CE	- Facility management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Eric Geisler 541-427-3231 egeisler@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Eliminate buildings at the Dale Compound. Buildings would be removed from the site, and the building footprints restored to productive land (foundations removed, holes filled, sites seeded/planted with trees.)				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Grant. LEGAL - T7S, R31E, sections 1 and 2. Forest Service living quarters at Dale Compound.				

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<b>Umatilla National Forest North Fork John Day Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>					
<b>FY 07 NFJD District Post and Pole Areas</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Forest products	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/22/2007	Expected:04/2007	05/2007	Eric Geisler 541-427-3231 egeisler@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Remove slow growing, overcrowded lodgepole pine in order to improve stand health, promote regeneration of a new stand, and meet public demand for post and pole material (100 MBF)				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Grant, Morrow, Umatilla. District Wide.				
<b>FY 07 North Fork John Day District Firewood Program</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management - Fuels management - Forest products	In Progress: Scoping Start 01/15/2004	Expected:04/2007	04/2007	Eric Geisler 541-427-3231 egeisler@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> remove dead trees, provide personal & commercial use firewood throughout the District within 300 feet of roads. Reduce fuel loads & hazard trees along roads Not in active timber sales, Dedicated Old Growth, Grande Ronde drainage, or the wilderness.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Grant, Morrow, Umatilla. District Wide.				
<b>Falls/Meadowbrook Vegetation Management Project</b> EA	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Forest products	In Progress: Scoping Start 12/01/2005 Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 06/2007	Expected:06/2007	09/2007	Janel Lacey 541-427-5394 jlacey@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The purpose of the Falls/Meadowbrook Vegetation Management project is to improve vigor, health, and fire resistance in about 6,800 acres of upland ecosystems.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Grant. LEGAL - Township 5-8 South, Range 29-32 East, Willamette Meridian Surveyed. Approximately 10-15 miles southwest of Ukiah, OR.				
<b>Flat Timber Sale</b> CE	- Forest products	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/24/2006	Expected:06/2007	07/2007	Eric Geisler 541-427-3231 egeisler@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Use commercial thinning primarily along with prescribed fire and non-commercial thinning on 70-acre parcel to improve stand health.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Umatilla. LEGAL - 70 acres located within T.4S., R.33E., Section 36, E 1/2. South of FS Road 5916, in the vicinity of FS roads 5916-085 and 5916-087.				

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<b>Umatilla National Forest North Fork John Day Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>					
<b>Frazier Septic System Replacement</b> CE	- Facility management	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/07/2006	Expected:05/2007	05/2007	Janel Lacey 541-427-5394 jlacey@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Install a new septic and dosing tank at Frazier Helibase. Bury 600 ft. of pipe, construct a disposal bed, and replace existing lift station and pump. There would be less than 1 acre of total ground disturbance.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Umatilla. LEGAL - T5N, R33E, Section 2 . Frazier Helibase.				
<b>Hidaway C&amp;H Allotment Management Project</b> EA	- Grazing management	In Progress: 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 11/17/2006	Expected:09/2007	01/2008	Thomas Thompson 541-427-5365 tdthompson@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Authorization for the continued grazing of the Hidaway allotment				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Umatilla, Union. LEGAL - Township 5&6 South, Range 33-34 East, Willamette Meridian Surveyed. Approximately 14 miles east of Ukiah, OR.				
<b>Hutchison On/Off Allotment</b> CE	- Grazing management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 03/2007	Expected:05/2007	07/2007	Eric Geisler 541-427-3231 egeisler@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Re-authorize a maximum of 7 cattle on a 2 pasture allotment from July 5 through September 20. The National Forest portion of the allotment contains 208 acres.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Umatilla. LEGAL - R30E, T4S, section 25. 6 miles northwest of Ukiah OR.				
<b>Hwy 395 Fence Project</b> CE  *NEW LISTING*	- Grazing management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2007	Expected:07/2007	08/2007	Thomas Thompson 541-427-5365 tdthompson@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Build 5 miles new fence				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Grant. Hwy 395- 5 miles south of Dale, Oregon.				

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<b>Umatilla National Forest North Fork John Day Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>					
<b>Lower Granite Area Mining Projects</b> EIS	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: DEIS NOA in Federal Register 06/26/2002 Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 03/2008	Expected:06/2008	09/2008	Karla Gallegos 541-426-5336 kgallegos@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Analyze existing and proposed mining plans of operations for active mining operations within the Lower Granite Creek Watershed. A Draft EIS was released July 26, 2002. Due to changes that have occurred since, a NEW Draft EIS is being prepared				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/r6/uma/projects/readroom/">http://www.fs.fed.us/r6/uma/projects/readroom/</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Grant. LEGAL - T8-10S R35&35 1/2E. Granite Creek Watershed.					
<b>Matlock Allotment Grazing Analysis</b> CE  *NEW LISTING*	- Grazing management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2007	Expected:09/2007	06/2008	Thomas Thompson 541-427-5365 tdthompson@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Authorize 315 Cow/calf pairs between June 11 and September 30 on a rotatating schedule				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Morrow, Umatilla. LEGAL - T5S R30W Sec 26-35, T6S R30E Sec 1, 2, 12, 13, T5S R29E Sec 25-27, 34-36. Matlock and Five mile watersheds 13 iles SW of Ukiah, Oregon in Umatilla and Morrow Counties.				
<b>McDonald Springs On/Off Allotment</b> CE	- Grazing management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 03/2007	Expected:05/2007	07/2007	Eric Geisler 541-427-3231 egeisler@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Re-authorize a maximum of 6 cattle on a 1 pasture allotment from July 16 through August 15. The National Forest portion of the allotment contains 40 acres.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Umatilla. LEGAL - R31E, T4S section 3, NW 1/4, NE 1/4 . Approximately 10 miles north of Ukiah OR.				
<b>Park Underburn</b> CE	- Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/22/2007	Expected:04/2007	05/2007	Scott McDonald 541-427-5376 smcdonald01@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> This project would burn debris created during the Park III non-commercial thinning project. Prescribed fire would be applied on approximately 201 acres using hand-held or ATV-mounted drip torches. Treated stands would remain fully stocked.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Grant. LEGAL - T7S R33E, section 31. West of Park Meadow in the Kelsey Subwatershed.				

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<b>Umatilla National Forest North Fork John Day Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>		<b>R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>			
<b>Skull Timber Sale</b> CE	- Forest products	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/24/2006	Expected:04/2007	07/2007	Eric Geisler 541-427-3231 egeisler@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> This project would use a combination of commercial thinning and salvage of pockets of mortality on 70 acres to improve stand health. Connected activities would include prescribed burning of activity-created debris and reforestation.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Umatilla. LEGAL - T6S., R32E., Sections 9, 10, 15, 16. South of road 52, in the vicinity of roads 5209 and 5212..				
<b>Thompson Flat Grazing Allotment Analysis</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Grazing management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2007	Expected:08/2007	06/2008	Thomas Thompson 541-427-5365 tdthompson@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Authorize a maximum of 162 Cow/ Calf pairs from June 6 through September 25 through a grazing permit.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Fork John Day Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Morrow, Umatilla. LEGAL - T6S R29E Sec 1-3, 10-15, 22-24, 26-28, T5S R29E Sec 27, 28, 33, 34, 35. Thompson Flat 13 miles SW of Ukiah Oregon in both Umatilla and Morrow Counties.				

<b>Umatilla National Forest Pomeroy Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>		<b>R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>			
<b>Coombs Canyon Fuels Reduction Project</b> CE	- Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 11/30/2006	Expected:06/2007	09/2007	Tara Hanger 509-843-4676 thanger@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> To reduce ladder fuels to help reduce crown fire activity, overall reduction by thinning from below, and using prescribed fire to reduce risk of catastrophic wildfire and fire intensity. HFI project. CE Category 10				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pomeroy Ranger District. STATE - Washington. COUNTY - Asotin. LEGAL - T8N, R44E, Sections 26-28 and 33-35; T7N, R44E, Sections 2-5 and 10. 1,000 acres of thinning and 1,600 acres of prescribed burning.				

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<b>Elk Flats Wenaha Breaks Research Natural Area</b> EA	- Special area management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jean Wood (541) 278-3931 jwood@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Formally designate area as a Research Natural Area				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pomeroy Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Wallowa. 1970 acres located in the Wenaha-Tucannon Wilderness.				
<b>North South ORV Trail</b> EA	- Recreation management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Richard Martin (509) 843-4671 ramartin@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Construct 29-mile ORV Trail from Forest boundary on Road 40 to Forest boundary on Road 4304. To offer users a safe recreational trail opportunity.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pomeroy Ranger District. STATE - Washington. COUNTY - Asotin, Garfield. LEGAL - T9N, R42E, Sections 4, 9, 16-17, 20, 32; T8N, R42E, Sections 5, 8,9,15, 22, 23, 25, & 36; T8N, R43E, Sections 29, 31, 32, 34, & 36; T7N, R44E, Sections 2-6. Approximately 29 miles.				
<b>Personal Use Firewood Program 2007</b> CE	- Forest products	Completed	Actual: 03/27/2007	05/2007	Billy Bowles 509-843-4673 bbowles@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Gathering of fuelwood for personal use.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pomeroy Ranger District. STATE - Washington, Oregon. COUNTY - Wallowa, Asotin, Columbia, Garfield. District wide.				
<b>Personal Use Post and Poles - 2007 Program</b> CE	- Forest products	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/06/2007	Expected:04/2007	05/2007	Billy Bowles 509-843-4673 bbowles@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Removal of green lodgepole pine not larger than 7 inches dbh; and dead lodgepole pine with no size limit for personal use purposes.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pomeroy Ranger District. STATE - Washington. COUNTY - Garfield. LEGAL - Iron - T9N., R42E., Sec. 33; Bear-T8N., R42E., Sec. 9; Big Bull -T9N., R43E., Sec. 28; and Lick-T8N., R42E., Sec. 4.. Iron Pole Area (3 acres); Bear Pole Area (8 acres); Big Bull Pole Area (4 acres) and Lick Pole Area (1 acre)..				

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<b>Pole Manger S-Curve Realignment Project</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Road management	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/14/2007	Expected:05/2007	06/2007	Kenneth Bott 509-843-4641 kbott@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Adjust and realign a 1300-foot section S-curve of Forest Road 40. Work includes clearing, culvert installation, crushed aggregate surfacing, and removal of shade trees. All disturbed areas would be revegetated with native species.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pomeroy Ranger District. STATE - Washington. COUNTY - Garfield. Portion of T9N., R42E., Section 29.				
<b>Pomeroy Ranger District 2007 Non-Commercial Thinning Project</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Fuels management - Vegetation management (other than forest products)	In Progress: 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 02/13/2007	Expected:05/2007	06/2007	William Lydie 509-843-4662 wlydie@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Non-commercial thinning of 20-year old trees at 18' x 18' spacing leaving 135 trees/acre. Nine units totaling approximately 170 acres would be thinned. Units are located in the central and eastern portions of the district.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pomeroy Ranger District. STATE - Washington. COUNTY - Asotin, Garfield. T8N.,R42E., Sections 4, 5, 10, and 29. Along forest roads 4000000, 4200000, 4200163, 4200163, 4000240, and 4300131..				
<b>Red Hill Prescribed Fire</b> CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Fuels management	Completed	Actual: 03/27/2007	10/2007	Tara Hanger 509-843-4676 thanger@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Reduce ground fuels in Red Hill timber sale units and reduce natural fuel build-up in surrounding area. Reduction in fuel would lessen risk of wildfire, improve suppression capabilities and improve fire-fighter safety.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pomeroy Ranger District. STATE - Washington. COUNTY - Asotin. LEGAL - T8N, R44E, Section 28-31 and T8N, R43E, Sections 25 and 36. Approximately 226 acres. Project is adjacent to Cloverland Sno-park, east of Forest road 43 (Smoothing Iron)..				
<b>School Fire Salvage Recovery Project (Supplemental EIS)</b> EIS  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Forest products	In Progress: NOI in Federal Register 02/26/2007 Est. DEIS NOA in Federal Register 03/2007	Expected:06/2007	07/2007	Dean Millett 509-843-4644 dmillett@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Supplemental EIS. To amend the Forest Plan to modify the Eastside Screens wildlife standard at 6d. (2) (a) to define both live and dead trees. This amendment applies to, and only for the duration, of School Fire Salvage Recovery Project				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pomeroy Ranger District. STATE - Washington. COUNTY - Columbia, Garfield. School Fire Salvage Recovery Project Area.				

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<b>Umatilla National Forest Pomeroy Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>		
<b>South Fork Prescribed Fire Project</b> CE	- Fuels management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Tara Hanger 509-843-4676 thanger@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> A fuels reduction project that includes landscape prescribed burning with some mechanical ladder fuel reduction to reduce the risk of wildfire and fire intensity. HFI project. CE Category 10				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pomeroy Ranger District. STATE - Washington. COUNTY - Asotin. LEGAL - T8N, R43E, Sections 1, 2, 10-15, 21-28 and 33-36; T8N, R44E, Sections 6, 7, 18, 19, 30 and 31; and T9N, R43E, Section 35. Approximately 4,500 acres of prescribed burning and 920 acres of mechanical activities.				
<b>Stentz Springs Recreation Residence Tract 15</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 12/04/2006	Expected:07/2007	07/2007	Kenneth Bott 509-843-4641 kbott@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Construct a new 28 x 36 cabin with a 10 x 19 covered deck in the approximately the same area as previous cabin, install new 10 x 12 woodshed, dig trench for water system, and replace line to septic tank.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pomeroy Ranger District. STATE - Washington. COUNTY - Garfield. LEGAL - T9N., R42E., Section 29. Stentz Springs Recreational Residence Tract .				
<b>Teal Campground</b> CE	- Facility management - Recreation management	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/13/2007	Expected:05/2007	06/2007	Richard Martin 509-843-4671 ramartin@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Replace bulletin board, place fire rings and picnic tables,that meet ADA requirements, reseal shelter, concrete sidewalk to outhouse, surface access roads and parking spurs with aggregate, and facility maintenance.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pomeroy Ranger District. STATE - Washington. COUNTY - Garfield. LEGAL - T8N, R42E, Section 8. 8 campsites - 5 acres.				
<b>Teal Fire Salvage Recovery Project</b> CE  *NEW LISTING*	- Road management - Forest products	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/20/2007 Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 04/2007	Expected:05/2007	08/2007	Dean Millett 509-843-4644 dmillett@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Salvage fire killed trees from approximately 250 acres. All units would be yarded by conventional ground based systems. Two short temporary roads would be constructed measuring less than 0.5 mile. Danger trees would be felled along approx. 20 miles.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pomeroy Ranger District. STATE - Washington. COUNTY - Columbia, Garfield. Section 36, T.9N., R41E., ; Section1, T8N., R41E.; Sections 31 and 32, T9N., R42E.; and Sections 5, 6, 8,9, 15, 16, 23, and 26, T8N., R42E..				

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<b>Umatilla National Forest</b>	<b>Walla Walla Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>	
<b>Black Mountain RAWs Relocation</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Facility management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2007	Expected:06/2007	08/2007	Glen Westlund 509-522-6009 gwestlund@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Moving the station a quarter mile to a location that provides a better measure of prevailing weather and require less clearing of vegetation than maintaining the station at its current site.					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walla Walla Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Umatilla. LEGAL - T. 1 N. R. 37 E. section 6. South side of Black Mountain on the Walla Walla District.					
<b>Jasper Salvage Timber Sale</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Road management - Forest products	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/08/2007 Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 04/2007	Expected:05/2007	08/2007	Dean Millett 509-843-4644 dmillett@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Salvage fire killed trees from approx. 250 acres using skyline yarding and a forwarder with a mechanical harvester.. Danger trees along the haul route would be removed. Less than 0.5 mile of temporary road construction would be needed.					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walla Walla Ranger District. STATE - Washington. COUNTY - Columbia. Portions of T7N., R39E., Sec. 1,2,11,14, & 23; T7N., R40E., Sec. 6; and T8N., R40E., Sec. 19, 20, 29-32.					
<b>Mill Creek SNOTEL Special Use Permit</b> CE	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 03/16/2007	10/2007	Glen Westlund 509-522-6009 gwestlund@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Instalation of a new SNOTEL site and modification of existing SNOTEL permit to include this new site.					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walla Walla Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Wallowa. LEGAL - sec 21, T6N, R39N.. Southwest of the Milk Shakes off FR 6400.					
<b>Recreational Residence Permit Re-issuance</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management - Recreation management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2007	Expected:05/2007	05/2007	Jeff Bloom 509-522-6277 jhbloom@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Re-issue of 98 existing permits on the Forest					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walla Walla Ranger District. STATE - Washington, Oregon. COUNTY - Umatilla, Union, Columbia, Garfield. LEGAL - Forest Wide. Rose Spring, Little Turkey, and Stentz Spring on Pomeroy; Spout Springs and Tollgate on Walla Walla; and Frazier and Pearson on North Fork John Day.					

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<b>Umatilla National Forest Walla Walla Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>		
<b>Restoration of Fish Passage in Meacham Creek</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Watershed management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2007	Expected:06/2007	07/2007	Glen Westlund 509-522-6009 gwestlund@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Lower the height of two dams and construct rock weirs for grade control so the height of drop would be 6 inches or less to allow the passage of juvenile fish.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walla Walla Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Umatilla. LEGAL - T. 1 S. R. 36 E sec 14 and T. 1 N. R. 36 E. sec 9. Two sites one in Meacham Creek near the East Fork and the other in Camp Creek near Duncan Cabin..				
<b>Snake Timber Sale</b> CE	- Fuels management - Forest products	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Glen Westlund 509-522-6009 gwestlund@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Commercially thin approximately 65 acres, 400 mbf, of timber and masticate slash and surface fuels to reduce stocking levels and potential catastrophic damage to the stands when landscape prescribed fire is used below the units.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walla Walla Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Wallowa. LEGAL - Approximately 3.5 miles west of Troy, Oregon above the break in slope into the Wenaha River. . T. 6N. R. 42E. section 36.				
<b>Table Springs Prescribed Fire Project</b> CE	- Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 06/15/2006	Expected:05/2007	10/2007	Amber Mahoney 509-522-6026 amahoney@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Approximately 4,000 acres of landscape prescribed fire treating a stands of ponderosa pine with some Douglas-fir and grand fir with a grass understory. Blacklines would be created by hand followed be aerial ignitions using a helicopter.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walla Walla Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Umatilla. LEGAL - T.4 N. R. 38 E. sec. 2, 3, 4, and 5; T. 5 N. R 38 E. secs. 33, 34, and 35.. South Fork Walla Walla River between Skiphorton Creek and Bear Creek.				
<b>Tollgate Utility Lines Special Use Permits Renewal</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 05/01/2006	Expected:04/2007	06/2007	Jeff Bloom 509-522-6277 jhbloom@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Renewal of special use permits for existing buried fiber optics line, buried phone line, and overhead power line.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walla Walla Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Umatilla, Union. LEGAL - Along and within 1/4 mile of Oregon State Highway 204. T4N, R38E secs 4, 10, 15; T3N, R38E secs 23, 25, 26 and 35; T2N R38E secs 2, 11, 14.				

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<b>Walla Walla 2007 Noncommercial thinning</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2007	Expected:07/2007	09/2007	John Mitchell 509-522-6044 jdmitchell@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Walla Walla District proposes to conduct stocking level control by noncommercial thinning on 1363 acres starting in Fall 2007.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walla Walla Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Umatilla, Union, Wallowa. LEGAL - The proposed project is located throughout the Ranger District. District wide.				
<b>Walla Walla Columbia Complex Reforestation</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2007	Expected:07/2007	10/2007	Betsy Kaiser 509-522-6056 bkaiser@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Tree planting on approximately 3,620 acres.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walla Walla Ranger District. STATE - Washington. COUNTY - Columbia. LEGAL - T 7N R 39E Sec 1, 2, 11, 12, 13, 14, 23, T 7N R. 40E Sec 5, 6, T. 8N R. 40E Sec 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33. Chase Mountain Area of the Walla Walla District.				

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