



## Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

04/01/2007 to 06/30/2007

### Umpqua National Forest

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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>Diamond Drive Reconstruction (formerly West Cascade Exploration Route Link)</b>  EA	- Road management - Recreation management	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Debbie Anderson 541-957-3466 danderson01@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> This project would provide a safe, scenic route from Oakridge to Highway 138 for passenger cars, bicycles, and RVs that would meet the criteria for designation as a Scenic Byway. Byway would expand recreational driving opportunities.					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Diamond Lake Ranger District, Middle Fork Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas, Lane. LEGAL - T.24, 25, 25-1/2, and 26S., R.5, 5-1/2 and 6E.. Diamond Drive; from Oakridge OR, south to Highway 138.					

Umpqua National Forest	Cottage Grove Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)	R6 - Pacific Northwest Region
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<b>Umpqua National Forest Cottage Grove Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>		
<b>Curran Junetta Timber Sale</b> EA	- Forest products	In Progress: Scoping Start 01/08/2007 Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 06/2007	Expected:06/2007	11/2007	Suzanne Schindler 541-767-5040 sschindler@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The proposal is to commercially thin approximately 1236 acres of second growth forest and treat the fuels in the Curran and Junetta Creek drainages. Associated road work would occur, along with other connected actions.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cottage Grove Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Lane. LEGAL - All or portions of T20S, R01E, section 31; T21S, R01E, sections 5,6,7,8,9,16,17 and 18.. This project is located in the Curran and Junetta Creek drainages of the Layng Creek Watershed..				
<b>District Pre-Commercial Thinning</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2007	Expected:05/2007	06/2007	Paul Higgins 541-767-5043 pfhiggins@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Pre-commercial thinning of approximately 4000 acres of managed timber stands from 2007 through 2011.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cottage Grove Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Lane. Twelve to twenty-two year old plantations districtwide..				

<b>Umpqua National Forest Diamond Lake Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>		
<b>Diamond Lake Hazardous Fuels Phase II</b> CE	- Fuels management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Special area management	In Progress: 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 03/20/2007	Expected:04/2007	07/2007	Stuart Carlson 541-498-2531 slcarlson@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Manage fuels on approximately 400 acres in the Diamond Lake Recreational Composite including the following treatments: handpiling, covering , and burning of dead and down fuel concentrations, chipping of fuels, and some prescribed burning and PCT.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Diamond Lake Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. Multiple locations within the Diamond Lake Recreation Area.				

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<b>Leap Timber Sale</b> EA  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Forest products - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 05/2007	Expected:11/2007	01/2008	Debbie Anderson 541-957-3466 danderson01@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> This project proposes thinning about 600 acres of natural stands on the Diamond Lake RD. The area is in elk winter range near Thorne Prairie. Treating of slash and other connected actions will also occur.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Diamond Lake Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - All or portions of T26S, R3E, Section 1; T26S, R4E, Secs 7, 9, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18.. Natural stands in and around Thorne Prairie and Mountain Meadows..				
<b>Lemolo Wetlands Creation</b> CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Jeff Bohler 541-498-2531 jbohler@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> This project will create impoundments to trap water from rain and snowmelt that will provide important amphibian habitat in areas that are currently not occupied by amphibians.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Diamond Lake Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - T26S R5E Sections 1, 25. North of Bunker Hill and near Elbow Butte.				
<b>Osprey Point Thinning Timber Sale</b> CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Special area management - Fuels management - Forest products	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Richard Abbott 541-498-2531 rabbott@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Commercial thinning in a natural stand of timber to reduce hazardous fuels buildups in Fire Regime 1 while also improving the health and vigor of the residual trees including Ponderosa pine.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Diamond Lake Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - Portions of T26S R4E Section 19. North of Toketee Lake and north-east of the 34/3401 road junction.				
<b>PacifiCorp Communications Site Special Use Permit (SUP)</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2007	Expected:04/2008	06/2008	James O'Dowd 541-957-3354 jodowd@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> PacifiCorp has applied for a special-use permit to construct a Communication Site on NFS land located along Watson Ridge of the Diamond Lake RD. This site will provide a means to communicate remotely in near real-time with the control center.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Diamond Lake Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - SW 1/4 of Section 28, T. 26 S., R. 4 E., W.M.. Umpqua National Forest, Diamond Lake R.D., Douglas County, Oregon; located on Watson Ridge..				

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<b>Umpqua National Forest Diamond Lake Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>		
<b>Roundup Thinning Timber Sale</b> CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Watershed management - Fuels management - Forest products	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Richard Abbott 541-498-2531 rabbott@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Commercial thinning in a natural stand of timber to reduce hazardous fuels buildups in Fire Regime 1 while also improving the health and vigor of the residual trees including Ponderosa pine.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Diamond Lake Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - T26S R4E Sections 17, 18, 19, 20. Two miles northeast of the Lemolo II Forebay and just east of the junction of the 34 and 3402 roads.				
<b>Upper North Umpqua Anadromous Fish Spawning Habitat Restoration</b> CE *NEW LISTING*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2007	Expected:09/2007	07/2008	Craig Street 541-498-2531 cstreet@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Improvement of existing spawning habitat in the Upper Slide Creek Bypass Reach of the North Umpqua River through gravel augmentation.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Diamond Lake Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - T26S, R3E, Section 27, 28, 21. Upper Slide Creek Bypass Reach of the North Umpqua River..				
<b>Wetland Improvements FY 2007</b> CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Special area management	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Jeff Bohler 541-498-2531 jbohler@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> This project will use explosives to create potholes in existing wetlands near Stump Lake and the "Stink Hole" near Toketee Lake. Creation of potholes will improve habitat components for Western Pond Turtles as well as many other species of wildlife.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Diamond Lake Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - T27S R5E Section 6 and T26S R3E Section 36. Wetlands near Stump Lake south of Highway 138, and wetlands near the "Stink Hole" located adjacent to Toketee Lake.				

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<b>Wildlife Habitat Improvements FY 2007</b> CE	- Watershed management - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Special area management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/01/2006 Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 08/2007	Expected:09/2007	10/2007	Jeff Bohler 541-498-2531 jbohler@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> This project will utilize mowing to improve and create big game "food plots" within existing managed stands (plantations) in Big Game Winter Range Areas in the Fish Creek Desert and Mowich areas. Restoration work will also occur at Toolbox Meadows.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Diamond Lake Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - Multiple project locations on the Diamond Lake Ranger District. Fish Creek Desert, Mowich and Toolbox Meadows.				
<b>Winter Snowparks</b> CE	- Recreation management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/01/2006 Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 05/2007	Expected:06/2007	10/2007	Stuart Carlson 541-498-2531 slcarlson@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Expand the parking areas at two snowparks and installation of a vault toilet at one snowpark in the Diamond Lake area. These snowparks are used by people who participate in both non-motorized and motorized activities.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Diamond Lake Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - Multiple project locations in the vicinity of Diamond Lake. . The two snowparks are located at: Three Lakes, and Cinnamon.				

<b>Umpqua National Forest North Umpqua Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>		
<b>Century-Tel phone line</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 01/02/2007	Expected:04/2007	07/2007	Ron McMullin 541-496-3532 rgmcmullin@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Bury phone line to private residence along the inboard ditch line along the lower 1 mile of Forest Road 4770.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Umpqua Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - T 26 S, R 02 E, Sec 22, 27. North Umpqua Ranger District, Forest Road 4770.				

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<b>Umpqua National Forest</b>	<b>North Umpqua Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>	
<b>Illahee Flats Meadow Maintenance Project</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2007	Expected:06/2007	10/2007	Sherri Chambers 541-496-3532 schambers@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Maintain/restore meadow habitat by reducing tree/shrub encroachment into the meadow and promoting the health and vigor of Oregon white oak trees on the meadow's edge. Reduction in hazardous fuels adjacent to private property.					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Umpqua Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - T26S, R2E, Sections 21 and 22, Willamette Meridian, Douglas County, Oregon.. The Illahee Flats Meadow Maintenance project area is located within the Middle North Umpqua 5th field and Illahee Facial 6th field watersheds on the North Umpqua Ranger District..					
<b>Re-issue existing communication special use permit for Chilcoot Mtn.</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 01/02/2007	Expected:09/2007	01/2008	Ron McMullin 541-496-3532 rgmcmullin@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Re-issue existing communication special use permit for Chilcoot Mtn for a 10 year duration.					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Umpqua Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - T25S, R01E, Sec 6. North Umpqua Ranger District.					
<b>Tugboat LSR Thinning Project</b> EA	- Fuels management - Forest products - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/16/2006 Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 04/2007	Expected:06/2007	08/2007	Debbie Anderson 541-957-3466 danderson01@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> The project proposes commercially thinning about 1700 acres of 40+ year old managed plantations in the Steamboat watershed to improve LSR habitat. Includes road work, fuel breaks, and other connected actions.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/r6/umpqua/projects/projects.shtml">http://www.fs.fed.us/r6/umpqua/projects/projects.shtml</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Umpqua Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas, Lane. LEGAL - T23S, R3E, Sec. 22, 23, 25-29, 32-36; T24S, R3E, Sec. 6, 7, 18; T24S, R2E, Sec. 1-5, 8-35; T25S, R3E, Sec 6-8, 17, 18; T25S, R2E, Sec. 1-22, 26, 27; T25S, R1E, Sec. 1, 11-14, 23-26.. Steamboat Watershed, North Umpqua Ranger District, Umpqua National Forest.					

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<b>Youtlkut Pillars Trail</b> CE	- Recreation management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 06/2007	Expected:09/2007	06/2008	Steve Anderson 406-758-5255 sjanderson01@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Project would construct 500 feet of trail using hand tools from base of Youtlkut Pillars to the top. Currently, there is a "scramble" trail that is not safe and is causing excessive ground disturbance.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - North Umpqua Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - T.27S., R.1E., Section 14, NW 1/4. Youtlkut Pillars.				

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<b>Umpqua National Forest Tiller Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>		
<b>Brownie Creek Restoration</b> CE	- Watershed management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/19/2007	Expected:05/2007	07/2007	Calib Baldwin 541-825-3133 ctbaldwin@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Restore salmon and steelhead habitat by placing wood and rocks in Brownie Creek in partnership with private property owners.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Tiller Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - T31S., R2W, Section 1, 20 and 31.. Tiller Ranger District, Oregon, Douglas County, Brownie Creek.				
<b>CDE #1</b> CE	- Minerals and Geology	Completed	Actual: 03/08/2007	06/2007	Wes Yamamoto 541-825-3150 wyamamoto@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Drill no more than 50 2 = inch by 8 feet deep holes into the surface of RD 2929-905 using a small, mobile drill to test for minerals. This road is currently closed to general public use and is located within a valid mining claim.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Tiller Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - LEGAL: T.29S, R.1W, Sec. 23 W.M. RD 2929-905 on Collins Ridge. . Location: UNIT: Tiller Ranger District STATE: Oregon COUNTY: Douglas .				
<b>Devils Knob Fuel Break</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/19/2007 Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 08/2007	Expected:09/2007	12/2007	Robert Marshall 541-825-3122 rwmarrshall@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Create a 300 foot shaded fuel break along Forest Service Roads 1610, 1610-050, 1610-100, and 1610-500 providing fire protection to the devils knob community located in the Drew area.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Tiller Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - Legal: T. 31S R1W S1, 2, 11, 12 and T. 31S R1E S6, 7 and T. 30S R1W S35, 36. Tiller Ranger District (11061502).				

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<b>Drew Vegetation Management</b> EA	- Fuels management - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Forest products	Completed	Actual: 02/28/2007	04/2007	Robert Nichols 541-825-3201 renichols@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Oak woodland restoration and fuels management through thinning and commercial harvest of ingrowth in meadow complexes and areas of wildland "urban" interface private properties in the Joe Hall subwatershed of Elk Creek.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Tiller Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - T. 31S, R. 1W, Sec 7-9 and 15-22.. Joe Hall subwatershed of Elk Creek in the Drew Community.				
<b>Quartz Creek Bridge Repair</b> CE	- Road management	Completed	Actual: 01/30/2007	09/2008	Wes Yamamoto 541-825-3150 wyamamoto@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Management of road and bridge condition to repair bridge.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Tiller Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - T. 29S, R. 1E, Sec 1. Quartz Creek Bridge.				
<b>RD 2719-900 Closure</b> CE	- Road management	In Progress: Scoping Start 11/30/2006	Expected:04/2007	09/2007	Wes Yamamoto 541-825-3150 wyamamoto@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Closure of approximately 4000-feet of RD 2917-900, starting at MP 2.8 to the end of the road, due to road damage.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Tiller Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - LEGAL: T.29S, R.1W, Sec. 1 & 12; T.29S, R.1E, Sec. 6 W.M. RD 2917-900 in Pinnacle Creek. Location: UNIT: Tiller Ranger District STATE: Oregon COUNTY: Douglas .				
<b>RD 2800 MP 8.5 Repair (DM)</b> CE	- Road management	Completed	Actual: 02/28/2007	06/2007	Wes Yamamoto 541-825-3150 wyamamoto@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Project Description: Excavate and reconstruct the existing fill, followed by asphalt surfacing.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Tiller Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - LEGAL: T.30S, R.1W, Sec. 4. W.M. RD 2800 MP 8.5, between Sam Creek and Dry Creek.. Location: UNIT: Tiller Ranger District STATE: Oregon COUNTY: Douglas .				

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<b>Umpqua National Forest Tiller Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R6 - Pacific Northwest Region</b>		
<b>RD 2900 MP 2.75 Rock Scaling</b> CE	- Road management	Completed	Actual: 02/20/2007	06/2007	Wes Yamamoto 541-825-3150 wyamamoto@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Scale loose rocks on a steep sideslope above RD 2900 at MP 2.75				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Tiller Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - LEGAL: T.30S, R.1W, Sec. 21. W.M. RD 2900 MP 2.75, between Chapman Creek and Nichols Creek.. Location: UNIT: Tiller Ranger District STATE: Oregon COUNTY: Douglas .				
<b>RD 3231-300 MP 1.61 Decommission</b> CE	- Road management	In Progress: Scoping Start 11/30/2006	Expected:04/2007	09/2007	Wes Yamamoto 541-825-3150 wyamamoto@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Decommission a 600-foot segment of RD 3231-300 due to severe road damage. Access would be maintained from each end of the road to the abandoned segment.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Tiller Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - T.32S, R.3W, Sec. 21 W.M. RD 3231-300 MP 1.61 in Dismal Creek within the Cow Creek drainage.. UNIT: Tiller Ranger District STATE: Oregon COUNTY: Douglas .				
<b>Salmon Monitoring Project</b> CE	- Watershed management	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/19/2007	Expected:09/2007	11/2007	Calib Baldwin 541-825-3133 ctbaldwin@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Construction of two small steel towers at the smolt monitoring site in Jackson Creek and South Umpqua. These towers will increase safety and allow for use of the traps earlier in the spring for more effective monitoring.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Tiller Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - T29S, R1W Section 33 and T30S, R1W Section 31.. Tiller Ranger District, Oregon, Douglas County, Jackson Creek and South Umpqua River.				
<b>Upper South Umpqua Restoration</b> CE	- Watershed management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/19/2007	Expected:05/2007	08/2007	Calib Baldwin 541-825-3133 ctbaldwin@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Restore salmon and steelhead habitat by placing wood and large rocks in the Upper South Umpqua River.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Tiller Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - T29S, R1E, Section 31 and T28S, R2E, Section 31. Tiller Ranger District, Oregon, Douglas County, Upper South Umpqua River.				

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