



Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

10/01/2019 to 12/31/2019

Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest

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

Project Name	Project Purpose	Planning Status	Decision	Expected Implementation	Project Contact
Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)					R1 - Northern Region
Abandoned Mine Lands Closures - Forestwide CE *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/11/2017	Expected:12/2019	05/2020	Rebecca Anderson 208-476-8351 rebeccaanderson@fs.fed.us
	Description: Permanently close open shafts and/or adits at abandoned mine sites for public safety while maintaining wildlife (bat) habitat and the historical integrity of the sites. Method(s) used to the close sites will vary, depending on the conditions present.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52457				
Location: UNIT - Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest All Units. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Clearwater, Idaho, Latah. LEGAL - Not Applicable. T43N, R1W, Sec. 31; T35N, R6E, Sec. 3; T33N, R7E, Sec. 11; T29N, R9E, Sec. 34; T29N, R5E, Sec. 19; T28N, R7E, Sec. 35; T27N, R8E, Sec. 19; T25N, R4E, Sec. 7; Clearwater, Idaho, Latah Cos., Idaho.					
New Kamiah Supervisor's Office EA *UPDATED*	- Facility management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 07/06/2019	Expected:10/2019	01/2020	Travis Mechling 208-476-4541 tmechling@fs.fed.us
	Description: Construct a new office on FS administrative site: relocate the 2 annexes adjacent to the bunkhouse; construct new SO building, parking areas for employee/public and fleet security, and an access path & road linking lower and upper portions of site.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56256				
Location: UNIT - Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest All Units. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Lewis. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township 33 North, Range 3 East, Section 1; Kamiah, Lewis County, Idaho.					

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Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)					R1 - Northern Region
Nez Perce-Clearwater NFs Forest Plan Revision EIS *UPDATED*	- Land management planning	In Progress: NOI in Federal Register 07/15/2014 Est. DEIS NOA in Federal Register 12/2019	Expected:07/2021	07/2021	Zachary Peterson 208-935-4239 zacharyapeterson@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Nez Perce and Clearwater National Forests are proposing to revise their two, individual forest plans as a single forest plan for the administratively combined Forests using the 2012 National Forest System Land Management Planning regulations.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/nezperceclearwater/landmanagement/planning/?cid=stelprdb5447338				
Location: UNIT - Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest All Units. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Benewah, Clearwater, Idaho, Latah, Lewis, Nez Perce, Shoshone. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Central Idaho.					

Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)					R1 - Northern Region
Nez Perce National Forest Travel Management EIS *UPDATED*	- Recreation management - Special area management - Road management	In Progress: Objection Period Legal Notice 02/24/2016	Expected:01/2020	04/2020	Jennie Fischer 208-983-4048 jfischer02@fs.fed.us
	Description: Develop a travel management plan and map to comply with the National Travel Management Rule. This project would designate motor vehicle use on roads, trails or areas on the Nez Perce National Forest, and does not include over-the-snow vehicles.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=17752				
Location: UNIT - Salmon River Ranger District, Red River Ranger District, Moose Creek Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Forest Wide - Entire Nez Perce National Forest.					
Nez Perce-Clearwater NF Travel Plan and OHV Rule Implementation EIS	- Regulations, Directives, Orders - Recreation management - Road management	In Progress: NOI in Federal Register 11/28/2007 Est. DEIS NOA in Federal Register 06/2019	Expected:02/2020 Actual: 11/10/2011	02/2020	Zoanne Anderson 208-963-4209 zanderson@fs.fed.us
	Description: Travel planning and analysis to implement the national OHV rule.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=17992				
Location: UNIT - Palouse Ranger District, North Fork Ranger District, Lochsa/Powell Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Clearwater, Idaho, Shoshone. LEGAL - Forest-wide (with some exceptions). Travel planning on the Powell, Lochsa, North Fork Ranger Districts and Elk Creek basin of the Palouse Ranger District.					

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Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest Lochsa/Powel Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R1 - Northern Region
Hisloc Fuels CE *NEW LISTING*	- Fuels management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 12/2019	Expected:06/2020	10/2020	Neal Cox 208-926-6424 nlcox@fs.fed.us
	Description: Fuel reduction near the Lochsa Historical Ranger Station and Wilderness Gateway Campground.				
	Location: UNIT - Lochsa/Powell Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Approximately 25 miles northeast of Lowell, Idaho on Highway 12.				
Lolo Insect & Disease EIS *UPDATED*	- Forest products - Watershed management - Road management	Completed	Actual: 07/01/2019	09/2019	Sara Daugherty 208-926-6404 sddaugherty@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Lolo Insect & Disease project proposes forest management and watershed improvement activities within the Lolo Creek watershed, located approximately 16 air miles northeast from Kamiah, Idaho.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=41466				
Musselshell Creek Restoration: Beaver Dam Analogs CE *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Watershed management	Completed	Actual: 07/10/2019	07/2020	Susan Graves 208-756-5138 sgraves@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Nez Perce Tribe and other partners propose to install up to twelve beaver dam analogs along 1.5 miles of Musselshell Creek near Musselshell meadows. This is a follow-up to a similar project successfully implemented in 2018.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56254				
Location: UNIT - Lochsa/Powell Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Clearwater. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township 35 North, Range 6 East, Sections 19, 20 and 30; Clearwater County, Idaho.					

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Pete King Wildlife Restoration CE *NEW LISTING*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Vegetation management (other than forest products)	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/06/2019	Expected:11/2019	07/2021	Chandra Neils 208-765-7248 chandra.neils@usda.gov
	Description: The purpose of the Pete King Wildlife Restoration project is to manage vegetation to improve elk summer and winter range and restore the resiliency of both forest and non-forest vegetation relied upon by wildlife.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56079				
Location: UNIT - Lochsa/Powell Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The Pete King Wildlife Restoration project is located in the southwest portion of the Lochsa/Powell Ranger District in Idaho County, Idaho. It encompasses the Pete King drainage.					
Stray Creek EA *UPDATED*	- Forest products - Fuels management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 10/2019	Expected:03/2020	07/2020	Sara Daugherty 208-926-6404 sddaugherty@fs.fed.us
	Description: Harvest and reforestation of stands in in the Stray Creek drainage on the Lochsa Ranger District.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=53658				
Location: UNIT - Lochsa/Powell Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Twelve miles northeast of Kooskia, Idaho.					

Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest Moose Creek Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R1 - Northern Region
Clear Creek Integrated Restoration Project EIS *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	In Progress: DEIS NOA in Federal Register 09/28/2018 Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 10/2019	Expected:02/2020 Actual: 12/17/2015	03/2020	Zoanne Anderson 208-963-4209 zanderson@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Moose Creek District proposes to use a combination of timber harvest, pre-commercial thinning, prescribed fire, reforestation, and road system improvements to achieve desired age class and species distributions and to improve watershed health.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=38021				
Location: UNIT - Moose Creek Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - T32N, R6E; T31N, R6E; T31N, R53; BM. Project activities will occur on NFS lands within the Clear Creek drainage, located approximately 5 air miles southeast from Kooskia, Idaho.					

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Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest Moose Creek Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R1 - Northern Region
Tinker Bugs CE *UPDATED*	- Forest products - Fuels management - Watershed management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/29/2018	Expected:11/2019	10/2020	Sara Daugherty 208-926-6404 sddaugherty@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Tinker Bugs project area is classified as Rural WUI lands. A proposed action has been developed in collaboration with interested public and stake holders to restore forest structure, composition, and density; and reduce fuel loadings.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54516				
Location: UNIT - Moose Creek Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Immediately south of Syringa, Idaho. from Lodge Creek west to the Forest boundary in the Middle Fork Clearwater River basin.					

Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest North Fork Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R1 - Northern Region
Black Skull Prescribed Burn CE *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 11/15/2018	Expected:10/2019	06/2020	Theodore Peterson 208-765-7469 theodore.peterson@usda.gov
	Description: Use low/mod intensity fire over 5-10 yrs to encourage early seral veg & reduce insect/disease-caused fuel buildup. Project area 19 Burn Units (70k ac) w/ 43 Ignition Areas (22k ac). Fire allowed to spread in Burn Units to create mosaic on landscape.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56251				
Location: UNIT - North Fork Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Clearwater. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Multiple T/R/S; north to northeast of Canyon Work Center; northern boundary abuts Idaho Panhandle NF; Clearwater County, Idaho.					
East Saddle Integrated Restoration Project CE *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Fuels management	Completed	Actual: 07/26/2019	05/2020	Johanna Kovarik (208)476-4541 jkovarik@fs.fed.us
	Description: East Saddle Integrated Restoration project proposes wildlife habitat improvement through fuels treatments and commercial timber harvest.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=51663				
Location: UNIT - North Fork Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Clearwater. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Areas of the Cayuse Creek drainage administered by the North Fork RD south of Old Kelly Creek Work Center, extending west of work center and north of Kelly Creek to the North Fork of the Clearwater.					

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Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest North Fork Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R1 - Northern Region
North Fork Aspen 2 CE *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Vegetation management (other than forest products)	In Progress: Scoping Start 05/30/2019	Expected:10/2019	06/2020	Michael Pruss 208-935-4256 michael.pruss@usda.gov
	Description: Cut/girdle mature aspen clones, competing conifers and over-mature shrubs in 22 units (4 areas, 324 acres). Where evidence of aspen regen/suppression present expand extent of aspen by treating conifers and mature shrubs adjacent to existing clones.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56262				
Location: UNIT - North Fork Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Clearwater. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Multiple T/R/S; North Fork Ranger District, Clearwater County, Idaho.					
North Fork Ponderosa Pine Restoration CE *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/12/2019	Expected:09/2019	09/2019	Michael Pruss 208-935-4256 mpruss@fs.fed.us
	Description: Prescribe burn 2185 acres (38 units) along North Fork of the Clearwater River. Non-commercial thin/slash 96 acres (parts of 8 units); hand-pile/burn the slash before pburning. Thin/pile would not be done in RHCAs. Pburns allowed to creep into RHCAs.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55174				
Location: UNIT - North Fork Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Clearwater. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Project area located along FR 247 starting approx. 1 mi. west of Washington CG (Unit 1: T39N, R7E, S15) then east to/along FR 250 ending approx. 2 mi. southwest of Cedars CG (Unit 38: T40N, R11E, S6).					

Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest Palouse Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R1 - Northern Region
Elk River Fuels CE	- Fuels management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Steven Selser 2087657248 sselser@fs.fed.us
	Description: Fuel management by thinning small trees and brush within 150 feet of ~58 miles of system roads; 50 feet of ~3 miles of system trails; and ~556 acres in two non-road/trail units. Treatment acreage:~1,310 acres roadside and ~24 trailside.				
	Location: UNIT - Palouse Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Clearwater. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Project area is approximately 75,000 acres around the town of Elk River, ID.				

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Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest Palouse Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R1 - Northern Region
Gold Dust Mines CE *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/28/2017	Expected:12/2019	05/2020	Rebecca Anderson 208-476-8351 rebeccaanderson@fs.fed.us
	Description: Claimants to test lodes by drilling 10 core holes/site (4 sites) w/ portable drill. Each hole reclaimed upon completion. Drilling water brought in. Claimants to remove excess wood, metal debris, etc. from three previous operations. No rd. construct.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=51455				
Location: UNIT - Palouse Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Latah. LEGAL - Not Applicable. T43N, R1W, Sec. 31; Mountain Gulch Claims; Latah County, Idaho					
Gold Hill EA *UPDATED*	- Forest products - Fuels management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 08/26/2019	Expected:03/2020	04/2020	Chandra Neils 208-765-7248 cneils@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposed action includes timber harvest to provide economic benefits, address existing and potential future forest health issues, and reduce fuel loading to promote desirable fire behavior and reduce the potential for high intensity wildfire.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56043				
Location: UNIT - Palouse Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The Gold Hill project area is located in the Gold Creek subwatershed, with smaller portions occurring in the headwaters of Big Creek and Meadow Creek subwatersheds on the Palouse Ranger District.					
Leanna Meadow Restoration CE *UPDATED*	- Watershed management	In Progress: Scoping Start 11/15/2018	Expected:09/2019	10/2019	Katlyn Howisey 208-875-1740 katlynmhowisey@fs.fed.us
	Description: Construct meadow-spanning beaver dam analog-type structures within Leanna Meadow to improve its water holding capacity (water retention) and slow water release through spring and summer. Slash et al to be harvested w/in 50 ft. of the meadow edge.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55187				
Location: UNIT - Palouse Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Latah. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township 41 North, Range 1 West, Section 31, Latah County, Idaho.					

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Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest Palouse Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R1 - Northern Region
Little Boulder EIS *UPDATED*	- Forest products - Fuels management - Watershed management	In Progress: Objection Period Legal Notice 02/15/2019	Expected:11/2019	05/2020	Stephanie Israel 208-476-8344 sisrael@fs.fed.us
	Description: Little Boulder is a vegetation, fuels, and watershed management project, located in the Little Boulder and Hog Meadows watersheds; all headwaters of the Potlatch River.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=45225				
Location: UNIT - Palouse Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Latah. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Little Boulder and Hog Meadows watersheds, Latah County, Idaho.					
Little Boulder Stream Habitat Improvement CE *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Watershed management	Completed	Actual: 08/28/2019	10/2019	Dan Kenney 208-622-0094 dkenney@fs.fed.us
	Description: Improve instream habitat for aquatic organisms, esp. ESA listed steelhead, in the lower reaches of Little Boulder Creek. Log structures, Beaver Dam Analogs, and Post Assisted Log Structures to be constructed by hand using onsite materials.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55171				
Location: UNIT - Palouse Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Latah. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township 39 North, Range 1 West, Sections 34, 35, 36, Latah County, Idaho.					
Palouse Bridge Replacements CE *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Watershed management - Road management	In Progress: Scoping Start 05/23/2018	Expected:10/2019	06/2020	David Ratliff 208-875-1718 dratliff@fs.fed.us
	Description: Replace existing timber stringer bridges crossing Meadow Crk and Graves Meadow with new concrete or steel girder bridges. Existing bridge decks, abutments and back walls are in decay, and both bridges restrict flow during normal annual runoff.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54086				
Location: UNIT - Palouse Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Latah. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Meadow Creek Bridge: T43N, R3W, Sec 34; Graves Meadow Bridge: T42N, R2W, Sec 25; Latah County, Idaho.					

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Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest Palouse Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R1 - Northern Region
Pre-Commercial Thinning - Palouse CE *UPDATED*	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/02/2019	Expected:09/2019	06/2020	Nicholas Wagner 208-875-1738 nicholas.wagner2@usda.gov
	Description: Thin trees on 526 acres (36 stands). Majority of trees cut less than 7 inches in diameter. All work done by hand using chainsaws; no mechanical harvest equipment used. Only existing roads used to access the sites. No thinning in RHCAs.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56265				
Location: UNIT - Palouse Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Latah. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Multiple stands and T/R/S within the Palouse Ranger District.					
White Pine EA *UPDATED*	- Forest products - Fuels management - Road management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 09/28/2018	Expected:12/2019	05/2020	Stefani Spencer 208-756-5290 stefanispencer@fs.fed.us
	Description: Commercial harvest & non-commercial fuels treatments to improve species/age class diversity & forest health and reduce potential fire behavior in WUI. Build temp. rds. Site prep. Reforest harvest units. Road Maintenance for watershed improvement.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54742				
Location: UNIT - Palouse Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Benewah, Latah. LEGAL - Not Applicable. sections 4, 8, 9, 10, 14, 15, 16, 17, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 34 and 35, T43N, R3W, Boise Meridian and portions of sections 2, 3, 11, TT42N, R3W, Boise Meridian.					

Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest Red River Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R1 - Northern Region
Allison Creek Dam / Pond Improvements CE	- Watershed management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Garry Seloske 208-839-2211 gseloske@fs.fed.us
	Description: The earthen fill at the blown out dam and outlets from the dam and ponds are failing, and the stream's flow is seeping through eroding existing material.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=46092				
Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Blown out Dam: T29N, R7E, SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of S16; Dam/Pond below FS Road #9874: T29N, R7E, NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of S21; Dam/Pond east of FS Road #3071: T29N, R7E, NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of S21 . Please see Map in Scoping Letter.					

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Nez Perce-Clearwater National Forest Red River Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R1 - Northern Region
Baldy Creek Placer Exploration CE *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	Completed	Actual: 07/15/2019	07/2019	Martin Jones 208-842-2103 martinjones@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Red River District Ranger proposes to allow the claim operators to excavate up to 12 placer test pits in the Baldy Creek drainage. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=42033				
	Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - T30N, R7E, Sections 18 and 19 (Boise Meridian). Access to the project area is by Forest Road 1858 up Newsome Creek to the mouth of Baldy Creek, where a primitive two-track road leads upstream to the project area.				
Big Creek Road Hazard Tree Removal CE *UPDATED*	- Forest products - Road management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/11/2017	Expected:12/2019	05/2020	Andrew Lane 208-983-1950 ablane@fs.fed.us
	Description: Snags pose a safety hazard along FSR 311. Dead standing trees within 150 feet (both sides) would be removed via a commercial sale along approx. 5 miles (181 ac) of the road. The project would take approx. 1 year to complete. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52222				
	Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. T27N, R10E, Sections 9 and 10, Idaho County, Idaho.				
Blanco Creek Exploration CE *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/12/2019	Expected:10/2019	05/2020	Martin Jones 208-842-2103 martinjones@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposal is exploratory drilling on 10 sites (2 holes per site) in the Blanco creek area. Access to sites by FS roads, old logging roads and two temp rds (735 ft./360 ft.) Water to be drawn from small creek or Ditch creek. Samples processed offsite. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55170				
	Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township 28 North, Range 9 East, Sections 7, 12-14, 23, Idaho County, Idaho.				

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Blue Ribbon Test Drilling CE *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 05/27/2016	Expected:12/2019	05/2020	Martin Jones 208-842-2103 martinjones@fs.fed.us
	Description: Goldski, LLC, proposes to exploratory drill to test for gold values to determine if valuable minerals exist to warrant further development of a mining operation.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49340				
Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - T28N, R8E, NW/4, Section 3 and T29N, R9E, SE/4, Section 32. T28N, R8E, NW/4, S3; T29N, R9E, SE/4, S32, Idaho Co., Idaho.					
Center Star Mining CE *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/28/2017	Expected:12/2019	05/2020	Martin Jones 208-842-2103 martinjones@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reopen/stabilize main portal of Center Star Mine. Work includes hand sampling/mechanized drilling. Second portal may be opened as safety exit. Approx. 2400 ft. of old skid trails/mining roads would be reconditioned. Disturbed areas reclaimed.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=51452				
Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. T29N, R7E, NW ¼ of Section 35; Idaho County, Idaho.					
Cherry Exploration Drilling CE *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 06/30/2017	Expected:12/2019	05/2020	Martin Jones 208-842-2103 martinjones@fs.fed.us
	Description: The claimant proposes exploratory drilling on the Red River RD to test for gold values. The project area is in previously disturbed and undisturbed areas in the Kirk's Fork drainage. The proposal is for 4 drill sites with a max of 2 drill holes/site.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52117				
Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township 29 North, Range 9 East, Sections 29 and 30; Idaho County, Idaho.					

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Devine (Pioneer) Exploration CE	- Minerals and Geology	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Martin Jones 208-842-2103 martinjones@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Red River District proposes to approve the use of ATVs for overland travel for access to prospect for mineral values.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=47792				
Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - T29N, R7E, Sections 29, 32, and 33. Near Santiam Creek on the Red River District.					
Dixie-Comstock Community Protection Project EA *UPDATED*	- Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jennie Fischer 208-983-4048 jfischer02@fs.fed.us
	Description: Treat vegetation to reduce wildfire risk to the local communities of Dixie and Comstock, and surrounding federal lands. Create fuel breaks and escape routes using a combination of prescribed burning and mechanical treatments, with temporary roads.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52079				
Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - T26N, R7E, Sec.36; T26N, R8E, Sec. 2, 3, 8-17, 19-36; T26N, R7E, Sec. 1, 12, 13; T25N R8E, Sec. 1-24, 26-30, 32-34; T24N, R8E, Sec. 4; Boise Meridian. The project is located approximately 20 miles south of Elk City, Idaho; in Idaho County. Within the Crooked and Rhett Creek watersheds, tributary to the Salmon River on National Forest System lands.					
Hazard Tree Removal CE	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Road management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Edward Koberstein 406-295-7456 ekoberstein@fs.fed.us
	Description: Several decades of accumulated MPB mortality and disease have created serious fuels and public safety concerns. Roads identified for treatment are major arterials in the event of emergency or natural disaster.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=46829				
Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Various - please see map in Scoping letter. Various - please see map in Scoping letter.					

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Heritage #2 Placer Exploration CE	- Minerals and Geology	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Martin Jones 208-842-2103 martinjones@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Red River Ranger District proposes to approve Tim Hoskins' proposal to excavate 17 placer test pits in the Newsome Creek drainage area.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=39025				
Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - T30N R6E Sections 12 and 13. Newsome Creek, Red River Ranger District.					
Heritage Gulch Placer Exploration CE	- Minerals and Geology	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Martin Jones 208-842-2103 martinjones@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Red River District Ranger proposes to allow the claim operator to conduct placer testing in the Newsome Creek drainage by digging 12-15, 10' x 10' or 10' x 12' test pits.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=42034				
Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - T30N, R7E, Sections 18-19 (Boise Meridian). Access to the project area is by Forest Road 1858 up Newsome Creek to Forest Road 1826, up Road 1826 to Trail 819 to Newsome Creek, up Newsome Creek via Trail 826 to the project site.					
Lost Bench Placer Exploration CE *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/25/2013	Expected:12/2019	05/2020	Martin Jones 208-842-2103 martinjones@fs.fed.us
	Description: This proposal is for the excavation of 10 test pits for the purpose of testing placer gravels for mineral values.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=43120				
Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - T29N, R9E, Sec. 35. Siegel Creek drainage, Red River Ranger District.					
Lucky Strike Placer CE *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/02/2019	Expected:10/2019	11/2019	Martin Jones 208-983-5158 martinjones@fs.fed.us
	Description: Approve Plan of Operations as proposed or require changes or additions to minimize adverse environmental effects. Excavate up to 4 trenches in 4 areas (16 total) and conduct instream sampling of Leggett Crk in 6 locations (2 areas, 3 locations each).				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56253				
Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township 29 North, Range 7 East, Sec. 18 and T29N, R6E, Sec 13; Idaho County, Idaho.					

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Magruder Road Hazard Tree Removal CE *UPDATED*	- Forest products - Road management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/12/2017	Expected:09/2019	10/2019	Andrew Lane 208-983-1950 ablane@fs.fed.us
	Description: Snags pose a safety hazard along FSR 468. Dead standing trees within 150 feet (both sides) would be removed via a commercial sale along approx. 5 miles (186 ac) of the road. The project would take approx. 1 year to complete, starting in 2017 Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52168				
	Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. T27N, R10E, Sections 9 and 10, Idaho County, Idaho.				
Oro Vega Suction Dredging CE *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/12/2019	Expected:09/2019	09/2019	Martin Jones 208-842-2103 martinjones@fs.fed.us
	Description: Approve Plan of Operations as proposed or require changes or additions to minimize adverse environmental effects. Two sections up to 150ft L & 5ft-6ft W to be sampled in Leggett Crk using a highbanker suction dredge. Reclamation done concurrently. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56264				
	Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township 29 North, Range 7 East, Section 19; Idaho County, Idaho.				
Richardson Suction Dredging CE *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/02/2019	Expected:10/2019	11/2019	Martin Jones 208-842-2103 martinjones@fs.fed.us
	Description: Approve Plan of Operations as proposed or require changes or additions to minimize adverse environmental effects. Three 300ft L sections of the Red River to be sampled 3 times perpendicular to section L (9 samples total) using a 4 in. suction dredge. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56276				
	Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township 28 North, Range 8 East, Section 1; T29N, R9E, Section 6; Idaho County, Idaho.				

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Siegel Creek Placer Exploration CE *NEW LISTING*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/02/2019	Expected:10/2019	11/2019	Martin Jones 208-842-2103 martinjones@fs.fed.us
	Description: Approve Plan of Operations as proposed or require changes or additions to minimize adverse environmental effects. Excavate trenches in one area (~2 ac). Construct crossing across Siegel Crk for access. Recirc water from 2 sumps. Camp at project site. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56277				
	Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township 28 North, Range 9 East, Section 8; Idaho County, Idaho.				
Stickley Suction Dredging CE *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/02/2019	Expected:10/2019	11/2019	Martin Jones 208-842-2103 martinjones@fs.fed.us
	Description: Approve Plan of Operations as proposed or require changes or additions to minimize adverse environmental effects. One section up to 400ft L to be sampled in the Red River using a 5 in. suction dredge with a 4 in. intake. Reclamation done concurrently Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56278				
	Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township 28 North, Range 8 East, Section 3; Idaho County, Idaho.				
Turner Placer Exploration CE *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/02/2019	Expected:10/2019	11/2019	Martin Jones 208-842-2103 martinjones@fs.fed.us
	Description: Approve Plan of Operations as proposed or require changes or additions to minimize adverse environmental effects. Test pits along Moose Crk at upper limit of previously mined area. Rd 307A repair work at washout and a temp road built to access sites. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56279				
	Location: UNIT - Red River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township 29 North, Range 7 East, Section 22; Idaho County, Idaho.				

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Boulder Creek Bridge Construction CE *NEW LISTING*	- Recreation management - Watershed management	In Progress: Scoping Start 11/15/2018	Expected:09/2019	10/2019	Sean Santolin 208-839-2135 sean.santolin@usda.gov
	Description: Replace Idaho Central Trail #88's current ford of Boulder Creek with a bridge and hardened approaches. Bridge 34-foot in length, constructed with wood stringers and deck with rock-filled gabion baskets for abutments.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55189				
Location: UNIT - Salmon River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township 26 North, Range 3 East, Section 24, Idaho County, Idaho.					
Center-Johnson Project EA *UPDATED*	- Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management - Road management	Completed	Actual: 09/30/2019	01/2020	Jennie Fischer 208-983-4048 jfischer02@fs.fed.us
	Description: Vegetation treatments to reduce the risk or extent of, or increase resilience to insects and disease infestation; reduce wildfire risk to the local communities and surrounding federal lands. A collaborative process will be used to develop actions.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50271				
Location: UNIT - Salmon River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Center-Johnson project is located approximately 3 miles west of Slate Creek, Idaho, in Idaho County. Activities off Roads 493 (Deer Creek), 672 (Cow Creek), 9335 (Joe Creek) and maybe 9337. A Wildland Urban Interface (WUI) Area.					

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End of the World EA *UPDATED*	- Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 02/16/2018	Expected:12/2019	01/2020	Zoanne Anderson 208-963-4209 zanderson@fs.fed.us
	Description: The End of the World Project south of Grangeville, ID is approximately 49,565 acres, and includes tributaries to the Salmon and South Fork Clearwater Rivers. This project will address forest health and hazardous fuel concerns in the project area.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52541				
Location: UNIT - Salmon River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - T29N R3E Sections 12, 13-36; T29N R4E Sections 18, 19, 20, 28-32; T4N R2E Sections 1-4, 9-12, 13-15, 23, 24; T4N R3E Sections 1-29, 34-36; T4N R4E Sections 5-7, 18, 19, 30, 31 Boise Meridian. Located south of Grangeville, ID in the Fish Creek, Cove Creek and North Fork White Bird Creek portions of the Forest.					
Florence Fuels Project CE *UPDATED*	- Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 06/28/2018	Expected:10/2019	04/2020	Jennie Fischer 208-983-4048 jfischer02@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Forest is collaboratively developing the project to reduce hazardous fuels adjacent to the historic Florence Cemetery and private properties; and create a fuel break near the vicinity of Florence, Idaho.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54163				
Location: UNIT - Salmon River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project area is approximately 15 miles east of Riggins, Idaho. The project is in the vicinity of Florence, in Idaho County.					
Florence Hazard Tree Removal CE *UPDATED*	- Forest products - Fuels management	Completed	Actual: 09/05/2019	10/2019	Andrew Lane 208-983-1950 ablane@fs.fed.us
	Description: Salvage harvest approx. 70 acres of dead and dying trees due to mountain pine beetle infestation to reduce fuel loading and increase forest user safety in the project area. Work to be accomplished through commercial timber sale.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55188				
Location: UNIT - Salmon River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Idaho County, Idaho.					

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Fox Creek Trail Reroute CE *NEW LISTING*	- Recreation management	Completed	Actual: 08/28/2019	10/2019	Sean Santolin 208-839-2135 sean.santolin@usda.gov
	Description: Construct a 250 foot reroute of Trail #305 and a ford with hardened approaches through Fox Creek. Ford to consist of native rock and gravel from an old bridge abutment onsite. All work to be done using hand tools. Trail remain open during reroute.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55186				
Location: UNIT - Salmon River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township 27 North, Range 5 East, Section 19, Idaho County, Idaho.					
Hungry Ridge Restoration Project EIS *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management	In Progress: DEIS NOA in Federal Register 03/09/2018 Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 11/2019	Expected:04/2020	08/2020	Jennie Fischer 208-983-4048 jfischer02@fs.fed.us
	Description: Utilize commercial harvest and prescribed fire to restore historic structure, species mix, reduce fuel loadings and improve wildlife habitat. Watershed improvements include; culvert replacements, road decommissioning and road improvement projects..				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=43661				
Location: UNIT - Salmon River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. T27N, R04E; T28N, R04E; R29N, 04E; (Boise Meridian).					
Peasley Creek Stream Restoration CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Watershed management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Christopher Wolffing 208-983-5153 cwolffing@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposed activities would primarily focus on instream habitat below the culvert and substrate conditions in the culvert. Work would include increasing the pool depth directly below the culvert.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=46106				
Location: UNIT - Salmon River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - T29N, R5E, S27. Please see Map in Scoping Letter.					

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Pioneer Gulch Placer Exploration CE *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Martin Jones 208-842-2103 martinjones@fs.fed.us
Description: The Salmon River Ranger District proposes to approve David Tisch's proposal to excavate up to 22 test pits for the purpose of testing placer gravels for mineral values in the Ozark Creek drainage.					
Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=37464					
Location: UNIT - Salmon River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - T25N R4E Sections 7 and 18. Ozark Creek drainage.					
Rex Placer Exploration CE	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/25/2011	Expected:10/2019	06/2020	Martin Jones 208-842-2103 martinjones@fs.fed.us
Description: The Salmon River Ranger District proposes to approve Robert Martin's proposal to excavate 17 placer test pits in the Gold Lake Creek and Ozark Creek drainages.					
Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=37465					
Location: UNIT - Salmon River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - T25N R3E Section 12. Gold Lake Creek and Ozark Creek drainages.					
Southwest Butte Boundary Fence CE *UPDATED*	- Grazing management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Crystal Dannar 208-983-1950 cdannar@fs.fed.us
Description: Construct let-down style fence to restrict livestock drifting from Fiddle Crk Allotment into Allison-Berg Allotment. Fence to be constructed in sections, where most effective, along an approx. 3 mile boundary between allotments.					
Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55175					
Location: UNIT - Salmon River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township 25 N, Range 2 E, Sections 15, 16, 21, 28, and 29, Idaho County, Idaho.					

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Swartz Meadow Beaver Dam Analogs CE *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Watershed management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Crystal Dannar 208-983-1950 cdannar@fs.fed.us
	Description: Construct Beaver Dam Analogs using hand tools along 1-mile stretch of the Pinnacle Creek headwaters to address incised channel, bank sloughing, and to capture sediment. Locations of BDAs to be determined under the direction of Forest Hydrologist.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55185				
	Location: UNIT - Salmon River Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township 28 North, Range 3 East, Section 8, Idaho County, Idaho.				

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