



## Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

01/01/2019 to 03/31/2019

### Nebraska National Forest

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

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|--|--------------------------|---------|-----|-----|---|
| <b>Western Area Power Administration Right-of-Way Maintenance and Reauthorization Project</b><br>EIS   | - Special use management | On Hold | N/A | N/A | David Loomis<br>303-275-5008<br>dloomis@fs.fed.us |
| <b>Description:</b> Update vegetation management activities along 278 miles of transmission lines located on NFS lands in Colorado, Nebraska, and Utah. These activities are intended to protect the transmission lines by managing for stable, low growth vegetation.   |                          |         |     |     |   |
| <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=30630">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=30630</a>   |                          |         |     |     |   |
| <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Ashley National Forest All Units, Grand Valley Ranger District, Norwood Ranger District, Yampa Ranger District, Hahns Peak/Bears Ears Ranger District, Pine Ridge Ranger District, Sulphur Ranger District, East Zone/Dillon Ranger District, Paonia Ranger District, Boulder Ranger District, West Zone/Sopris Ranger District, Canyon Lakes Ranger District, Salida Ranger District, Gunnison Ranger District, Mancos/Dolores Ranger District. STATE - Colorado, Nebraska, Utah. COUNTY - Chaffee, Delta, Dolores, Eagle, Grand, Gunnison, Jackson, Lake, La Plata, Larimer, Mesa, Montrose, Routt, Saguache, San Juan, Dawes, Daggett, Uintah. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Linear transmission lines located in Colorado, Utah, and Nebraska. |                          |         |     |     |   |

**Nebraska National Forest Bessey Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R2 - Rocky Mountain Region**

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| <b>Development of Powerline Trailhead</b><br>CE   | - Recreation management | Completed | Actual: 08/17/2018 | 10/2018 | Loren Eaton<br>308-533-8107<br>lbeaton@fs.fed.us |
| <b>Description:</b> Construct a 1-acre parking lot and trailhead for access to the motorized trail system.  |                         |           |                    |         |  |
| <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=53731">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=53731</a>  |                         |           |                    |         |  |
| <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Bessey Ranger District. STATE - Nebraska. COUNTY - Blaine, Thomas. LEGAL - T22N, R26W, Sec. 9, 10. At the intersection of State Spur 86B, Forest Road 223, and Powerline Trail 113. |                         |           |                    |         |  |

**Nebraska National Forest Pine Ridge Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R2 - Rocky Mountain Region**

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| <b>Nebraska National Forest</b>   | <b>Pine Ridge Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>  |   |                  | <b>R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b> |   |
| <b>Pine Ridge Landscape Restoration II</b><br>EA  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants</li> <li>- Forest products</li> <li>- Fuels management</li> <li>- Watershed management</li> <li>- Road management</li> </ul> | In Progress:<br>Scoping Start 09/29/2018<br>Est. Comment Period Public Notice 10/2018 | Expected:05/2019 | 06/2019                           | Joseph David<br>(435) 425-2617<br>josephdavid@fs.fed.us |
| <b>Description:</b> vegetation treatments on approximately 19,200 acres of Forest Service land within the Pine Ridge Ranger District. Treatments would include prescribed fire, thinning, understory vegetation control, meadow and riparian enhancement.                 |   |   |                  |                                   |   |
| <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54834">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54834</a>  |   |   |                  |                                   |   |
| <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pine Ridge Ranger District. STATE - Nebraska. COUNTY - Dawes, Sioux. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project location in across the western half of National Forest System Lands impacted by the wildfires of 2012 on the Pine Ridge Ranger District. |   |   |                  |                                   |   |

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