



## Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

10/01/2019 to 12/31/2019

### Boise National Forest

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

<b>Amendments to Land Management Plans Regarding Sage-grouse Conservation</b>  EIS  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Land management planning - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	In Progress: Objection Period Legal Notice 08/02/2019	Expected:12/2019	12/2019	John Shvik 801-625-5667 johnshvik@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service is considering amending its land management plans to address new and evolving issues arising since implementing sage-grouse plans in 2015. This project is in cooperation with the USDI Bureau of Land Management.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/r4/home/?cid=stelprd3843381">https://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/r4/home/?cid=stelprd3843381</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Ashley National Forest All Units, Boise National Forest All Units, Bridger-Teton National Forest All Units, Medicine Bow-Routt National Forest All Units, Dixie National Forest All Units, Fishlake National Forest All Units, Salmon-Challis National Forest All Units, Sawtooth National Forest All Units, Humboldt-Toiyabe National Forest All Units, Manti-La Sal National Forest All Units, Caribou-Targhee National Forest All Units, Uinta-Wasatch-Cache All Units. STATE - Colorado, Idaho, Nevada, Utah, Wyoming. COUNTY - Jackson, Moffat, Routt, Adams, Blaine, Bonneville, Camas, Caribou, Cassia, Elmore, Fremont, Madison, Churchill, Clark, Elko, Eureka, Humboldt, Lincoln, Nye, Pershing, Washoe, White Pine, Beaver, Box Elder, Cache, Carbon, Daggett, Davis, Duchesne, Emery, Garfield, Grand, Iron, Juab, Kane, Millard, Morgan, Piute, Rich, Salt Lake, San Juan, Sanpete, Sevier, Summit, Tooele, Uintah, Utah, Wasatch, Washington, Wayne, Weber, Platte, Sublette, Teton, Weston, Albany, Campbell, Carbon, Converse, Crook, Laramie, Lincoln, Natrona, Niobrara. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Sagebrush lands in National Forests of Nevada, Utah, southern Idaho, southwest Montana, southwest & south-central Wyoming and northern Colorado.				

#### R4 - Intermountain Region, Occurring in more than one Forest (excluding Regionwide)

<b>Idaho Sled Dog Challenge Special Use Permit</b>  CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 09/25/2019	01/2020	Jascha Zeitlin 208-549-4224 jzeitlin02@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Forests propose to issue a Recreation Event Special Use Authorization to McCall Ultra Sled Dog Challenge LLC, to conduct a multi-day sled dog racing event on groomed snowmobile routes across 5 Districts on the Payette and Boise National Forests.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55981">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55981</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Emmett Ranger District, Council Ranger District, McCall Ranger District, Cascade Ranger District, New Meadows Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Adams, Gem, Valley. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Groomed snowmobile routes across 5 Districts on the Payette and Boise National Forests.				

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<b>R4 - Intermountain Region, Occurring in more than one Forest (excluding Regionwide)</b>					
<b>South Fork Restoration and Access Management Plan</b> EA  *UPDATED*	- Recreation management - Watershed management - Road management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 04/18/2019	Expected:04/2020	04/2020	Anthony Botello 208-634-0601 abbotello@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> This project will address both restoration and public and private access needs to determine the minimum road system, improve watershed condition, provide ATV and motorcycle trail opportunities, and provide dispersed camping and parking opportunities.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=51257">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=51257</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - McCall Ranger District, Cascade Ranger District, Krassel Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho, Valley. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project area is the South Fork Salmon River corridor on the Payette NF with a short extension on the SFSR Rd on the Boise NF, located generally east of McCall, Idaho in Valley and Idaho Counties.					
<b>Stibnite Gold Plan of Operations EIS</b> EIS  *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: NOI in Federal Register 06/05/2017 Est. DEIS NOA in Federal Register 12/2019	Expected:12/2020	12/2020	Brian Harris 208-634-0784 bdharris@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest is processing a plan of operations for open pit mining, processing, new road construction, utility upgrades, reclamation, and restoration at the Stibnite mine site.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50516">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50516</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cascade Ranger District, Krassel Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Valley. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The Stibnite mining district is located in Valley County Idaho, east of the community of Yellow Pine near the East Fork South Fork Salmon River.					

<b>Boise National Forest, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)</b>
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<b>R4 - Intermountain Region</b>
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<b>Boise National Forest, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)</b>					<b>R4 - Intermountain Region</b>
<b>Keller Outfitter and Guide Special Use Permit</b> CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Fantasy Burns 208-587-7889 fburns@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Issuance of a 10-yr special use permit to outfit and guide predator hunting for wolf, cougar and bear. Keller Outfitter and Guides have purchased a portion of Allred Adventures Outfitter and Guide area and a new special use permit is required.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=46557">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=46557</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mountain Home Ranger District, Idaho City Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise, Elmore. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The proposed special use permit area is located on the Idaho City and Mountain Home Ranger Districts.					

Boise National Forest	Cascade Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R4 - Intermountain Region	
<b>Frontier Communications Telephone Line - Special Use Permit Renewal</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 06/05/2018	Expected:12/2019	01/2020	Christopher Woras 208-382-7422 cworas@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Boise National Forest proposes to issue a special use permit (SUP) for the operation and maintenance of telephone line systems.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54103">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54103</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cascade Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Valley. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Westside of Cascade Reservoir.					
<b>IPC Warm Lake Feeder Line Relocation</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 12/2019	Expected:03/2020	05/2020	Terre PearsonRamirez 208-382-7457 tramirez@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Boise National Forest would authorize Idaho Power Company to reroute approximately 2.49 miles of existing overhead 7.2-kilovolt (kV) distribution line with approximately 2.74 miles of single-phase underground line.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55726">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55726</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cascade Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Valley. LEGAL - Township 18 North, Range 08 East, Section 04, and Township 19 North, Range 08 East, Sections 28, 29, 32, & 33, Boise Meridian. Yellow Pine area.					

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<b>Boise National Forest Cascade Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R4 - Intermountain Region</b>
<b>Juniper Mountain Outfitters - O&amp;G Permit Renewal</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/06/2015	Expected:05/2018	06/2018	Jake Strohmeyer 208-382-7400 jstrohmeyer@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Renew existing special use permit for horse camp, trail rides, fishing, and big game hunting outfitter and guide operations. A new 10-year special use permit is proposed.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=37676">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=37676</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cascade Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Valley. LEGAL - Not Applicable. South Fork Salmon River.					
<b>Lost Horse</b> EA  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 11/2019	Expected:10/2020	01/2021	James Bishop 208-382-7442 jjbishop@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The objective is to restore species composition and stand structure while reducing undesirable tree densities and favoring the retention of the larger diameter, more fire-resistant trees.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56535">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56535</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cascade Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Valley. LEGAL - Not Applicable. This planning area is located approximately 21 mile east/southeast of Cascade, ID within the Clear Creek drainage along National Forest Roads (NFR) 405,406, 407, 409, and 433.					
<b>Paradise Valley Homeowners Association Dock Permit</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 07/16/2019	07/2019	Katherine Hermanns 208-365-7026 katherine.hermanns@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The Boise National Forest would issue a special use permit (SUP) to the Paradise Valley Homeowners Association to install and maintain a community dock at Warm Lake.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56337">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56337</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cascade Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Valley. LEGAL - Portions of Section 12, Township 15 North, Range 6 East, Boise Meridian. Warm Lake.					

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<b>Boise National Forest Cascade Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R4 - Intermountain Region</b>
<b>Section 31 Subdivision Waterline - Special Use Permit Renewal</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 08/14/2019	10/2019	Christopher Woras 208-382-7422 cworas@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Boise national Forest proposes to issue a special use permit (SUP) for the operation and maintenance of a domestic water distribution system. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54102">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54102</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cascade Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Valley. LEGAL - Section 31 of Township 15 North, Range 3 East, Boise Meridian. Westside of Cascade Reservoir.				
<b>Three Trappers Restoration Underburn</b> CE	- Fuels management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	James Bishop 208-382-7442 jrbishop@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Implement a series of prescribed burns to restore species composition and stand structure by reducing undesirable species and stand densities. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50276">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50276</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cascade Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Valley. LEGAL - NFS lands in T17N, R8E, Sections 4,5, 8, 9, 16, 17, 20, and 21; and T18N, R8E, Section 28, 29, 32, 33 of the Boise Meridian, Valley County, Idaho. Management Area 21 (Lower Johnson Creek).				
<b>Warm Lake Recreational Water Users District - Special Use Permit Renewal</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 08/14/2019	09/2019	Christopher Woras 208-382-7422 cworas@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Boise National Forest proposes to issue a special use permit (SUP) for the operation and maintenance of a domestic water distribution system. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54101">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54101</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cascade Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Valley. LEGAL - Sections 7, 12, and 13 of Township 15 North, Range 7 East, Boise Meridian. Warm Lake area.				

<b>Boise National Forest Emmett Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>	<b>R4 - Intermountain Region</b>
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<b>Boise National Forest</b>	<b>Emmett Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R4 - Intermountain Region</b>	
<b>Cottonwood Project</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	Completed	Actual: 07/24/2019	08/2019	Debra Lozinski 307-674-2629 dlozinski@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Manage forest structure and species composition to improve forest landscape resiliency to recover from uncharacteristic insect and disease disturbance.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54016">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54016</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Emmett Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Gem, Valley. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project area is located approximately nine miles North East of Ola Idaho.					
<b>Ola A Range Project</b> EA	- Grazing management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Gilbert Jackson 208-365-7000 grjackson@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> This project proposes to authorize continued livestock grazing on the Ola A Cattle and Horse Allotment.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=41294">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=41294</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Emmett Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise, Gem, Valley. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The Ola A C&G Allotment is located about 2 miles east of Ola, Idaho.					
<b>Ola Summit</b> CE	- Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 06/04/2018	Expected:09/2019	10/2019	Terre PearsonRamirez 208-382-7457 tramirez@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Manage forest structure and species composition to improve forest landscape resiliency to recover from uncharacteristic insect and disease disturbance.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54014">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54014</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Emmett Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Gem, Valley. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project area is located approximately three miles North East of Ola Idaho.					

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<b>Boise National Forest Emmett Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R4 - Intermountain Region</b>
<b>Sage Hen Integrated Restoration Project</b> EA  *NEW LISTING*	- Recreation management - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management - Road management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 11/2019	Expected:09/2020	01/2021	Mary Blackwell 208-373-4245 Mary.Blackwell@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Improve vegetation conditions to improve resiliency to uncharacteristic disturbances, restore watershed function to improve aquatic resources, improve and manage recreational opportunities/use, and support local/regional economies.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56701">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56701</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Emmett Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Gem, Valley. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Upper Squaw Creek watershed north of High Valley and on the westside of the Emmett Ranger District. Eastside of the project area includes a portion of the Snowbank Inventoried Roadless Area.					
<b>Silver Creek Bank Stabilization</b> CE  *UPDATED*	- Watershed management	Completed	Actual: 08/19/2019	09/2019	Matthew Robinson 208.259.3361 x7508 matthewrobinson@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Boise National Forest (BNF) is proposing a bank stabilization project, planting, and fencing on Silver Creek, near the north turn-around loop in the Silver Creek Campground.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55725">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55725</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Emmett Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - T21N R05E S36. Silver Creek Campground.					
<b>Tripod</b> CE  *UPDATED*	- Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 06/04/2018	Expected:10/2019	10/2019	Tim Holden 208-382-6934 tholden@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Manage forest structure and species composition to improve forest landscape resiliency to recover from uncharacteristic insect and disease disturbance.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54015">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54015</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Emmett Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Valley. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project area is located approximately two miles West of Smiths Ferry Idaho.					

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<b>Boise National Forest Idaho City Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R4 - Intermountain Region</b>
<b>2018 CuMo Exploration Project</b> EA	- Minerals and Geology	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Ricky Wells 208-373-4136 rickywells@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Locatable minerals exploration. Proposal to drill 259 new exploratory holes to retrieve core samples. Project will construction of about 13.3 miles of new temporary road and use of about 4.7 miles existing unauthorized road as temporary roads.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52875">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52875</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Idaho City Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - T8N, R6E, Sections 7,8,17,18,19,and 20. This project is located approximately 3 miles northeast of Grimes Pass in Boise County Idaho.					
<b>Beaver Lodge Cross Country Ski Trail Grooming</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/27/2018	Expected:10/2019	11/2019	Brant Petersen 541-383-4766 bpetersen02@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Reauthorization of special use permit to groom and maintain a non-motorized ski/snowshoe trail around the Forest Service airstrip in Atlanta.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54847">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54847</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Idaho City Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Elmore. LEGAL - Not Applicable. North of Atlanta in Sawmill Creek and along Middle Fork Boise River.					
<b>Boise Basin Experimental Forest Project</b> EA  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Road management - Research and Development	Completed	Actual: 07/30/2019 07/30/2019	09/2019	Brian Lawatch 208-590-3345 brian.lawatch@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest and Rocky Mountain Research Station propose vegetation treatments to achieve forest resiliency and restoration, reduce WUI fire hazard, and assess the effectiveness of those treatments to better inform future forest management decisions.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49262">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49262</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Idaho City Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - Not Applicable. This project is located in and near the Boise Basin Experimental Forest.					

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<b>Boise National Forest Idaho City Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R4 - Intermountain Region</b>
<b>New Start Minerals Proposed Plan of Operations Project</b> EA	- Minerals and Geology	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Brant Petersen 208-392-6681 bpetersen02@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The purpose of this analysis is to provide for approval of a Plan of Operations to explore for locatable minerals on an existing mining claim. The proponent is proposing to excavate 50' x 50' exploration pits.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49771">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49771</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Idaho City Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - T7N, R5E, sec 10. On National Forest System Lands, roughly one mile southwest of Pioneerville, Idaho, Boise County.					
<b>The Saint Minerals Proposed Plan of Operations Project</b> EA	- Minerals and Geology	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Brant Petersen 208-392-6681 bpetersen02@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The purpose of this analysis is to provide for approval of a Plan of Operations to explore for locatable minerals on an existing mining claim. The proponent is proposing to excavate 50' x 50' exploration pits within a 3/4 acre area.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49770">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49770</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Idaho City Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - T7N, R4E, sec 15. On National Forest System lands approximately two miles west of Placerville Idaho, Boise County, off Forest Service Road 343 (Granite Creek Rd.).					

<b>Boise National Forest Lowman Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R4 - Intermountain Region</b>
<b>Bear Valley Fish &amp; Game Cabin Permit Renewal</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 04/11/2019	Expected:11/2019	12/2019	Christopher Woras 208-382-7422 cworas@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Boise national Forest is proposing to issue a new special use authorization to replace expired authorization LMN100126 which authorized the Fish and Game Cabin located in Bear Valley.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55721">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55721</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Lowman Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Valley. LEGAL - T13N R9E, SW1/4 of the NE1/4 of section 33. Bear Valley, off National Forest System Road 579E.					

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<b>Boise National Forest Lowman Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R4 - Intermountain Region</b>
<b>Cambridge Telephone Special Use Permit Renewal</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 04/11/2019	Expected:11/2019	12/2019	Christopher Woras 208-382-7422 cworas@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Boise National Forest is proposing to issue a special use authorization to replace expired authorization LMN419305 which authorized the operation and maintenance of buried telephone cables to provide telephone service to the Lowman community.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55723">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55723</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Lowman Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - T9N R7E Secs. 26, 35, 36; T9N R8E Secs. 23, 24, 27, 28, 31, 32, 33, 34; T9N R9E Secs. 17, 18, 19. Along Highway 21 from Lowman to NFS Road 531 (10 Mile Road).					
<b>Enchanted Valley Water User Association Waterline Permit Renewal</b> CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Christopher Woras 208-382-7422 cworas@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Boise NF is proposing to issue a new special use authorization to replace expired authorization LMN527401, which authorized a buried waterline used to supply water for fire protection and irrigation to the lot owners of Enchanted Valley.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55722">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55722</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Lowman Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - SW 1/4 of Section 3 T8N R8E. Enchanted Valley Ranch Subdivision on Archie Creek off NFSR 542AA.					
<b>IDT DoA Warm Springs and Bruce Meadows Airstrips Special Use Permit Renewal</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 05/01/2018	Expected:11/2019	12/2019	John Kidd 208-259-3361 jkidd@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The proposed action is to issue a combined 30-year special use permit (SUP) for the expiring permits currently authorized to the Idaho Transportation Department (IDT), Division of Aeronautics (DoA) to maintain and operate airstrips on NFS land.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=53866">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=53866</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Lowman Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise, Valley. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Bruce Meadows and Warm Springs Airstrips.					

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<b>Boise National Forest Lowman Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R4 - Intermountain Region</b>
<b>IPC Powerlines-Lowman Area Special Use Permit Renewal</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 04/11/2019	Expected:11/2019	12/2019	Christopher Woras 208-382-7422 cworas@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The USFS is proposing to issue a new special use authorization to replace expired authorization LMN400144 which authorizes the operation and maintenance of overhead and underground 34.5 kv power transmission lines. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55724">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55724</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Lowman Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - T9N R7E sections 26, 28, 29, 32, 35 and 36; T9N R8E sections 23, 24, 26, 27, 32, 33, and 34; T9N R9E sections 16, 17, 18, and 19. Lowman and surrounding areas.				
<b>Idaho Department of Transportation (ITD) Mineral Materials Permit Renewal</b> CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Christopher Woras 208-382-7422 cworas@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Issue a new 10-year Mineral Materials Permit to ITD <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55855">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55855</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Lowman Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - SE ¼ of Section 18 and the NE ¼ of section 19, T9N R9E, Boise Meridian. Willis Gulch.				
<b>Lowman WUI Corridor</b> EA	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Ryan Shannahan 208-245-6210 rmshannahan@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> This project proposes hazardous fuel reduction and restoration treatments on 1,900 acres within the Wildland Urban Interface (WUI). Proposed treatments include both prescribed fire and mechanical understory thinning. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=41003">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=41003</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Lowman Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project is located adjacent to the community of Lowman along the S. Fork of the Payette River.				

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<b>Bogus Basin Multi-Use Trails</b> CE	- Recreation management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Fantasy Burns 208-587-7889 fburns@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> This project proposes to construct approximately 12 miles of NFS trails in the Bogus Basin Recreation Area.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54041">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54041</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mountain Home Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - Not Applicable. This project is located in the Bogus Basin Recreation Area and Shaffer Butte area.					
<b>Bogus Basin Snowmaking Special Use Permit Phase 2</b> CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Fantasy Burns 208-587-7889 fburns@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Bogus Basin Recreation Association has requested a special use permit for snowmaking and fire suppression infrastructure. The infrastructure would require piping and hydrants to be installed on NFS and private lands.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=53720">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=53720</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mountain Home Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - Not Applicable. This project is located at Bogus Basin Ski Area approximately 15 miles north of Boise, Idaho.					
<b>CenturyLink Robie Creek Road Fiber Optic Line Placement</b> CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Fantasy Burns 208-587-7889 fburns@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> CenturyLink requests a 30-year permit to bury 435 feet of fiber cable where Robie Creek Road crosses the Boise National Forest (BNF). Construction on the BNF is expected to take 2-3 days.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55955">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55955</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mountain Home Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township 4 North, Range 4 East, Section 31, BM; along Robie Creek Road.					
<b>Day Wireless Propane Tank and Generator Installation</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Facility management	Completed	Actual: 09/20/2019	10/2019	Fantasy Burns 208-587-7889 fburns@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Idaho Communications LLC dba Day Wireless systems is requesting permission to install a generator with an electric panel, an access gate, and a 500-gallon LP storage tank installed on a concrete pad at their communication site at Lower Deer Point.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55468">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55468</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mountain Home Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - T5N R3E Section 29 Boise Meridian. At Lower Deer Point off Bogus Basin Road.					

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<b>Featherville Sheep and Goat Allotment</b> EA	- Grazing management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Holly Hampton 208-587-7961 ext.7167 hahampton@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> This project will evaluate current livestock management on the Featherville Sheep and Goat (S&G) Allotment and proposes to authorize continued livestock grazing on approximately 142,800 acres of National Forest System land.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=8867">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=8867</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mountain Home Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Elmore. LEGAL - T2N, R8E-11E; T3N, R8-11E; T4N, R8-10E; T5N, R8-11E; T6N, R9-11E. The allotment lies within the South Fork Boise River drainage above Anderson Ranch Dam, the Middle Fork Boise River drainage, and Anderson Ranch Reservoir drainage.					
<b>Idaho Power Schoolhouse / Dixie Line Project</b> CE  *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/08/2012	Expected:01/2020	02/2020	Fantasy Burns 208-587-7889 fburns@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Idaho Power Company (IPC) proposes to rebuild and reroute approximately 1,990 feet of the existing overhead powerline line with approximately 2,150 feet of overhead line along the westerly right-of-way (ROW) of Lester Creek Road, south of Pine, ID.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55954">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55954</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mountain Home Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Elmore. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Section 30, T2N, R10E, Boise Meridian.					
<b>Little Camas Rural Telephone Line</b> CE  *UPDATED*	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 09/30/2019	10/2019	Fantasy Burns 208-587-7889 fburns@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The USFS has approved Rural Telephone's request to place underground fiber optic cable in a conduit within the road right-of-way of FS-160 from Hwy 20 to a subdivision west of Little Camas Reservoir.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55173">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55173</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mountain Home Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Elmore. LEGAL - T1S, R9E, Sections 3, 4, 9, 16, and 21. Anderson Ranch Reservoir, Fall Creek watershed.					

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<b>Main Ranch Holdings, LLC Reciprocal Easement</b> CE	- Special use management - Road management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Fantasy Burns 208-587-7889 fburns@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service would grant permanent access across approximately 1.2 miles of road to Main Ranch Holdings, LLC. In exchange, Forest Service would acquire permanent access across approximately 2.8 miles.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56280">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56280</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mountain Home Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Boise Front / Bogus Basin Management Area, within the Dry Creek, Lower Mores Creek, and Shafer Creek watersheds. T4N R3E Section 4, 12 & 13. T5N R3E Section 28, 29, 32 & 33. Boise Meridian.					
<b>Moores Water Development</b> CE	- Grazing management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/27/2018	Expected:11/2018	04/2019	Holly Hampton 208-587-7961 ext.7167 hahampton@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The project will include four new structures, including a well, a storage tank and 4 troughs.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54844">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54844</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mountain Home Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Elmore. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Moores Flat C&H Allotment; High Prairie Road.					
<b>Sinker Creek - Boise Ridge Forest Health Project</b> EA  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 08/01/2018	Expected:03/2020	06/2020	Joshua Newman 208-587-7865 joshua.newman@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The forest proposes to implement vegetation treatments using timber harvest and prescribed fire to promote forest resiliency and address hazardous fuels within the wildland urban interface while responding to insect and disease outbreaks.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56323">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56323</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mountain Home Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The Sinker Creek area is about 16 miles northeast of Boise via Bogus Basin Road. The Boise Ridge area is about ten miles northeast of Boise, via Eighth Street.					

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<b>Sinker Creek Project</b> CE	- Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Joshua Newman 208-587-7865 joshua.newman@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> This project has been combined with Boise Ridge (53722)				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=53721">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=53721</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mountain Home Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - Not Applicable. This project is located in the Sinker Creek Area of the Robie Creek drainage in Boise County.					
<b>Spofford Road Use Permit</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	Completed This project has changed to a CE that does not require a written decision document and will be removed from the SOPA.		01/2019	Fantasy Burns 208-587-7889 fburns@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Mr. Spofford is asking for a 20 year permit granting him access to a 530 foot long section of 297B which he uses to access his home.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mountain Home Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Boise. LEGAL - T.5.N., R.3.E, Section 29, Boise Meridian. Sinker Creek watershed off road 297B.				

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