



Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

01/01/2021 to 03/31/2021

Caribou-Targhee National Forest

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

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Projects Occurring Nationwide

Locatable Mining Rule - 36 CFR 228, subpart A. EIS	- Regulations, Directives, Orders	In Progress: DEIS NOA in Federal Register 09/13/2018 Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 11/2021	Expected:12/2021	12/2021	Nancy Rusho 202-731-9196 nancy.rusho@usda.gov
Description: The U.S. Department of Agriculture proposes revisions to its regulations at 36 CFR 228, Subpart A governing locatable minerals operations on National Forest System lands. A draft EIS & proposed rule should be available for review/comment in late 2020					
Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57214					
Location: UNIT - All Districts-level Units. STATE - All States. COUNTY - All Counties. LEGAL - Not Applicable. These regulations apply to all NFS lands open to mineral entry under the US mining laws. More Information is available at: https://www.fs.usda.gov/science-technology/geology/minerals/locatable-minerals/current-revisions .					

Projects Occurring in more than one Region (excluding Nationwide)

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Projects Occurring in more than one Region (excluding Nationwide)					
Amendments to Land Management Plans Regarding Sage-grouse Conservation EIS *UPDATED*	- Land management planning - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	In Progress: Objection Period Legal Notice 08/02/2019	Expected:12/2020	01/2021	John Shivik 801-625-5667 johnashivik@fs.fed.us
	Description: 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.				
	Web Link: https://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/r4/home/?cid=stelprd3843381				
Location: 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.					

Caribou-Targhee National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)				R4 - Intermountain Region	
Caribou Prescribed Fire Restoration Project CE *NEW LISTING*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/27/2020	Expected:05/2021	06/2021	Dylan Johnson 208-847-8936 dpjohnson@fs.fed.us
	Description: To improve the health and resiliency of vegetation communities and habitats in fire-dependent ecosystems across the portion of the Caribou-Targhee National Forest covered by the Caribou Revised Forest Plan.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59025				
Location: UNIT - Caribou-Targhee National Forest All Units. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Bannock, Bear Lake, Caribou, Franklin. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Caribou-Targhee National Forest covered by the Caribou Revised Forest Plan.					

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Caribou-Targhee National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)			R4 - Intermountain Region		
Caribou-Targhee National Forest and Curlew National Grassland Integrated Weed Management Analysis EIS *UPDATED*	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	In Progress: DEIS NOA in Federal Register 12/23/2020 Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 04/2021	Expected:07/2021	07/2021	Heidi Heyrend 208-847-0375 hheyrend@fs.fed.us
	Description: Update the existing weed management strategy using an Integrated Weed Management(IWM)approach.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57108				
Location: UNIT - Caribou-Targhee National Forest All Units. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Bannock, Bear Lake, Bonneville, Caribou, Clark, Franklin, Fremont, Oneida, Teton. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Caribou-Targhee National Forest and Curlew National Grassland.					
Targhee Prescribed Fire Restoration Project CE *NEW LISTING*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/27/2020	Expected:05/2021	06/2021	Dylan Johnson 208-847-8936 dpjohnson@fs.fed.us
	Description: To improve the health and resiliency of vegetation communities and habitats in fire-dependent ecosystems across the portion of the Caribou-Targhee National Forest covered by the Targhee Revised Forest Plan.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59024				
Location: UNIT - Caribou-Targhee National Forest All Units. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Bonneville, Teton. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Caribou-Targhee National Forest covered by the Targhee Revised Forest Plan.					

Caribou-Targhee National Forest, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)			R4 - Intermountain Region		
Proposed Targhee Revised Forest Plan Amendment EIS	- Land management planning	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Robert Herzog 208-557-5764 robertdherzog@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposes to amend the 1997 Revised Forest Plan for the Targhee portion of the Forest to address direction for "old-growth" and "late-seral" forested vegetation, snags and wildlife habitat for select cavity-nesting species.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=25461				
Location: UNIT - Palisades Ranger District, Teton Basin Ranger District, Dubois Ranger District, Ashton/Island Park. STATE - Idaho, Wyoming. COUNTY - Bonneville, Butte, Clark, Fremont, Jefferson, Lemhi, Madison, Teton, Teton, Lincoln. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Targhee portion of the Caribou-Targhee National Forest.					

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Caribou-Targhee National Forest, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)					R4 - Intermountain Region
Targhee National Forest Lynx Analysis Units EIS	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	In Progress: Objection Period Legal Notice 07/27/2018	Expected:05/2021	06/2021	Robert Herzog 208-557-5763 robertdherzog@fs.fed.us
	Description: Utilize existing protocols and data to establish Lynx Analysis Units (LAUs) on the Targhee portion of the Forest. The LAUs and identified lynx habitat will be subject to the Northern Rockies Lynx Management Direction.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=40275				
Location: UNIT - Palisades Ranger District, Teton Basin Ranger District, Dubois Ranger District, Ashton/Island Park. STATE - Idaho, Wyoming. COUNTY - Bonneville, Butte, Clark, Fremont, Jefferson, Lemhi, Madison, Teton, Teton, Lincoln. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The Targhee Planning Area of the Caribou-Targhee National Forest.					

Caribou-Targhee National Forest Ashton/Island Park (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R4 - Intermountain Region
Ashton/Island Park Eight Allotment Range Grazing Analysis EA	- Grazing management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 03/05/2015	Expected:03/2020	05/2020	Kyle Moore 208-652-5417 kdmoores@fs.fed.us
	Description: Analyze and disclose the effects of livestock grazing activities on the Fogg Butte, Ripley Butte, Bootjack, Grandview, Gerritt Meadows, West Lake, Antelope Park and Fall River Cattle and Horse (C&H) Allotments.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=46241				
Location: UNIT - Ashton/Island Park. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Fremont. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Ashton/Island Park Ranger District.					

Caribou-Targhee National Forest Dubois Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R4 - Intermountain Region
Big Flat Communication CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/07/2018	Expected:05/2019	05/2019	Curtis Neppel 208-652-1201 cjneppel@fs.fed.us
	Description: Special Use permits for communications facilities at the Big Flat Communication sites have expired and need to be renewed. The new permits will be issued for a period of 30 years.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=53113				
Location: UNIT - Dubois Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Clark. LEGAL - Sec. 26, T. 14 N., R36E., in Clark County, Idaho. Big Flat located on a ridge west of Interstate 15, approximately 11 miles north of Spencer, Idaho.					

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Caribou-Targhee National Forest Dubois Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)		R4 - Intermountain Region			
Eastside Trailhead Improvements CE	- Recreation management - Watershed management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jeffrey Liday 208-374-5422 ext. 119 jliday@fs.fed.us
	Description: Relocate trailheads or perform heavy maintenance at the Bear Gulch, Coal Mine, Pete Creek & Trail Creek trailheads to improve safety and reduce erosion/ sediment loading to streams. Expand surface area and add barriers if needed.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=35744				
Location: UNIT - Dubois Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Clark. LEGAL - 019 ½ Bear Gulch T14N R3W S4NWCorner, 023- Coal Mine T14N R3W S24NWCorner, 010- Pete Creek T14N R4W S23SE Corner, and 029- Trail Creek T14N R3W S4SE corner. Trailheads at the end of forest service roads 019- Bear Gulch, 023- Coal Mine, 010- Pete Creek, and 029- Trail Creek.					
Kelly Canyon-Indian Creek Grazing Analysis EA	- Grazing management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 04/24/2015	Expected:07/2020	06/2021	Steven Cox 208-555-7113 stevencox@fs.fed.us
	Description: The purpose of this analysis is to reauthorize livestock grazing and to ensure management is conducted in a manner that maintains and/or moves the natural resources of the project area toward desired conditions and Revised Forest Plan objectives				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=46821				
Location: UNIT - Dubois Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Clark, Lemhi. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The allotments are located on National Forest System lands in the Middle Creek and Crooked Creek areas west-northwest of Dubois, Idaho.					
Kilgore Gold Exploration EA *NEW LISTING*	- Minerals and Geology	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 03/2021	Expected:09/2021	10/2021	Diane Wheeler 208-547-1121 dkwheeler@fs.fed.us
	Description: Otis proposes to conduct exploration activities under a multi-year approach. This will include some road construction and the use of existing roads in the project area to support exploration activities.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58910				
Location: UNIT - Dubois Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Clark. LEGAL - Sections 16-21 and 28-30 of Township 13 North, Range 38 East, Boise Meridian. Drilling would occur in the Mine Ridge, Gold Ridge, Prospect Ridge, and Dog Bone target areas identified by Otis.					

Caribou-Targhee National Forest Montpelier Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)	R4 - Intermountain Region
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Caribou-Targhee National Forest Montpelier Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)		R4 - Intermountain Region			
Montpelier Aspen Retention Project CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Devon Green 208-547-1116 dhgreen@fs.fed.us
	Description: A variety of low impact vegetation treatments (such as hand thinning) designed to remove sub-dominant conifers in existing aspen stands. Goal is to improve aspen stands by stimulating regeneration and subsequently improve wildlife habitat.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=44161				
Location: UNIT - Montpelier Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Bear Lake, Caribou. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Montpelier Ranger District.					
Strawberry Forest Management Project EA *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	Completed	Actual: 11/05/2020	11/2020	Rebecca Phelps 208-847-0375 roophelps@fs.fed.us
	Description: The purpose of the project is to improve the overall health and resilience of forests in the landscape by reducing tree density and accumulated fuels, while shifting species composition and age-class structure toward desired conditions.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57359				
Location: UNIT - Montpelier Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Caribou. LEGAL - T12S R41E Sec 25, 36, T12S R42E Sec 29, 30 31, 32, T13S R42E Sec 5, 6, 7, 8, T13S R41E Sec 1,2, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15; Boise Meridian, Franklin County, Idaho. The project area is located approximately 15 miles west of Montpelier Idaho.					

Caribou-Targhee National Forest Palisades Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)		R4 - Intermountain Region			
East Palisades Hazardous Fuels Reduction Project CE *NEW LISTING*	- Forest products - Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 11/18/2020	Expected:06/2021	07/2021	Deborah Flowers 208-354-6630 dmflowers@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Palisades Ranger District proposes to use a combination of mechanical fuel removal techniques and prescribed fire to reduce hazardous fuels on approximately 2,416 acres of National Forest System Lands.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59120				
Location: UNIT - Palisades Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Bonneville. LEGAL - T1S, R45E Sec 13-14, & 23-25; T1S, R46E Sec 16-21, & 28-34; and T2S R46E Sec 4-6 & 8-9, Boise Meridian, Bonneville County, Idaho. The project area is located north and east of the Palisades Reservoir south of Irwin, Idaho and includes Big Elk Creek, Booth Canyon, Dry Canyon, Blowout Canyon, Jack Branch Canyon, and Indian Creek.					

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Caribou-Targhee National Forest Palisades Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R4 - Intermountain Region					
Fleming Canyon Trail (#4079) Reroute CE	- Recreation management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 12/2019	Expected:04/2020	08/2020	David Woodcock 208-523-1412 dwoodcock@fs.fed.us
	Description: The proposed action would utilize an old sheep herder trail that is already on a fairly sustainable grade and would take minimal work to bring it up to Forest Service standard for a trail class 3 single track motorized trail.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49117				
Location: UNIT - Palisades Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Teton. LEGAL - Not Applicable. This project is located in the Big Holes Subsection of the Palisades Ranger District, situated at the base of Piney Peak and at the head of the North Fork of Pine Creek drainage.					
Lake Canyon Trail (FS#206) Project CE	- Recreation management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 12/2019	Expected:04/2020	06/2020	David Woodcock 208-523-1412 dwoodcock@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reroute approx. 3/10 of a mile at head of canyon putting it on a grade of 5 to 10%. Close and rehab old segment to eliminate eroding section of trail. Reroute 2/10 of a mile at mid trail to eliminate rock hazards.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49118				
Location: UNIT - Palisades Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Bonneville. LEGAL - Sec. 15, 16, 22, 23, 26, and 27, T1N, R45E. Big Hole Subsection: Palisades Creek Drainage, 11 miles SE of Swan Valley Idaho.					
Rainey Creek Restoration at Swan Valley Work Center CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Watershed management	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/06/2020	Expected:03/2020	08/2020	Corey Lyman 208-557-5838 corey.lyman@usda.gov
	Description: The proposed project is restore natural stream function on 1,840 feet (0.35 miles) of lower Rainey Creek on National Forest lands within the Swan Valley Work Center.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57508				
Location: UNIT - Palisades Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Bonneville. LEGAL - T1N, R43E, Section 1. Rainey Creek, tributary of South Fork Snake River, within the Caribou-Targhee Swan Valley Work Center, located on Ranger District Rd. in Swan Valley, Idaho.					

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Caribou-Targhee National Forest Palisades Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)		R4 - Intermountain Region			
Rainey Creek Vegetation Restoration Project EA	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Deborah Flowers 208-354-6630 dmflowers@fs.fed.us
	Description: Use prescribed fire and mechanical thinning to improve the vegetative/brush diversity and resilience within juniper and mountain mahogany. Reduce hazardous fuels adjacent to private property and along the Rainey Creek road for public safety.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=42907				
Location: UNIT - Palisades Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Bonneville. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Township: 2N Range: 44E Sections: 14, 15, 20 - 29 This project is located 2 miles east of Swan Valley.					
Snake River Allotment Corral and Fence Changes EA	- Grazing management - Land ownership management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Greg Hanson 208-542-5808 gehanson@fs.fed.us
	Description: Build a corral on the Flat Iron Unit of the Snake River Cattle Allotment, move one fence line to a better location and add a new fence to keep cattle off of BLM land adjacent to the allotment.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49114				
Location: UNIT - Palisades Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Bonneville. LEGAL - T 1N R 42 E Sec12 &13 T1N R 43E Sec 19 . The coral and fences will be along the Snake River Road near Indian Creek and Squaw Creek.					

Caribou-Targhee National Forest Soda Springs Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)	R4 - Intermountain Region
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Caribou-Targhee National Forest Soda Springs Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R4 - Intermountain Region					
Bridge Creek Forest Management Project EA *UPDATED*	- Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	Completed	Actual: 11/09/2020	11/2020	Wayne Beck 208-847-8941 wbeck@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposing to treat approximately 11,000 acres with a combination of harvest, mechanical and prescribed fire treatments. To facilitate removal of timber existing roads would be improved and temporary roads constructed.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55442				
Location: UNIT - Soda Springs Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Bonneville, Caribou. LEGAL - Sections 9-10, 15-16, 21-29, 32-36, T4S R44E, Sections 5,12 T5S R43E, Sections 1-18, 21-25 T5S R44E, Sections 5-9, 15-22, 28-30, 32 T5S R45E of the Boise Meridian, Caribou County, ID. The Bridge Creek Forest Management Project is in Caribou and Bonneville Counties, approximately 3 miles northeast of Wayan, ID in the Grays River and Lower Salt River watersheds.					
Caribou Basin Small-Scale Placer Mining Project EA *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 06/22/2020	Expected:02/2021	07/2021	Bryan Fuell 208 5471101 bfuell@fs.fed.us
	Description: This proposed action was developed in coordination with the cooperating agencies (IDWR, IDEQ, IDFG, and IDL) as well as with early outreach to local mining associations. The proposed action would allow for the approval of small-scale placer mining.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58237				
Location: UNIT - Soda Springs Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Bonneville. LEGAL - Townships 3 and 4 South, Range 44 East, Boise Meridian, on the SSRD in Bonneville County, Idaho. The project area is located approximately 39 air miles northeast of Soda Springs, Idaho and approximately 14 air miles west of Alpine, Wyoming in Caribou Basin.					
Diamond Creek Reconnect Project CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Watershed management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Lee Mabey 208-557-5784 lmabey@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Caribou-Targhee National Forest (CTNF) is seeking comments on a proposal to improve 0.8 miles of Diamond Creek below Stewart Canyon. Project is roughly 20 miles due east of Soda Springs Idaho.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57658				
Location: UNIT - Soda Springs Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Caribou. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Project is roughly 20 miles due east of Soda Springs Idaho.					

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Caribou-Targhee National Forest Soda Springs Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R4 - Intermountain Region					
East Smoky Panel Mine EIS EIS *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	Completed	Actual: 07/23/2020	07/2020	Bryan Fuell 208 5471101 bfuell@fs.fed.us
	Description: Analyse a proposed phosphate mine expansion plan and associated projects and infrastructure at the existing J.R. Simplot Company's Smoky Canyon Mine on leases I-26843, I-012890, and I-015259. 527 acres of disturbance on forest, 322 off forest.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=44748				
Location: UNIT - Soda Springs Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Caribou. LEGAL - T08S R46E Sections 19, 20, 29, 30, 31, and 32, Boise Meridian. The East Smoky Panel of J.R. Simplot's Smoky Canyon Mine is located approximately ten air miles South West of Afton, Wyoming.					
Freeman Ridge/Husky 2 Exploration Plan EA	- Minerals and Geology	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Matthew Wilson 208-478-6352 mmwilson@fs.fed.us
	Description: Exploration Drilling of 967 holes to gather information about phosphate reserves on portions of two Federal Phosphate Leases and three off lease areas. Overall disturbance is 168.0 acres.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=42793				
Location: UNIT - Soda Springs Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Caribou. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Approximately 20 miles north East of Soda Springs, Idaho on portions of Federal Phosphate Leases I-08194 (Freeman Ridge) and I-07942 (Husky Unit 2), as well as off-lease areas near these leases.					
Husky 1 - North Dry Ridge Mine EIS EIS *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: DEIS NOA in Federal Register 12/23/2020 Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 06/2021	Expected:11/2021	01/2022	Bryan Fuell 208 5471101 bfuell@fs.fed.us
	Description: An EIS is being prepared to address a mine and reclamation plan submitted by Itafos Conda, LLC for the proposed Husky 1 North Dry Ridge Phosphate Mine, approximately 16 miles northeast of Soda Springs, Idaho.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=37878				
Location: UNIT - Soda Springs Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Caribou. LEGAL - T. 7 S., R. 44 E., Sections: 16, 17, 20, 21, 28, 33 & 34. T. 8 S., R. 44 E., Sections: 3, 4, 10, 11, 14, 15, 23, 24 & 25. T. 8 S., R. 45 E., Sections: 30, 31 & 32. Proposed mining operations would be located in Caribou County, ID; approximately 16 miles northeast of Soda Springs, Idaho.					

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Caribou-Targhee National Forest Soda Springs Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R4 - Intermountain Region
Jackknife Reciprocal Road Easements CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 06/2020	Expected:09/2020	09/2020	Bryan Fuell 208 5471101 bfuell@fs.fed.us
	Description: Road Easement off of Jackknife Road to access Black Mountain				
	Location: UNIT - Soda Springs Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Bonneville. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Southeast corner of Bonneville County Idaho off of Jackknife Road.				
Soda Springs Aspen Retention Project CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Devon Green 208-547-1116 dhgreen@fs.fed.us
	Description: A variety of low impact vegetation treatments (such as hand thinning) designed to remove sub-dominate conifers in existing aspen stands. Goal is to improve aspen stands by stimulating regeneration and subsequently improve wildlife habitat.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=43254				
Location: UNIT - Soda Springs Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Bear Lake, Bonneville, Caribou. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Soda Springs Ranger District.					

Caribou-Targhee National Forest Teton Basin Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R4 - Intermountain Region
Grand Targhee 2018 Master Development Plan Projects EIS	- Recreation management - Special use management - Facility management - Road management	In Progress: NOI in Federal Register 08/26/2020 Est. DEIS NOA in Federal Register 01/2021	Expected:11/2021	01/2022	Rachel Franchina 208-354-2312 rachel.franchina@usda.gov
	Description: Adjust SUP/operational boundaries; install, replace, and realign lifts; glade, grade, and develop terrain; construct, improve and reclaim roads; expand snowmaking; build guest service facilities, construct trails; build recreation activity zones				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58258				
	Location: UNIT - Teton Basin Ranger District. STATE - Idaho, Wyoming. COUNTY - Teton. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Grand Targhee Resort, near Alta, WY. Located eight miles northwest of the Grand Teton and 42 miles northwest of Jackson WY.				

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Caribou-Targhee National Forest	Teton Basin Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R4 - Intermountain Region	
South Valley Hazardous Fuels Reduction Project CE	- Forest products - Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/02/2020	Expected:08/2020	05/2021	Deborah Flowers 208-354-6630 dmflowers@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Teton Basin Ranger District proposes to use a combination of mechanical fuel removal techniques and prescribed fire to reduce hazardous fuels on approximately 3,000 acres of National Forest System Lands.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57758				
	Location: UNIT - Teton Basin Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Teton. LEGAL - The project area is legally described as T02N R45E Sec 1 and 2; T03N R44E Sec 1, 2, 3, 11, 12, 13, 14, 24, 25, and 36; T03N R45E Sec 18-36; T03N R46E Sec 19 and 30, T04N R44E Sec 34-36. The project area is located approximately 2.5 miles south and 4.5 miles west of Victor, Idaho.				

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Caribou-Targhee National Forest	Westside Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R4 - Intermountain Region	
Crestline Trailhead Relocation EA	- Recreation management	In Progress: Scoping Start 12/10/2019 Est. Comment Period Public Notice 03/2020	Expected:06/2020	08/2020	James Johnson 928-333-6311 james.s.johnson@usda.gov
	Description: The proposed action is to obliterate the current Crestline Trailhead and quarter mile access road, Forest Road 333. The trailhead would be re-constructed in a new location immediately adjacent to Forest Road 001 (Scout Mountain Road).				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57212				
	Location: UNIT - Westside Ranger District. STATE - Idaho. COUNTY - Bannock. LEGAL - Section 21 of T8S, R35E of the Boise Meridian. Crestline Trailhead Westside Ranger District Caribou-Targhee National Forest.				

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