



Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

01/01/2021 to 03/31/2021

Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest

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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
<p>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</p> <p>Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57214</p>					
<p>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.</p>					

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.					

R4 - Intermountain Region, Occurring in more than one Forest (excluding Regionwide)					
High Uintas Wilderness Domestic Sheep Analysis Project (Ashley and UWC National Forests) EIS *UPDATED*	- Grazing management	In Progress: DEIS NOA in Federal Register 06/21/2019 Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 07/2021	Expected:07/2021	09/2021	Paul Cowley 801-999-2177 pcowley@fs.fed.us
	Description: This project will evaluate the effects of continued domestic sheep grazing in the High Uintas Wilderness (HUW). There are 10 sheep allotments located on the north and south slopes of HUW and are located in both the Ashley and Uinta-Wasatch-Cache NFs.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=44503				
Location: UNIT - Roosevelt Ranger District, Duchesne Ranger District, Evanston-Mountain View RD. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Duchesne, Summit. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project is located in the High Uintas Wilderness in both Duchesne and Summit counties. The project is located northeast of Duchesne, UT and southwest of Manila, UT.					

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Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest Evanston-Mountain View RD (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R4 - Intermountain Region					
Whitney Bear River Project CE *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Fuels management	Completed	Actual: 12/21/2020	05/2021	Christine Brown 801-999-2150 christineabrown@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposal to improve forest and watershed health, increase wildlife habitat diversity, and to reduce the risk of uncontrollable high intensity/severity wildfires by treating units within a 5,175 acre treatment area using a variety of methods.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58859				
Location: UNIT - Evanston-Mountain View RD. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Summit. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Project is along the northern Forest Boundary adjacent to Hwy 150, north and south of the Bear River Guard Station.					

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Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest Heber-Kamas Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R4 - Intermountain Region					
Bear Hole Boundary Fence CE *NEW LISTING*	- Grazing management	Completed	Actual: 11/02/2020	11/2020	Amber Helmus 435-781-5205 ahelmus@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposal to construct 0.5 miles of fence off the Strawberry Knoll of the Bear Hole allotment to decrease the chance of livestock drifting off their permitted area.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58956				
Location: UNIT - Heber-Kamas Ranger District. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Wasatch. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project is located approximately 36 miles East of Heber, UT on Highway 40 and on FS road #226 located on the Heber-Kamas District of the Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest.					
Kamas Valley Corral Facility CE *NEW LISTING*	- Grazing management	Completed	Actual: 11/02/2020	11/2020	Amber Helmus 435-781-5205 ahelmus@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposal to construct a new handling facility farther up the canyon to provide a safe place to put livestock when they are found.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58957				
Location: UNIT - Heber-Kamas Ranger District. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Wasatch. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project is located approximately 15 miles East of Kamas, UT on Highway 150 located on the Heber-Kamas District of the Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest.					

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Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest Heber-Kamas Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R4 - Intermountain Region					
Lower Muddy Spring Trough Relocation CE *NEW LISTING*	- Grazing management	Completed	Actual: 11/16/2020	11/2020	Amber Helmus 435-781-5205 ahelmus@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposal to replace/relocate the existing Lower Muddy Spring Trough in Cedar Hollow. The primary purpose of this water development is to provide water to the allotment, which will improve livestock distribution.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59092				
Location: UNIT - Heber-Kamas Ranger District. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Wasatch. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project is located approximately 8 miles East of Francis, UT on Highway 35 and the junction of FS Road #202 located on the Heber-Kamas District of the Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest.					
Pine Valley Mastication CE *NEW LISTING*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 11/24/2020	Expected:12/2020	03/2021	Riley Bergseng 435-654-0470 rbergseng@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposal to masticate 1,349 acres of Juniper to reduce wildfire risk and increase forage for wildlife.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59156				
Location: UNIT - Heber-Kamas Ranger District. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Summit, Wasatch. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Project areas are located around Pine Valley where the Provo river leaves Hwy 150 and crosses Hwy 35. Approximately five miles East of Woodland.					
Trial Lake Boundary Fence Extension CE *NEW LISTING*	- Grazing management	Completed	Actual: 11/02/2020	11/2020	Amber Helmus 435-781-5205 ahelmus@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposal to extend the existing Trial Lake Boundary Fence to prevent livestock from leaving and grazing off the allotment.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58958				
Location: UNIT - Heber-Kamas Ranger District. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Wasatch. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project is located approximately 26 miles East of Kamas, UT on Highway 150 located on the Heber-Kamas District of the Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest.					

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Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest Heber-Kamas Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R4 - Intermountain Region					
Weber River Corral Relocation CE *NEW LISTING*	- Grazing management	Completed	Actual: 11/02/2020	11/2020	Amber Helmus 435-781-5205 ahelmus@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposal to relocate the existing handling facility. The current corral is hard to access with trucks hauling trailers. Relocating the handling facility would allow permittees better access to the corral.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58960				
Location: UNIT - Heber-Kamas Ranger District. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Wasatch. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project is located approximately 7 miles East of Oakley, UT on Highway 183 to FS roads 038 to 031 located on the Heber-Kamas District of the Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest.					

Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest Logan Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R4 - Intermountain Region					
Smithfield Canyon Snow Trail CE *NEW LISTING*	- Recreation management	Completed	Actual: 12/01/2020	12/2020	David Ashby 435-755-3628 david.ashby@usda.gov
	Description: Proposal for Nordic United to groom a snow ski trail along 2.5 miles of the Smithfield Canyon.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59170				
Location: UNIT - Logan Ranger District. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Cache. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Smithfield Canyon Snow Trail is located approximately 7 miles north of Logan Utah along Highway 91 and 3 miles north east of Smithfield City.					

Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest Ogden Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R4 - Intermountain Region					
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Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest Ogden Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R4 - Intermountain Region					
Dairy Ridge Boundary Fence CE *UPDATED*	- Grazing management	Completed	Actual: 11/04/2020	04/2021	Anthony Vonniederhausern 435-755-3620 avonniederhausern@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposal to relocate a fence to a more suitable location. Approximately 0.4 miles of existing fence would be removed, and 0.3 miles of fence would be constructed.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57872				
Location: UNIT - Ogden Ranger District. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Rich. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Along the east side of the Monte Cristo Highway (Hwy 39) near Mt. McKinnon. Approximately 20 miles west of Woodruff, UT.					
Davis Aqueduct Parallel Pipeline CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 11/09/2020	06/2021	Sean Harwood 801-625-5205 sharwood@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Bureau of Reclamation has prepared an EA to analyze the impacts of the Davis Aqueduct Parallel Pipeline Project and requested easement. The USFS is a cooperating agency. The EA can be found at: https://www.usbr.gov/uc/DocLibrary/ea.html#EA2020				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58735				
Location: UNIT - Ogden Ranger District. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Davis, Weber. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Davis and Weber Counties, also runs through the Weber Basin Job Corps Center.					
Public Grove Travel Management Update CE *NEW LISTING*	- Recreation management - Road management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 02/2021	Expected:03/2021	06/2021	David Ashby 435-755-3628 david.ashby@usda.gov
	Description: Proposal to remove the 1/3 mile of 015 road from the travel plan and designating the 620 trail as a 60-inch motorized trail for the entire length of the trail.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59273				
Location: UNIT - Ogden Ranger District. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Weber. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Ogden Ranger District - Public Grove Area.					

Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest Pleasant Grove Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R4 - Intermountain Region
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Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest Pleasant Grove Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R4 - Intermountain Region					
Tibble OHV Parking Lot CE *NEW LISTING*	- Recreation management	Completed	Actual: 12/03/2020	04/2021	Russell Hanson Jr 801-796-4881 rhansonjr@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposal to convert the recently disturbed borrow area just north of the current Tibble parking lot to a separate OHV parking lot. The area would be graded and road base would be applied.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59072				
Location: UNIT - Pleasant Grove Ranger District. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Utah. LEGAL - Not Applicable. 400 feet north of the current parking lot at Tibble Reservoir. Parking lot would be within the northern-most part of the disturbed area known as Borrow Pit %u201CA%u201D during the Tibble Reservoir Dam project in 2017.					

Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest Salt Lake Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R4 - Intermountain Region					
Corkscrew/Nina's Ski Run Improvements CE *NEW LISTING*	- Recreation management - Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/07/2020	Expected:10/2020	09/2021	Arben Kraja (801) 733-2664 arben.kraja@usda.gov
	Description: ASL proposes completing the Corkscrew project (original decision signed in 2014) and improving an additional intermediate exit by combining Nina's Curve and Schuss Gully into one run.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58947				
Location: UNIT - Salt Lake Ranger District. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Salt Lake. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Supreme lift side of Alta Ski Area within the Special Use Permit boundary.					
Lower Jacob's Ladder Trail CE *NEW LISTING*	- Recreation management	In Progress: Scoping Start 12/10/2020	Expected:12/2020	04/2021	Zinnia Wilson 801-733-2662 zpwilson@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposal to adopt the Lower Jacobs Ladder trail as it is currently used by most bikers including a small reroute.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59250				
Location: UNIT - Salt Lake Ranger District. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Salt Lake. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Several miles South and East of Draper City, UT.					

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Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest Salt Lake Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R4 - Intermountain Region					
Patsey Marley Shrontz Roadway Improvements EA *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 02/21/2020	Expected:05/2021	07/2021	Charles Rosier 801-999-2159 crosier@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposal to construct a utility right-of-way and widen the existing Albion Basin Road (National Forest System Route (NFSR) 028)to improve access to the proposed Patsey Marley Hill Property and Subdivision.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49583				
Location: UNIT - Salt Lake Ranger District. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Salt Lake. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Salt Lake County, Utah, Alta.					
Peruvian Ridge Explosives Magazine CE *NEW LISTING*	- Recreation management - Special use management	Completed	Actual: 10/08/2020	10/2020	Arben Kraja (801) 733-2664 arben.kraja@usda.gov
	Description: The building is to be expanded 8ft to the North East along the 20ft length of the structure. The existing roof line will be maintained. The new expansion will be accessed via an interior man-door from the existing structure.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58922				
Location: UNIT - Salt Lake Ranger District. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Salt Lake. LEGAL - Not Applicable. On Peruvian Ridge within the special use permit boundary of Alta Ski Area.					
Rattlesnake Gulch Reroute and Bonneville Shoreline Trail Construction CE *UPDATED*	- Recreation management	Completed	Actual: 10/27/2020	03/2021	Zinnia Wilson 801-733-2662 zpwilson@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposal to construct a segment of BST in Rattlesnake Gulch to meet design parameters required by the BST master-document, and by the Forest Service Handbook design parameters for Class III mountain bike trail. Will also reroute the top 0.25 miles.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58720				
Location: UNIT - Salt Lake Ranger District. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Salt Lake. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Lower Millcreek Canyon, 10 miles east of Salt Lake City, UT.					

Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest Spanish Fork Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R4 - Intermountain Region
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Uinta-Wasatch-Cache National Forest Spanish Fork Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R4 - Intermountain Region					
Mapleton City Fuel Break CE *NEW LISTING*	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	Completed	Actual: 11/09/2020	03/2021	Guy Wilson 928-368-2135 gswilson@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposal to thin Oak and Juniper brush in order to create defensible space and shaded fuel breaks. A variety of treatment methods will be used to manipulate the stand structure and composition including mastication, lop and scatter, and cut and chip.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58937				
Location: UNIT - Spanish Fork Ranger District. STATE - Utah. COUNTY - Utah. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The eastern boundary of Mapleton City at the base of Spanish Fork Peak.					

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