



Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

04/01/2017 to 06/30/2017

Inyo National Forest

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Projects Occurring in more than one Region (excluding Nationwide)

Sierra Nevada Forest Plan Amendment (SNFPA) EIS	- Land management planning	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Donald Yasuda 916-640-1168 dyasuda@fs.fed.us
	Description: Prepare a narrowly focused analysis to comply with two orders issued by the Eastern District Court of California on November 4, 2009. Correct the 2004 SNFPA Final SEIS to address range of alternatives and analytical consistency issues.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/r5/snfpa/2010seis				
Location: UNIT - Eldorado National Forest All Units, Lassen National Forest All Units, Modoc National Forest All Units, Sequoia National Forest All Units, Tahoe National Forest All Units, Lake Tahoe Basin Mgt Unit, Carson Ranger District, Bridgeport Ranger District, Plumas National Forest All Units, Sierra National Forest All Units, Stanislaus National Forest All Units, Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California, Nevada. COUNTY - Alpine, Amador, Butte, Calaveras, El Dorado, Fresno, Inyo, Kern, Lassen, Madera, Mariposa, Modoc, Mono, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Shasta, Sierra, Siskiyou, Tulare, Tuolumne, Yuba, Douglas, Esmeralda, Mineral. LEGAL - Along the Sierra Nevada Range, from the Oregon/California border south to Lake Isabella as well as lands in western Nevada. Sierra Nevada National Forests.					

R5 - Pacific Southwest Region, Occurring in more than one Forest (excluding Regionwide)

Inyo, Sequoia and Sierra National Forests Land Management Plans Revision EIS *UPDATED*	- Land management planning	In Progress: DEIS NOA in Federal Register 05/27/2016 Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 11/2017	Expected:11/2017	12/2017	Nevia Brown 7075629121 neviabrown@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Inyo, Sequoia and Sierra National Forests propose to revise their land management plans as guided by the 2012 Planning Rule				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=3375				
Location: UNIT - Sequoia National Forest All Units, Sierra National Forest All Units, Inyo National Forest Units, Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California, Nevada. COUNTY - Fresno, Inyo, Kern, Kings, Mono, Tulare, Esmeralda, Mineral. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Entire Inyo National Forest, entire Sequoia National Forest outside of the Giant Sequoia National Monument, and the Sierra National Forest.					

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R5 - Pacific Southwest Region, Occurring in more than one Forest (excluding Regionwide)					
Mammoth Base Area Land Exchange EIS *UPDATED*	- Land ownership management	In Progress: NOI in Federal Register 08/23/2016 Est. DEIS NOA in Federal Register 05/2017	Expected:09/2018	09/2018	Janelle Walker 760-924-5523 janellewalker@fs.fed.us
	Description: Exchange of approximately 30.6 acres of National Forest System land, currently under special use authorization to Mammoth Mountain Ski Area, located near the Main Lodge north of Highway 203 for approximately 1317.5 acres of land in California.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=30428				
Location: UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District, White Mountain Ranger District, Mt. Hough Ranger District, Mi-Wok Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono, Plumas, Tuolumne. LEGAL - Land to be exchanged is located in T.3S, R. 27E., Sec 30, MDM. Proposal includes the addition of non-federal parcels to the Inyo, Plumas, and Stanislaus National Forests in California. The area near Main Lodge, Mammoth Mountain Ski Area would be exchanged for up to 12 non Federal parcels in Inyo, Mono, Plumas and Tuolumne Counties.					

Inyo National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)			R5 - Pacific Southwest Region		
Closure of Sierra Nevada Bighorn Sheep Habitat to Pack Goat Use EA	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Kary Schlick 760-873-2450 kschlick@fs.fed.us
	Description: This project will address potential disease transmission from pack goat use on the endangered Sierra Nevada bighorn sheep. This project is a continuation of a previous closure which has expired.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=40094				
Location: UNIT - Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project includes the 11 SNBS herd units located on the Inyo NF.					

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Communication Site Special Use Permit Renewal CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 01/25/2017	03/2017	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reissuing special use permits for up to 12 communication sites throughout the Inyo National Forest, for a period of up to 30 years. Facilities include radio and cell phone towers, radio repeaters, and other communications equipment.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49815				
Location: UNIT - Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Silver Peak, Casa Diablo, Sherwin Summit, Mazourka Canyon, South Benton, Milner Peak, Wilfred Canyon, Mustang, Poleta, McGee, Little Antelope and Glass Mountain.					
Eradication and Control of Invasive Plants on the Inyo National Forest EA	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/19/2016 Est. Comment Period Public Notice 12/2017	Expected:06/2018	08/2018	Michele Slaton 760-873-2440 mslaton02@fs.fed.us
	Description: Implement integrated plant management to control and eradicate non-native invasive plant infestations on the Inyo National Forest. To comment, click on "comment" on the right side of this page or email to comments-pacificsouthwest-inyo@fs.fed.us				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=38912				
Location: UNIT - Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California, Nevada. COUNTY - Fresno, Inyo, Madera, Mono, Tulare, Esmeralda, Mineral. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Forestwide.					
Issuance of 10 Year Priority Use Outfitter/Guide Fishing Permits CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jon Kazmierski 760-924-5503 jkazmierski@fs.fed.us
	Description: Trips to: Lee Vining Cr., June Lake Loop, Big Springs, Deadman Cr., Mammoth Lakes Basin, Middle Fork San Joaquin, Sotcher Lake, Starkweather Lake, Hot Creek, Convict Lake, McGee Cr., Rock Cr., Rock Cr. Lake, Pine Cr., Bishop Cr., No. Lk., So. Lk.				
	Location: UNIT - Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Madera, Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. See Project Description.				

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Land and Resource Management Plan Revision EIS	- Land management planning	In Progress: DEIS NOA in Federal Register 05/27/2016 Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 01/2018	Expected:02/2018	03/2018	Debra Schweizer 760-873-2427 debraaschweizer@fs.fed.us
	Description: Revision of the 1988 Inyo National Forest Land and Resource Management Plan under the provisions of the 2012 National Forest System Planning Rule.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/main/inyo/landmanagement/planning				
Location: UNIT - Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California, Nevada. COUNTY - Fresno, Inyo, Madera, Mono, Tulare, Esmeralda, Mineral. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Forestwide.					

Inyo National Forest, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)			R5 - Pacific Southwest Region		
ECV Monument Special Use Permit Renewal CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 12/07/2016	Expected:07/2017	08/2017	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	Description: Issue a new permit to the Slim Princess Chapter of E. Clampus Vitus authorizing five historical markers located at various locations on the south zone Inyo National Forest. New permit term will be for 10 years.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50842				
Location: UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District, Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Buttermilk Road near junction of Hwy 168; Parcher's Resort, South Fork Bishop Creek; Cardinal Gold Mine, Bishop Creek; Hwy 395 20 North of Bishop Sherwin Grade; Intake 2, Bishop Creek.					
Three Creeks Jeffrey Pine Forest Health & Restoration Project EA *UPDATED*	- Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 03/22/2016	Expected:08/2017	09/2017	Scott Kusumoto 760-924-5522 skusumoto@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Three Creeks Jeffrey Pine Forest Health & Restoration project objective is to provide for healthy forest conditions, promote establishment of old growth and reintroduce fire to the ecosystem.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=37712				
Location: UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District, Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. All proposed treatment units lie within the Mono Lake and Mammoth Ranger Districts of the Inyo National Forest, Mono County, California.					

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Inyo National Forest Mammoth Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R5 - Pacific Southwest Region		
Airport Pit Disposal Site Permit Renewal CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/12/2016	Expected:06/2017	06/2017	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reissuance of special use permit to the Town of Mammoth Lakes for operation of clean waste disposal at the Airport Pit Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=47812				
	Location: UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Mammoth Airport Pit.				
Amerigas Project CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	Description: Install 100 feet of propane pipeline to connect existing pipeline on both ends of existing pipeline. This is the same project as the Rock Creek Energy Project. Rock Creek Energy was purchased by Amerigas. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=24750				
	Location: UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T3S, R27E, Sec 33. West of John Muir Rd. and ending at 924 Canyon Blvd.				
California Department of Transportation, snow fence rebuild CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2017	Expected:05/2017	06/2017	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	Description: reauthorization of existing three snow fences, as well as rebuilding of the one located north of the south June Lake Junction				
	Location: UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Snow fences located at the intersection of Highways 395 & 203, and on Highway 395 north of the June Lake Junction and Crestview flats.				
Convict Lake Resort Master Development Plan (formerly Convict Lake Resort Equestrian R.V. Park) EA	- Recreation management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jon Kazmierski 760-924-5503 jkazmierski@fs.fed.us
	Description: Facilities include 12 RV campsites with hook-ups; 6 temporary day use stalls, expansion of existing tack shed from 225' to 600' sq. ft.; 1,500 sq. ft. recreation building with toilets & showers, game room, laundry; new landscaping				
	Location: UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T.4S., R.28E., Section 14. At existing horse corrals north of Convict Lake Resort.				

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Mammoth CD-IV Geothermal Monitoring Wells -Installation Off Lease EA *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 06/2017	Expected:09/2017	10/2017	Margie DeRose 760-873-2424 mbderose@fs.fed.us
	Description: Inyo NF Mammoth District CD-IV Geothermal Monitoring Wells -Installation Off Lease on Forest Service Lands Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50748				
	Location: UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Inyo NF Mammoth District CD-IV Geothermal Monitoring Wells -Installation Off Lease on Forest Service Lands.				
Mammoth Lakes Basin Hazardous Fuels Reduction EA *UPDATED*	- Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/27/2016	Expected:08/2017	09/2017	Eric Vane 760-924-5509 ericdvane@fs.fed.us
	Description: This is a fuels reduction project in the Mammoth Lakes Basin. The goal of treatments will be to create defensible space around private and Forest Service developments to facilitate fire suppression activities and reduce potential wildfire severity. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50217				
	Location: UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Township 4.S, Range 27.E, Sections 7-9, 15-17, 22. 1/4 mile Southwest of Mammoth Lakes, CA in the Lakes Basin, adjacent to Lake Mary, George, Mamie, and Twin Lakes, 4 Miles West of Highway 395.				
Mammoth Mountain Summer Experience Improvements EA	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Carmen John 760-924-5518 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	Description: The project proposal includes trenching to lay electrical conduit and irrigation lines and subsequent backfill and revegetation. Total area 2.7 acres, adjacent to Canyon Lodge. The entire area has been previously disturbed during past development.				
	Location: UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T3S, R27E, SE1/4 of the NW 1/4 Section 33. Mammoth Mountain Ski Area, Canyon Lodge, slopeside.				

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Reds Meadow Valley Hazardous Fuels Reduction Project EA	- Fuels management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Sue Farley 760-924-5535 sfarley@fs.fed.us
	Description: Hazardous fuels reduction treatments would be designed to provide defensible space at recreation sites and to create a fuelbreak along roads. Fuels treatment activities would include tree thinning, pruning and prescribed burning on approx. 1735 acres				
	Location: UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera, Mono. LEGAL - Portions of Sections 14,15,22,23,25,26,34,35,36 of T3S, R26E & 2,3,11,14 of T4S, R26E & 28,29,30,31,32,33 of T3S, R27E. The project area is located in the Reds Meadow Valley, Madera County, CA and includes a corridor along Hwy. 203 from Minaret Vista to Earthquake Fault, Mono County, CA.				
Sherwin Trails Phase 1 CE *UPDATED*	- Recreation management	Completed	Actual: 02/17/2017	04/2017	Molly Burns 760-924-5503 mollyburns@fs.fed.us
	Description: Construction, reconstruction, and maintenance of non-motorized trails in the Sherwin Area.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49877				
Southern California Edison Mammoth Distribution Area Permit Renewal CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 05/2017	Expected:04/2017	04/2017	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reissuance of expired permit for Southern California Edison's electrical distribution lines in the Mammoth Distribution Area.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=17905				
Town of Mammoth Lakes, airport fence CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/10/2016	Expected:06/2017	06/2017	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	Description: Construction of wildlife safety fence adjacent to the Mammoth Yosemite Airport.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=47811				
Location: UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Adjacent to the Mammoth Yosemite Airport.					

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Inyo National Forest Mammoth Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R5 - Pacific Southwest Region		
Town of Mammoth Lakes, snow disposal area permit reissuance. CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2017	Expected:07/2017	07/2017	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reissuance of expired permit to the Town of Mammoth for a snow disposal area				
	Location: UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Off Highway 203, before the entrance to the Town of Mammoth Lakes.				
Transfer Station, Town of Mammoth Lakes EA *UPDATED*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 06/2017	Expected:04/2018	06/2018	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	Description: Town of Mammoth Lakes 10-20 acre transfer site in anticipation of County landfill closing.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49120				
Vista Towers, multi-carrier facility at Little Antelope Communication Site CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 07/2017	Expected:07/2017	10/2017	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	Description: Placement of multi-carrier building and tower at the Little Antelope Communications Site				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=47317				
Vista Towers, multi-carrier facility at Little Antelope Communication Site CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 07/2017	Expected:07/2017	10/2017	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	Description: Placement of multi-carrier building and tower at the Little Antelope Communications Site				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=47317				
Vista Towers, multi-carrier facility at Little Antelope Communication Site CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 07/2017	Expected:07/2017	10/2017	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	Description: Placement of multi-carrier building and tower at the Little Antelope Communications Site				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=47317				
Inyo National Forest Mono Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R5 - Pacific Southwest Region		
Alpers Ranch Pipeline Replacement CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 06/2017	Expected:09/2017	10/2017	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	Description: Replacement of approximately 2,700 feet of pipeline that is currently under special use authorization				
	Location: UNIT - Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Adjacent to the Alpers Ranch, located off of the Owens River Road.				

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Inyo National Forest Mono Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R5 - Pacific Southwest Region		
Driveway permit to private residence located in the Peterson Tract, June Lake Area CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2017	Expected:06/2017	06/2017	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	Description: Issuance of a special use authorization for driveway for private residence				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=47810				
Location: UNIT - Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. June Lake Loop, between Highway 158 and private property located in Peterson Tract.					
June Lake Village Gateway Sign CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	Description: June Lake Chamber of Commerce Gateway Sign to be located on Highway 395 outside the Caltrans Easement				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=44798				
Location: UNIT - Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Highway 395, outside of Caltrans Easement.					
United States Geological Survey, installation of stream flow gauge on Deadman Creek. CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2017	Expected:06/2017	06/2017	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	Description: Installation of stream flow gauge on Deadman Creek, within the Big Springs Campground				
	Location: UNIT - Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Deadman Creek, within the Big Springs campground, off of Owens River Road.				

Inyo National Forest Mount Whitney Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)	R5 - Pacific Southwest Region
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Inyo National Forest Mount Whitney Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R5 - Pacific Southwest Region		
Inyo SZ Desert Allotments Grazing Analysis EA *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Grazing management - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Watershed management	In Progress: Objection Period Legal Notice 05/31/2016	Expected:04/2017	04/2017	April Barron 760-924-5532 abarron@fs.fed.us
	Description: Analysis of grazing allotments on the South Zone of the Inyo National Forest, including the Alabama Hills, Ash Creek, George Creek, Olanca, and Tunawee Allotments				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=40657				
Location: UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Grazing allotments in the southern portion of the Inyo National Forest along the escarpment of the Sierra Nevada.					
Kennedy Meadows Campground Fuel Break Project CE *UPDATED*	- Fuels management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 08/2017	Expected:12/2017	07/2018	Erin Noesser 760-873-2545 elnoesser@fs.fed.us
	Description: Fuels reduction of shrubs and trees around the Kennedy Meadow Campground and access road, and the Wildrose Trailhead. Includes removing dead and dying trees. Treatment area will be 200-400 acres.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50324				
Location: UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Tulare. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The area of the Inyo National Forest near the community of Kennedy Meadows.					
Kern Plateau Grazing Allotments Analysis EIS	- Grazing management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Margaret Wood 760-873-2515 mwood@fs.fed.us
	Description: Review and analysis of the Monache, Mulkey, Templeton and Whitney grazing allotments in the Golden Trout Wilderness on the Mt Whitney Ranger District				
	Web Link: http://data.ecosystem-management.org/nepaweb/nepa_project_exp.php?project=34380				
Location: UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Tulare. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Templeton/Whitney Grazing Allotments in the Golden Trout Wilderness.					

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Inyo National Forest Mount Whitney Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R5 - Pacific Southwest Region		
Kern Plateau Meadow Restoration Project CE	- Watershed management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Casey Shannon 760-873-2407 cshannon@fs.fed.us
	Description: Implement stream stabilization projects in Casa Vieja, Monache, Dutch, Strawberry, Brown and Mulkey Meadows, on the Kern Plateau. Work will include constructing new headcut stabilization structures, and repairing and maintaining existing structures.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=45953				
Location: UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Tulare. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Casa Vieja, Dutch, Brown, Monache, Strawberry, Mulkey on the Kern Plateau.					
MCS Old 49er Mine Exploration and Production Plan of Operations EA *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Colleen Garcia 760-873-2424 colleengarcia@fs.fed.us
	Description: MCS Old 49er Mine Exploration and Production Plan of Operation located in Mazourka Canyon within the Inyo National Forest				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50746				
Location: UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - CAMC 31348 Township 12S A Range 36 East Section 31 SW. Lode Mine tunnel and adjacent cabin at CAMC 31348 Township 12S A Range 36 East Section 31 SW.					
Oak Creek Stream Restoration and Enhancement Project CE *UPDATED*	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Watershed management	In Progress: Scoping Start 11/14/2016	Expected:04/2017	09/2017	Todd Ellsworth 760-873-2457 tellsworth@fs.fed.us
	Description: Restore hydrologic connectivity between the channel incised in the Oak Creek Flood, and the floodplain and side channels to restore the native Black Oak riparian area. Also, remove noxious weeds.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50228				
Location: UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - T13S, R34E, Section 3. On the North and South Fork of Oak Creek, near Independence, California.					

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Inyo National Forest White Mountain Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R5 - Pacific Southwest Region		
Robbie Hoyt Memorial Mine - Exploration Plan of Operation EA *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/03/2017 Est. Comment Period Public Notice 06/2017	Expected:11/2017	01/2018	Colleen Garcia 760-873-2424 colleengarcia@fs.fed.us
	Description: Robbie Hoyt Memorial Mine Exploration Plan of Operation located in Redding Canyon				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50747				
Location: UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - FS Road 7S127 and mining claim at 37.352 118.255 Township 7 South Range 34 East Section 9 SE 1/4. FS Road 7S127 and mining claim at 37.352 118.255 Township 7 South Range 34 East Section 9 SE 1/4.					
2016 Swall Meadows Community Fuelbreak Project CE *UPDATED*	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/05/2016	Expected:04/2017	05/2017	Erin Noesser 760-873-2545 elnoesser@fs.fed.us
	Description: Hazardous fuels reduction treatments are proposed on 108 acres adjacent to the community of Swall Meadows. Treatments are designed to lower flame length & severity while providing defensible space & safe ingress/egress for public & firefighters.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=48207				
Location: UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Sec(s)13,14,18 T5S. R30E. Mt.Diablo Baseline and Meridian. Units are located along the eastern private/public lands boundaries adjacent to the community of Swall Meadows. Swall Meadows is located Northwest of Bishop, California along Lower Rock Creek Road.					
Bishop and Pine Creek Fuels Reduction CE *UPDATED*	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/01/2016	Expected:05/2017	06/2017	Heather Stone 760-873-2561 hestone@fs.fed.us
	Description: Fuels reduction and vegetation improvement to protect communities, facilities, and recreation sites in the Bishop Creek and Pine Creek drainages.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=42921				
Location: UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - Townships 6-8S, Ranges 30-31E. Near communities, developments, and recreation sites in the Bishop and Pine Creek drainages.					

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Inyo National Forest White Mountain Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R5 - Pacific Southwest Region		
BraveHeart Trails Stock Crossing CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/15/2017	Expected:05/2017	06/2017	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	Description: Authorize the construction of approx. 275 ft of stock passable trail, from the existing authorized route, crossing Bishop Creek above Cardinal Village Resort. The crossing is necessary because the existing bridge crossing has been determined unsafe.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50839				
Location: UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - T.8S. R.31E. Section 29. Approximately 1/3 of a mile up stream of the Cardinal Village Resort property boundary, Bishop Creek.					
Cottonwood Creek Road Restoration CE	- Recreation management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jeff Novak 760-876-6231 jnovak@fs.fed.us
	Description: Improve the condition of the Cottonwood Creek Road to address resource concerns and safety issues. Work will include improving stream crossings to prevent the road from washing out in the future.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=45184				
Location: UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The road is located in the White Mountains at the north end of the Ancient Bristlecone Pine Forest; this is a cherry-stem road into the White Mountains Wilderness off of Crooked Creek Rd.					
Glacier Lodge Permit Reissuance CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 03/2017	Expected:07/2017	09/2017	Shane Hoskins 760-873-2441 shanehoskins@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reissue a 20 year resort special use permit for Glacier Lodge, in Big Pine Canyon				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=51300				
Location: UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - Sec. 35 & 36, T9S, R32E Mt. Diablo Principle. At the end of Forest Road 9S21.					

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Inyo NF Abandoned Mine Lands Safety Project: Black Canyon Mines and Jean Blanc Mines CE *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/02/2017	Expected:07/2017	08/2017	Colleen Garcia 760-873-2424 colleengarcia@fs.fed.us
	Description: This project will protect the health and safety of forest visitors by conducting specialist surveys to appropriately mitigate mine safety hazards present at two (2)AML sites located in both the White and the Inyo Mountains of the Inyo National Forest Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50745				
	Location: UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - Jean Blanc Mines: Quad Name: Laws Meridian MDBM, Township 6South, Range 33East, Section 12 Black Canyon Mines Quad Name: Westgard Pass Meridian MDBM, Township 7South, Range 34East, Section 34 . Jean Blanc Mines: Quad Name: Laws Meridian MDBM, Township 6South, Range 33East, Section 12 Black Canyon Mines Quad Name: Westgard Pass Meridian MDBM, Township 7South, Range 34East, Section 34				
Lake Sabrina Boat Landing and Restaurant Permit Reissuance CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2017	Expected:07/2017	08/2017	Shane Hoskins 760-873-2441 shaneahoskins@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reissuing a special use permit for a store/restaurant and boat dock at Lake Sabrina. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50738				
	Location: UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - Lot #23 of Lake Sabrina Tract, NE 1/4 Section 31, T8S, R31E. Lake Sabrina - end of the road.				
Rock Creek Lake Resort Permit Reissuance CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 03/2017	Expected:07/2017	09/2017	Shane Hoskins 760-873-2441 shaneahoskins@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reissuing a 20 year special use permit for the Rock Creek Lake Resort, with no changes to current operations. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=51299				
	Location: UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - Sec. 36, T5S, R29E, Mt. Diablo Principle. Across Rock Creek Road from the Rock Creek Lake outlet.				

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Valley Electric Authority Nevada Broadband Installation EA *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2017	Expected:04/2018	06/2018	Rosalie Herrera 760-873-2455 raherrera@fs.fed.us
	Description: Valley Electric Authority (VEA), a Nevada utility company, is proposing to add broadband cables to existing utility lines, and renew their Special Use Permit. There would be about 10.5 miles of cable added to overhead lines, and 200 feet underground.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=51065				
Location: UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Nevada. COUNTY - Esmeralda, Mineral. LEGAL - Township 1N, Range 32 East and Range 33 East, and Township 2N, Range 33E. Along Highway 6 in Nevada, on the East side of Montgomery Pass, near the Esmeralda, Mineral County line.					

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