



## Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

04/01/2020 to 06/30/2020

### Inyo National Forest

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

Project Name	Project Purpose	Planning Status	Decision	Expected Implementation	Project Contact
<b>Projects Occurring Nationwide</b>					
<b>Locatable Mining Rule - 36 CFR 228, subpart A</b> EIS  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- 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
	<b>Description:</b> 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				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57214">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57214</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - All Districts-level Units. STATE - All States. COUNTY - All Counties. LEGAL - Not Applicable. These regulations will be applicable to all NFS lands open to mineral entry under the United States Mining Law.				
<b>Inyo National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b></span>					
<b>Eastern Sierra Fire Restoration and Maintenance Project</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 11/22/2019	Expected:06/2020	07/2020	Erin Noesser 760-873-2449 elnoesser@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Restore and maintain fire regimes to vegetation types characterized by frequent to moderate fire return intervals using prescribed fire and wildfires managed for resource benefit.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56291">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56291</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The non-wilderness portions of the Inyo National Forest outside the White or Inyo Mountains.					
<b>Inyo NF Personal Use Fuelwood Program Area Assessment</b> CE	- Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Scott Kusumoto 760-924-5522 skusumoto@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Assessment of Inyo NF Personal Use Fuelwood Program Open areas				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55238">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55238</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Forest-wide assessment.					

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<b>Inyo National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Permit Reissuances - Ongoing, various permit types</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 12/10/2018	Expected:12/2020	02/2021	Erin Noesser 760-873-2449 elnoesser@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Ongoing and continuous reissuance of various special use authorizations. Examples of these are resorts, research activities, utilities and events. For further information on any specific permit or permitted activities, contact Erin Noesser.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55278">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55278</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California, Nevada. COUNTY - Fresno, Inyo, Madera, Mono, Esmeralda, Mineral. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Over the entire Inyo National Forest.					

<b>Inyo National Forest, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Cottonwood Creek and Upper Owens River Wild and Scenic Management Plans</b> EA	- Special area management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 03/2020	Expected:08/2021	09/2021	Adam Barnett 760-873-2461 adam.barnett@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Developing a Wild and Scenic River Management Plan for two designated rivers: Cottonwood Creek in the White Mountains and the Owens River Headwaters.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57325">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57325</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District, Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The Owens River Headwaters, including Deadman and Glass Creeks, in Mono County, from the headwaters to the private land boundary downstream of Hwy 395, and Cottonwood Creek in the White Mountains.					
<b>ECV Monument Special Use Permit Renewal</b> CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Carmen John 760-873-2510 cjohn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> 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.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50842">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50842</a>				
<b>Location:</b> 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.					

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<b>Inyo County Road maintenance and motorized mixed use CE</b>  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management - Road management	In Progress: Scoping Start 01/13/2020	Expected:11/2020	12/2020	Erin Noesser 760-873-2449 elnoesser@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Proposal is to provide easements to Inyo County on four roads and special use permits on 4 roads to allow for continued road maintenance by Inyo County, and to allow the County to determine the vehicle use type allowed on those roads.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57322">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57322</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District, Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Throughout Inyo County, including portions of Death Valley, County, Onion Valley, Foothill, Coyote Valley, McMurry Meadows, Division Creek and Mazourka Canyon Roads.					
<b>University of CA Santa Barbara research study "Effects of nonnative trout introduction."</b>  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/24/2019	Expected:05/2020	06/2020	Rosalie Herrera 760-873-2455 raherrera@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Multi year study from the Young Lab in wilderness locations, @ Golden Lake, No Name Lake, Fifth & Six Lake on WMRD, and heart Lake, Bench Lake, Matlock Lake and Flower Lake on MWRD;includes various temporary installations and collections.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56520">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56520</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District, Mount Whitney Ranger District, Inyo National Forest Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Multi year study from the Young Lab in wilderness locations, @ Golden Lake, No Name Lake, Fifth & Six Lake on WMRD, and heart Lake, Bench Lake, Matlock Lake and Flower Lake on MWRD;includes various t.					
<b>Valley Electric Authority Nevada Broadband Installation EA</b>	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Rosalie Herrera 760-873-2455 raherrera@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> 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.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=51065">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=51065</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District, Mono 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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<b>Inyo National Forest Mammoth Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Airport Pit Disposal Site Permit Renewal</b> CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2020	Expected:05/2020	07/2020	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 sirons@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Reissuance of special use permit to the Town of Mammoth Lakes for operation of clean waste disposal at the Airport Pit <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=47812">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=47812</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Mammoth Airport Pit.				
<b>Reds Meadow Hazardous Fuels Reduction</b> EA  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management	In Progress: Objection Period Legal Notice 03/26/2020	Expected:06/2020	09/2020	Eric Vane 760-920-5509 ericdvane@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> This project will reduce fuels within the high use Reds Meadow area to protect life and property in the event of a wildfire, and promote fire suppression activities. Secondary effects will be forest health enhancement and watershed improvement. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54312">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54312</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera, Mono. LEGAL - T3S R26E, Sections: 14, 15, 22, 23, 25, 26, 34, 35, 36. T4S R 26E, Sections:2, 3, 11, 14. T30S R27E, Sections: 29 - 32. This project lies .5 miles to the West of the town of Mammoth Lakes along highway 203, and the Reds Meadow Rd. It is also adjacent to the Devils Post Pile National Monument in Reds Meadow.				
<b>Town of Mammoth Lakes, snow disposal area permit reissuance.</b> CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 sirons@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Reissuance of expired permit to the Town of Mammoth for a snow disposal area <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=51578">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=51578</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Off Highway 203, before the entrance to the Town of Mammoth Lakes.				

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<b>Vista Towers, multi-carrier facility at Little Antelope Communication Site</b> CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 sirons@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Placement of multi-carrier building and tower at the Little Antelope Communications Site <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=47317">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=47317</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - MDB&M, T. 3S., 28E., Sec 33. Little Antelope Communications Site, north of the Mammoth Yosemite Airport.				
<b>Woolly's Adventure Summit Summer Uses Project and Mammoth Mountain Snowmaking Project</b> EA  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Recreation management - Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Janelle Walker 760-924-5523 janellewalker@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> MMSA proposes to expand year-round activities at the existing 55-acre Woolly's Adventure Summit tube park, located inside of Mammoth Mountain Ski Area INF permit area along State Route 203, and improve the snowmaking system throughout the MMSA. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54453">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54453</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mammoth Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Located inside of Mammoth Mountain Ski Area INF permit area.				

<b>Inyo National Forest Mono Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Caltrans Gaz-Ex permit renewal</b> CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2020	Expected:06/2020	07/2020	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 sirons@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Special Use Permit reissuance to the California Department of Transportation for avalanche control systems located in the June Lake and Lee Vining areas. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52614">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52614</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Mt. Downs, above south June Lake Junction, and Lee Vining Hill, north of Lee Vining.				

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<b>Inyo National Forest Mono Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Driveway permit to private residence located in the Peterson Tract, June Lake Area</b> CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 sirons@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Issuance of a special use authorization for driveway for private residence				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=47810">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=47810</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mono Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. June Lake Loop, between Highway 158 and private property located in Peterson Tract.					

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<b>Inyo National Forest Mount Whitney Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Kennedy Meadows Campground Fuel Break Project</b> CE	- Fuels management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Erin Noesser 760-873-2545 elnoesser@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> 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.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50324">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50324</a>				
<b>Location:</b> 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.					
<b>Kern Plateau Grazing Allotments Analysis</b> EIS	- Grazing management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Margaret Wood 760-873-2515 mwood@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Review and analysis of the Monache, Mulkey, Templeton and Whitney grazing allotments in the Golden Trout Wilderness on the Mt Whitney Ranger District				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://data.ecosystem-management.org/nepaweb/nepa_project_exp.php?project=34380">http://data.ecosystem-management.org/nepaweb/nepa_project_exp.php?project=34380</a>				
<b>Location:</b> 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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<b>Inyo National Forest Mount Whitney Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Lone Pine Tribe installation of a water tank and water lines</b> CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Rosalie Herrera 760-873-2455 raherrera@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Indian Health Services on behalf of the Lone Pine Tribe has proposed the installation of a water tank and water lines in the Indian Cemetery vicinity, west of Lone Pine. Project travels from Tribal lands, thru LADWP lands to USFS lands.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Lone Pine, CA on USFS lands west of HWY 395.				
<b>MCS Old 49er Mine Exploration and Production Plan of Operations</b> EA	- Minerals and Geology	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Colleen Garcia 760-873-2424 colleengarcia@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> MCS Old 49er Mine Exploration and Production Plan of Operation located in Mazourka Canyon within the Inyo National Forest				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50746">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50746</a>				
<b>Location:</b> 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.					
<b>Thacher School Term Permit Reissuance for Golden Trout Wilderness School</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/02/2019	Expected:12/2020	01/2021	Jacqueline Beidl (509) 653-1432 jbeidl@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Reissuance of a ten year term permit to The Thacher School for operation and maintenance of Golden Trout Wilderness School in the Golden Trout Wilderness.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52420">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52420</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - T16.5S R35E Section 33 and T17S R35E Section 3 as shown on the Cirque Peak, California 7.5 minute USGS Topographic Map. UTM Zone 11, 394616mE, 4038284mN. . On Cottonwood Creek in the Golden Trout Wilderness at a location just south of the John Muir Wilderness. The camp is roughly 2.5 miles north of the Horseshoe Meadow Trailhead.					

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<b>Inyo National Forest Mount Whitney Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Thacher School permit reissuance for the Golden Trout Camp</b>	- Special use management	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Rosalie Herrera 760-873-2455 raherrera@fs.fed.us
CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	<p><b>Description:</b> Reissuance of a 10 year permit to Thacher School for their operations and facilities @ Golden Trout Camp (GTC). Thacher operates under a special use permit since 1976, the GTC for wilderness education. Name change to Golden Trout Wilderness School.</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52421">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52421</a></p> <p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mount Whitney Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - UTM Coordinates: Zone 11, 408046 mE, 4038135 mN SE ¼ SW ¼ S33, T16S, R35E and S3 T17S, R35E USGS 7.5 min topo Cirque Peak . UTM Coordinates: Zone 11, 408046 mE, 4038135 mN SE ¼ SW ¼ S33, T16S, R35E and S3 T17S, R35E USGS 7.5 min topo Cirque Peak.</p>				

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<b>Inyo National Forest White Mountain Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Birchim Community Services District water tank and pipeline permit reissuance</b>	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Rosalie Herrera 760-873-2455 raherrera@fs.fed.us
CE	<p><b>Description:</b> reissue a permit to the Birchim Community Services District for operation and maintenance of two water tanks, and approximately 500 feet of water line, for water tapped from a system located on private property. Serves the community of Sunny Slopes.</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55020">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55020</a></p> <p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - T4S, R30E, Sections 28 and 29. Near the community of Sunny Slopes, in the vicinity of Tom's Place, California, northeast of highway 395.</p>				

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<b>Inyo National Forest White Mountain Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R5 - Pacific Southwest Region</b>		
<b>Eastern White Mountain Road Management</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Road management	In Progress: Scoping Start 12/23/2019	Expected:05/2020	07/2020	Todd Ellsworth 760-873-2457 tellsworth@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Maintain six Forest Service system roads, install barricades on unauthorized routes, close existing road near Red Rock mine with safety concerns, add another 0.5 mile of road to improve access, and change other roads to single-track for motorcycles.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57318">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57318</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Nevada. COUNTY - Esmeralda. LEGAL - Township 1S, Range 33E, multiple sections. Near the Red Rock Mine in Esmeralda County of Nevada.					
<b>LADWP Long Valley Pole Removal and Pole Replacement Project</b> CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 05/2020	Expected:06/2020	07/2020	Rosalie Herrera 760-873-2455 raherrera@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> LADWP Utility Maintenance Project:1)removal of poles & replacement of poles in one line and 2)removal of poles & rehab in second line, 3)relinquish poles				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. LADWP locations of distribution line maintenance work is on a combination of LADWP and INF lands, starting at the Upper Gorge power plant down to the Long Valley Dam, on the White Mtn. Ranger District.				
<b>Pine Glade Assoc. Permit reissuance amendment #1</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/03/2019	Expected:03/2020	04/2020	Erin Noesser 760-873-2449 elnoesser@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Reissued Pine Glade's permit to provide water to recreation residence tract and upgrade underground control room/vault; amend permit for upgrade to water system utility box, pole, conduit.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56518">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56518</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Pine Glade Association water system between Pine Glade recreation resident tract and Rock Creek.					
<b>Southern California Edison Control-Silver Peak 55kV Reliability Project</b> CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 03/2020	Expected:12/2020	05/2021	Sheila Irons 760-924-5534 siron@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Installation of remote fault indicators, packet routers, and installation of remote switches along with poles replacements.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54262">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54262</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Silver Canyon, east of Bishop, CA.					

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<b>Starlite water tank and pipeline permit reissuance</b> CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Rosalie Herrera 760-873-2455 raherrera@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Reissue a 20 year permit for an existing 50,000 gallon water storage reservoir and pipeline, used by the community of Starlite.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55023">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55023</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - T7S, R31E, Sections 23 and 27. Directly south of the community of Starlite, which is east of Bishop, California.					
<b>Univ. of Nevada, Reno research study "Common Grounds" on the White Mtn. Ranger District.</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/24/2019	Expected:07/2020	08/2020	Rosalie Herrera 760-873-2455 raherrera@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> This study addresses a significant knowledge gap in variation in seedling traits and success in high-elevation conifer forests, which play a critical role in providing water through snowpack stabilization.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56522">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56522</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Bishop Creek and White Mountains.					
<b>University of CA Riverside "Fungal-plant-pollinator phenology shifts in response to climate change"</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/24/2019	Expected:05/2020	06/2020	Rosalie Herrera 760-873-2455 raherrera@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Goal is to determine how plant & insect pollinator phenology changes along an elevational gradient in an alpine environment, & to examine the cross-generational effects of mycorrhiza and elevation on plant phenotype, in plots within White Mountains.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White Mountain Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Inyo, Mono. LEGAL - Not Applicable. White Mountains on the White Mountain Ranger District.				

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