



Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

10/01/2021 to 12/31/2021

Siuslaw National Forest

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Projects Occurring Nationwide

Locatable Mining Rule - 36 CFR 228, subpart A. EIS	- Regulations, Directives, Orders	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Sarah Shoemaker 907-586-7886 sarahshoemaker@fs.fed.us
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 .					

Siuslaw National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)

R6 - Pacific Northwest Region

Oregon Dunes National Recreation Area OHV Sound Limit Forest Plan Amendment CE *UPDATED*	- Land management planning - Recreation management	In Progress: Scoping Start 05/25/2021 Est. Comment Period Public Notice 12/2021	Expected:07/2022	07/2022	Garrit Craig 541-271-6001 garrit.craig@usda.gov
Description: Forest Plan amendment proposal to increase the sound limit for ORVs to more nearly match those of Oregon State DEQ limits.					
Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60053					
Location: UNIT - Siuslaw National Forest All Units. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Coos, Douglas, Lane. LEGAL - Townships 18, 19, 20 and 21, South, Range 12 West; Townships 21, 22, 23, and 24 South, Range 13 West, Willamette Meridian; Lane, Douglas, and Coos Counties, Oregon. This proposed project is in the Oregon Dunes National Recreation Area, west of Highway 101 and between the cities of Florence and North Bend, Oregon where motorized vehicle use is allowed (MA B,C, D.).					

Siuslaw National Forest Central Coast Ranger District/Oregon Dunes National Recreation Area (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)

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Franklin and Wasson Wild and Scenic Rivers Comprehensive River Management Plan EA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Land management planning - Recreation management - Special area management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants 	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/24/2021 Est. Comment Period Public Notice 10/2021	Expected:03/2022	03/2022	Trevor Robinson 541-750-7047 trevor.robinson@usda.gov
	Description: Develop a comprehensive river management plan (CRMP) for two newly designated wild and scenic rivers. CRMP will include identification and inventory of outstanding remarkable values, a visitor capacity determination, and management direction.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59324				
Location: UNIT - Central Coast Ranger District/Oregon Dunes National Recreation Area. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - T 21S R 9W Sections 7-8 and 17-18, T 21 S, R 10W Sections 11 - 14, 22-23, 26-27, and T 22S R 10W sections 2-4 and 8-9. 10 miles east of Reedsport, OR between the Umpqua River and Smith River.					
Marys Peak Bonneville Power Administration Communication Site Project EA *UPDATED*	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Special use management 	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 10/23/2020	Expected:01/2022	05/2022	Angela Morris 541-563-8464 angelamorris@fs.fed.us
	Description: BPA needs to maintain and upgrade its existing communication site located on Marys Peak. Some equipment is outdated and unstable and needs to be replaced. BPA plans to prepare an environmental assessment (EA). The USFS is a cooperating agency				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50453				
Location: UNIT - Central Coast Ranger District/Oregon Dunes National Recreation Area. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Benton. LEGAL - T12S, R7W, Section 21, WM. Within the Marys Peak Scenic Botanical Area, approximately 12 miles southwest of Corvallis. https://www.bpa.gov/efw/Analysis/NEPADocuments/Pages/Marys-Peak-BPA-Communications-Site-Project.aspx .					

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North Fork Smith Restoration - Terrestrial EA *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Road management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 05/2022	Expected:09/2023	10/2023	Lawrence Fisher 541-563-8406 lawrence.fisher@usda.gov
	Description: This is a landscape-scale terrestrial restoration project in the North Fork Smith River watershed area. Activities include: plantation thinning, wildlife habitat enhancement, invasive plant treatments, and road improvements.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59122				
Location: UNIT - Central Coast Ranger District/Oregon Dunes National Recreation Area. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas, Lane. LEGAL - Not Applicable. About 11.5 air miles northeast of Reedsport, Oregon (Douglas County); and about 7 air miles east of Dunes City, and about 11 air miles southeast of Florence, both in Lane County, Oregon.					

Siuslaw National Forest Hebo Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R6 - Pacific Northwest Region
Sand Lake Restoration Project EA *UPDATED*	- Recreation management - Special area management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Road management	Completed	Actual: 08/02/2021	09/2021	Hannah Smith 541-575-3031 hannahksmith@fs.fed.us
	Description: This is a landscape-scale restoration project in the Sand Lake watershed. Activities include: plantation thinning, fish and wildlife habitat enhancement, invasive plant treatments, road and recreation improvements, and sand dune restoration.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=53176				
Location: UNIT - Hebo Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Tillamook. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Sand lake Watershed and parts of Netarts Watershed, from Cape Lookout to Camp Kiwanda State Park.					

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