



Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

01/01/2020 to 03/31/2020

Umpqua National Forest

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R6 - Pacific Northwest Region, Regionwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Region)

Regional Aquatic Restoration Project EA *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Watershed management	Completed	Actual: 12/18/2019	01/2020	James Capurso 503-808-2847 jcapurso@fs.fed.us
Description: The USFS is proposing a suite of aquatic restoration activities for Region 6 to address ongoing needs, all of which have completed consultation, including activities such as fish passage restoration, wood placement, and other restoration activities.					
Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=53001					
Location: UNIT - R6 - Pacific Northwest Region All Units. STATE - Oregon, Washington. COUNTY - Adams, Asotin, Benton, Chelan, Clallam, Clark, Columbia, Cowlitz, Douglas, Ferry, Franklin, Garfield, Grant, Grays Harbor, Island, Jefferson, King, Kitsap, Kittitas, Klickitat, Lewis, Lincoln, Mason, Okanogan, Pacific, Pend Oreille, Pierce, San Juan, Skagit, Skamania, Snohomish, Spokane, Stevens, Thurston, Wahkiakum, Walla Walla, Whatcom, Whitman, Yakima, Baker, Benton, Clackamas, Clatsop, Columbia, Coos, Crook, Curry, Deschutes, Douglas, Gilliam, Grant, Harney, Hood River, Jackson, Jefferson, Josephine, Klamath, Lake, Lane, Lincoln, Linn, Malheur, Marion, Morrow, Multnomah, Polk, Sherman, Tillamook, Umatilla, Union, Wallowa, Wasco, Washington, Wheeler, Yamhill. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project will span all national forests in Region 6.					

R6 - Pacific Northwest Region, Occurring in more than one Forest (excluding Regionwide)

Forest Plan Amendments for the Pacific Connector Gas Pipeline EIS *UPDATED*	- Land management planning	In Progress: Objection Period Legal Notice 11/22/2019	Expected:02/2020	04/2020	David Krantz 541-618-2082 dkrantz@fs.fed.us
Description: The Forest Service is proposing to amend the Land and Resource Management Plans (LRMP) for the Umpqua, Rogue River, and Winema National Forests for the proposed Pacific Connector Gas Pipeline.					
Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=28132					
Location: UNIT - Tiller Ranger District, Klamath Ranger District, High Cascades Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas, Jackson, Klamath. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Umpqua NF, Rogue River NF, and Winema NF.					

Umpqua National Forest, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)

R6 - Pacific Northwest Region

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Umpqua National Forest, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)			R6 - Pacific Northwest Region		
Mountain Bike Outfitter and Guide Special Use CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/07/2019	Expected:01/2020	01/2020	Elspeth Gustavson 541-496-4169 egustavson@fs.fed.us
	Description: Special use permit for two Mountain Bike Outfitter Guides to operate on North Umpqua and Diamond Lake District System trails.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57267				
Location: UNIT - North Umpqua Ranger District, Diamond Lake Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Forest System trails on the North Umpqua and Diamond Lake Ranger Districts.					
North Umpqua Trail Race Events Special Use CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/07/2019	Expected:01/2020	01/2020	Elspeth Gustavson 541-496-4169 elspeth.gustavson@usda.gov
	Description: Special use authorizations for two annual race events on the North Umpqua Trail: the NUT cracker mountain bike race and a 100K trail run.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57268				
Location: UNIT - North Umpqua Ranger District, Diamond Lake Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Along 62 miles of the North Umpqua Trail between the Lemolo Lake and Swiftwater Trailheads.					

Umpqua National Forest	Cottage Grove Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)	R6 - Pacific Northwest Region			
Bohemia North Thin EA *UPDATED*	- Forest products - Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 12/11/2019 Est. Comment Period Public Notice 07/2020	Expected:02/2021	09/2022	Jennifer Christie 541-496-4194 jennifer.a.christie@usda.gov
	Description: The District will analyze approximately 3,950 acres of managed stands under 80 years of age for thinning to improve stand growth and vigor and to produce a sustainable supply of forest products.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56953				
Location: UNIT - Cottage Grove Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Lane. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The Layng Creek subwatershed within the Row River 5th field.					

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Umpqua National Forest Cottage Grove Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R6 - Pacific Northwest Region		
Cottage Grove Snowdown Sanitation CE *NEW LISTING*	- Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products)	In Progress: Scoping Start 12/11/2019	Expected:02/2020	07/2020	Jennifer Christie 541-767-5715 jchristie@fs.fed.us
	Description: This project would prevent timber loss from epidemic insect outbreaks in the Layng Creek 5th field watershed.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57194				
Location: UNIT - Cottage Grove Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Lane. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Layng Creek 5th field watershed.					

Umpqua National Forest Diamond Lake Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R6 - Pacific Northwest Region		
Diamond Lake Sled Dog Races Special Use CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/07/2019	Expected:01/2020	01/2020	Elspeth Gustavson 541-496-4169 elspeth.gustavson@usda.gov
	Description: Special use authorization for a sled dog race sponsored by Cascade Sled Dog Club to take place on the Nordic trails of the Diamond Lake Winter Recreation Area.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57412				
Location: UNIT - Diamond Lake Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - Township 27 South, Range 6 East, Section 32. Nordic trails of the Diamond Lake Winter Recreation Area.					
Diamond Lake Whitebark Pine Planting 2019 CE	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	In Progress: Scoping Start 05/31/2019	Expected:07/2019 Actual: 07/01/2019	07/2019	Russell Oakes 541-498-2531 roakes@fs.fed.us
	Description: Planting of blister rust resistant whitebark pine seedlings at four locations and on 674 acres of the Diamond Lake Ranger District to increase forest health and resilience to blister rust. A decision has been made for one of the four locations.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56053				
Location: UNIT - Diamond Lake Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - Township 25 South Range 5 1/2 East, Section 27; Township 27S Range 5 1/2E, Sec. 11 and 12; Township 28S Range 5E, Sec. 9 and 10; Township 28S Range 4E, Sec. 12; Township 28S Range 5E, Sec. 7. Mt. Bailey, West Tipsoo Peak, Sawtooth Mt., and Garwood Butte. Garwood Butte site decision was completed in June 2019. Decision on remaining 3 sites in progress.					

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Fish Creek Integrated Resource Restoration Project EIS *UPDATED*	- Recreation management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management - Road management	Developing Proposal Est. NOI in Federal Register 04/2020	Expected:12/2021	03/2022	Elspeth Gustavson 541-496-4169 elspeth.gustavson@usda.gov
	Description: This project seeks to restore landscape vegetation patterns, resiliency to wildfire, and improve watershed and forest health. It will focus on restoring legacy pine stands, wildlife habitat, and the Fish Creek Desert area.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56966				
Location: UNIT - Diamond Lake Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Fish Creek Watershed.					
Mount Bailey 3000 Snowmobile Ride Special Use CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/07/2019	Expected:01/2020	01/2020	Elspeth Gustavson 541-496-4169 elspeth.gustavson@usda.gov
	Description: A Rogue Snowmobilers one day snowmobile ride that will utilize existing trails open to motorized, snowmobile use.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57413				
Location: UNIT - Diamond Lake Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - Township 27 South, Range 6 East, Section 32. Diamond Lake motorized snow trails.					
Oregon Interscholastic Ski Racing Association Race Special Use CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/07/2019	Expected:01/2020	01/2020	Elspeth Gustavson 541-496-4169 elspeth.gustavson@usda.gov
	Description: Special use authorization for two cross country ski races for high school Nordic ski teams in the Northern Exposure Nordic ski area.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57411				
Location: UNIT - Diamond Lake Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - Township 27 South, Range 6 East, Section 29. Northern Exposure, Nordic ski area.					

Umpqua National Forest North Umpqua Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)	R6 - Pacific Northwest Region
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Calf-Copeland Restoration Project EIS *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Fuels management - Watershed management	In Progress: DEIS NOA in Federal Register 08/16/2019 Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 03/2020	Expected:06/2020	09/2021	Richard Helliwell 541-957-3337 rhelliwell@fs.fed.us
	Description: This project would restore habitat for legacy trees including sugar pine, ponderosa pine and white oak and increase landscape resiliency to uncharacteristic fire, pest and pathogens.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=46990				
Location: UNIT - North Umpqua Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - Not Applicable. T 26S R 1E, 2E and 3E; T27S 1E, 2E and 3E.					
Davis Ranch Driveway Access Special Use Permit CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 12/30/2019	01/2020	Elspeth Gustavson 541-496-4169 egustavson@fs.fed.us
	Description: Special use permit to allow for private motor vehicle access to a private land inholding by way or an existing power line road on National Forest System lands.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57264				
Location: UNIT - North Umpqua Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - Township 26 South, Range 2 East, Sections 19 and 20. On Federal Energy Regulatory Commission withdrawn lands near Bradley Ridge.					
Mace Mountain Roadside Fuel Break CE *NEW LISTING*	- Fuels management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 01/2020	Expected:05/2020	09/2020	Adam Simmons 541-496-4145 agsimmons@fs.fed.us
	Description: Creation of a 300 foot wide fuel break along about 2 miles of National Forest System road to connect treatment on adjacent Bureau of Land Management roads. Understory trees would be felled by hand and either chipped or hand piled and burned.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57265				
Location: UNIT - North Umpqua Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - Township 25 South, Range 1 West, Sections 31 & 32. North of Mace Mountain along a section of Forest road 500 near the BLM and private land boundary with the North Umpqua Ranger District.					

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Umpqua National Forest North Umpqua Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R6 - Pacific Northwest Region		
Twin Lakes Youth Campout Special Use CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/07/2019	Expected:01/2020	01/2020	Elspeth Gustavson 541-496-4169 egustavson@fs.fed.us
	Description: Special use permit for an Umpqua Watersheds youth campout near the Little Twin Lake.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57266				
Location: UNIT - North Umpqua Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - Township 27 South, Range 2 East, Section 9. Shelter at Little Twin Lake.					

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Umpqua National Forest Tiller Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R6 - Pacific Northwest Region		
Buckeye Integrated Resource Restoration Project EA *UPDATED*	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Recreation management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management - Road management 	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 03/2020	Expected:12/2021	03/2022	Elspeth Gustavson 541-496-4169 elspeth.gustavson@usda.gov
	Description: The project will include activities to improve watershed and forest health and increase fire resilience, including commercial and noncommercial thinning, changes to the transportation system, fuel breaks, prescribed fire, and meadow restoration.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56965				
Location: UNIT - Tiller Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Buckeye Creek Watershed.					

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Skillem Integrated Resource Restoration Project EA *UPDATED*	- Recreation management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management - Road management	In Progress: Objection Period Legal Notice 12/18/2019	Expected:02/2020	03/2020	Elspeth Gustavson 541-4964169 egustavson@fs.fed.us
	Description: Project designed to improve water quality and aquatic habitat, maintain and improve the health of previously managed stands, lower risk of catastrophic fire, improve wildlife habitat, improve view from fire lookout, improve public safety.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50991				
Location: UNIT - Tiller Ranger District. STATE - Oregon. COUNTY - Douglas. LEGAL - T28S R1E Sec. 25, 34-36; T28S R2E Sec. 19, 20, 28-33; T29S R1E Sec. 1-4, 9-16; T29S R2E Sec. 4-9, 18. Skillet Creek - South Umpqua River 6th field watershed. Douglas County, Oregon.					

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