



## Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

10/01/2019 to 12/31/2019

### Ouachita National Forest

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Project Name	Project Purpose	Planning Status	Decision	Expected Implementation	Project Contact
<b>Ouachita National Forest, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>2020 Mena Oden Farm Bill Thinning Project</b> CE *NEW LISTING*	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/16/2019	Expected:09/2019	10/2019	Charity Ryles 479-394-2382 cjryles@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Thinning to promote resiliency to insect and disease infestation on 1029 acres in the Oden and Mena Ranger District.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56589">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56589</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mena Ranger District, Oden Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Montgomery, Scott. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Stands within Turkey Pen, Brantley, Clear Fork and Narrows sale areas. Turkey Pen is located south of Oden AR. Brantley and Narrows are located north east of Sims AR. Clear Fork is north of Mena.					
<b>Arkansas Department of Transportation Roadside Vegetation Management</b> EA *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 08/12/2019	Expected:01/2020	01/2020	Lisa Cline 501-321-5256 lisa.cline@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Amend ArDOT's existing authorizations to apply herbicides for vegetation control (maintenance) of approximately 113 miles of state and federal highway roadsides on National Forest System lands.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55950">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55950</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mena Ranger District, Caddo Ranger District, Cold Springs Ranger District, Fourche Ranger District, Oden Ranger District, Poteau Ranger District, Womble Ranger District, Jessieville Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Ashley, Garland, Hot Spring, Howard, Logan, Montgomery, Perry, Pike, Polk, Saline, Scott, Sebastian, Yell. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Roadsides and associated infrastructure throughout the Ouachita NF.					
<b>East Horseshoe Rx Burn</b> CE *UPDATED*	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	Completed	Actual: 09/24/2019	10/2019	Raymond Self 479-637-4174 rlself@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Approximately 5,136 acres in Compartments 1274, 1275, 1288, and 1289.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56073">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56073</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cold Springs Ranger District, Poteau Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Scott. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Compartments 1274, 1275, 1288, and 1289.					

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<b>Enable Gas Transmission Integrated Vegetation Management Project</b> EA  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/23/2019 Est. Comment Period Public Notice 12/2019	Expected:05/2020	05/2020	Lisa Cline 501-321-5256 lcline@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Amend special use permit to allow herbicide treatment on approximately 18.35 miles of natural gas pipeline ROW maintenance on the Jessieville-Winona-Fourche RD and approximately 1.18 miles on the Caddo-Womble RD for a period of 30 years.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56811">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56811</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Caddo Ranger District, Fourche Ranger District, Womble Ranger District, Winona Ranger District, Jessieville Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Garland, Perry, Pike, Yell. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Natural gas pipeline rights-of-way traversing National Forest System lands on two units of the Forest.					
<b>Fox Hunters Rx Burn</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	Completed	Actual: 09/24/2019	10/2019	Raymond Self 479-637-4174 rself@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Prescribe burn approximately 4,469 acres in Compartments 322, 323, 324, and 325.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56074">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56074</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cold Springs Ranger District, Poteau Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Scott. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Compartments 322, 323, 324, and 325.					
<b>Jack Pigeon Rx Burn</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	Completed	Actual: 09/24/2019	10/2019	Raymond Self 479-637-4174 rself@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Prescribe burn approximately 5,462 acres in Compartments 220 (part), 222 (part), 223, 224, 225, 226, 227 (part), and 228 (part).				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56075">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56075</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cold Springs Ranger District, Poteau Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Logan, Scott. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Compartments 220 (part), 222 (part), 223, 224, 225, 226, 227 (part), 228 (part).					
<b>King Doodle Rx Burn</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	Completed	Actual: 09/24/2019	10/2019	Raymond Self 479-637-4174 rself@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Prescribe burn approximately 2,997 acres in Compartments 227 (part), 232, 233, and 234.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56076">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56076</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cold Springs Ranger District, Poteau Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Scott. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Compartments 227 (part), 232, 233, and 234.					

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<b>Mud Creek Rx Burn</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	Completed	Actual: 09/24/2019	10/2019	Raymond Self 479-637-4174 rlself@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Prescribe burn approximately 5,819 acres in Compartments 257, 294 (part), 325, 326, and 327.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56077">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56077</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cold Springs Ranger District, Poteau Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Scott. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Compartments 257, 294 (part), 325, 326, and 327.					
<b>Subscribe to Our Mailing Lists</b> EA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Land management planning</li> <li>- Recreation management</li> <li>- Heritage resource management</li> <li>- Special area management</li> <li>- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants</li> <li>- Grazing management</li> <li>- Forest products</li> <li>- Vegetation management (other than forest products)</li> <li>- Fuels management</li> <li>- Watershed management</li> <li>- Minerals and Geology</li> <li>- Land ownership management</li> <li>- Land acquisition</li> <li>- Special use management</li> <li>- Facility management</li> <li>- Road management</li> <li>- Research and Development</li> </ul>	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 01/2020	Expected:01/2025	01/2025	Lisa Cline 501-321-5256 lcline@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> To better serve the public, the Forest has migrated to an electronic mailing platform. This project provides the public access to subscribe to electronic mailing lists, giving them direct control over the information they receive.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49516">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49516</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mena Ranger District, Kiamichi Ranger District, Caddo Ranger District, Cold Springs Ranger District, Fourche Ranger District, Oden Ranger District, Poteau Ranger District, Womble Ranger District, Winona Ranger District, Jessieville Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas, Oklahoma. COUNTY - Ashley, Garland, Hot Spring, Howard, Logan, Montgomery, Perry, Pike, Polk, Saline, Scott, Sebastian, Yell, Le Flore, McCurtain. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Subscribe to our mailing lists.					

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<b>Ouachita National Forest</b>	<b>Caddo Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>				<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Wilson Access</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 09/12/2019	09/2019	Chip Stokes 870-867-2101 chip.stokes@usda.gov
<b>Description:</b> Permission to use and maintain approximately 340 feet of existing non-system road crossing National Forest System lands					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56540">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56540</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Caddo Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Polk. LEGAL - Not Applicable. the NE ¼, NE ¼, Section 2 of Township 3 South, Range 28W, and SE ¼, SE ¼, Section 35 of Township 2 South, Range 28 West, 5th Principal Meridian, Polk County, AR.					

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<b>FY20 Silviculture DM</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/05/2019	Expected:01/2020	01/2020	Dava Bauer 479-637-4174 dava.bauer@usda.gov
<b>Description:</b> Approximately 324 acres proposed for silviculture treatments.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56732">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56732</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cold Springs Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Scott. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Various stands on the Ranger District.					
<b>Farm Bill 04</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 10/2019	Expected:07/2020	08/2020	Dava Bauer 479-675-3233 dlbauer@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Implementation of thinning treatments on approx. 2,981 acres. Proposed treatment areas include stands of shortleaf pine timber.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56295">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56295</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cold Springs Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Scott. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Stands scattered across the Ranger District.					

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<b>Fourche Mtn. Adventures Special Use Permit</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 06/20/2019	Expected:09/2019	10/2019	Dava Bauer 479-675-3233 dlbauer@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Proposal for ATV/UTV trail to connect private campground to FS Road 218 using the existing electric line right-of-way to eliminate use of AR Hwy. 270 as access. Will cross 1/4 mile of Forest Service land.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56296">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56296</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cold Springs Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Scott. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Compartment 1308.					
<b>Ladds Creek 10-Year Watershed Entry.</b> EA  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Land management planning - Recreation management - Heritage resource management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management - Special use management - Road management	In Progress:  Est. Comment Period Public Notice 11/2019	Expected:04/2020	05/2020	Donna Reagan 479-675-4743 ext 107 dreagan@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> 10-Year Watershed Entry					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55282">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55282</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cold Springs Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Logan, Scott, Yell. LEGAL - Not Applicable. T5N/R26W/S32-36; T4N/R26W/S1-5; T5N/R25W/S31; T4N/R25W/S6; North of Dry Creek Wilderness Area and southwest of Blue Mountain Lake and State Hwy 10.					
<b>Ross Exploration, Inc. Re-drill and Core Holes</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/05/2019	Expected:12/2019	12/2019	John Strom 479-637-4174 jstrom@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Proposal to re-drill existing producing coal bed methane (CBM) gas wells and drill 3 core wells to sample coal veins. The coal core desorption tests are to determine the methane gas content.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56743">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56743</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Cold Springs Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Scott. LEGAL - Not Applicable. T3N, R32W, Section 6 (2 locations)and T3N, R32W, Sections 10, 11, and 15.					

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<b>Ouachita National Forest Fourche Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Richardson Bottoms Farm Bill</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Forest products	Completed	Actual: 09/30/2019	10/2019	Hunter Speed 501-984-5313 hspeed@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Thinning to improve forest health.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55318">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55318</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Fourche Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Garland. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Area around Richardson Bottoms wildlife viewing area.					

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<b>Little Bear Creek Stream Improvement</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 10/2019	Expected:12/2019	01/2020	Larry Seale 501-321-5250 larry.seale@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Fall trees into stream channel for hydrologic improvement and aquatic species habitat improvement.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56978">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56978</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Jessieville Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Saline. LEGAL - T2N R19W Sec 7-9,16-19; R20W Sec 12,13,24. Approximately 12 miles north of Jessieville.					
<b>New Mines</b> EA	- Minerals and Geology	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Robin Vaughn 501-984-5313 rvaughn@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> New quartz mines are proposed on the JWF.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54614">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54614</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Jessieville Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Garland, Saline. LEGAL - Not Applicable. T2N, R19W, S20/21 T1S, R21W, S2.					
<b>Nimrod Watershed Prescribed Burning</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Fuels management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 08/2019	Expected:01/2020	01/2020	Wyatt Palin 501-984-5313 (ext. 109) wyatt.palin@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Fuel reduction Burning.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Jessieville Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Perry, Yell. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Yell and Perry Counties.				

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<b>North Fork Saline Project</b> EA  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Recreation management</li> <li>- Heritage resource management</li> <li>- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants</li> <li>- Forest products</li> <li>- Vegetation management (other than forest products)</li> <li>- Fuels management</li> <li>- Watershed management</li> <li>- Road management</li> </ul>	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/19/2019 Est. Comment Period Public Notice 09/2019	Expected:12/2019	12/2019	Hunter Speed 501-984-5313 hspeed@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Watershed Level Management.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55319">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55319</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Jessieville Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Perry, Saline. LEGAL - Not Applicable. South of Perryville. North of Paron.					

<b>Ouachita National Forest Kiamichi Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Billy Creek Prescribed Fire</b> CE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants</li> <li>- Vegetation management (other than forest products)</li> <li>- Fuels management</li> </ul>	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/03/2018	Expected:10/2019	11/2019	John Wilson 580-494-6402 x114 kriswilson@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Prescribed burn approximately 8,778 acres with 6.5 miles of associated fireline construction.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54359">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54359</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Kiamichi Ranger District. STATE - Oklahoma. COUNTY - Le Flore. LEGAL - T3N R25E T2N R 25E LEFLORE COUNTY. 2 Miles Northwest of Big Cedar, OK. Along FS Road 6023(South) & Talimena Drive(North).					
<b>Blackjack Fire Salvage Reforestation</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Vegetation management (other than forest products)</li> </ul>	Completed	Actual: 08/22/2019	10/2019	William Keesler 580-494-6402 ext. 114 wkeesler@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Mechanical site preparation, shortleaf pine tree seedling planting, and subsequent crop tree release on approximately 175 acres of an area that was salvage logged.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55155">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55155</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Kiamichi Ranger District. STATE - Oklahoma. COUNTY - Le Flore. LEGAL - Sections 6&8, T3N, R23E, Leflore County, Oklahoma. Approximately 3 miles north of Whitesboro, OK.					

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<b>Blue Mountain Walk-in Turkey Hunting Area Wildlife Habitat Improvement</b> CE *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Fuels management	Completed	Actual: 07/01/2019	08/2019	Robert Bastarache 580-286-6564 rbastarache@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Chainsaw felling of midstory trees less than 10 inches diameter breast height (dbh) on approximately 295 acres and prescribed burning of the entire 325 acre project area.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55638">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55638</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Kiamichi Ranger District. STATE - Oklahoma. COUNTY - Le Flore. LEGAL - Portions of Sections 21,27, and 28 in Township 4 North, Range 24 East of the I.B.M. Southwest of Hodgen, Oklahoma.					
<b>Cedar Lake Septic System Project</b> CE *UPDATED*	- Recreation management - Facility management	Completed	Actual: 07/01/2019	07/2019	Robert Flowers (580) 494-6402 ext 106 robertflowers@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Install new septic system at Cedar Lake Recreation Area				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56194">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56194</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Kiamichi Ranger District. STATE - Oklahoma. COUNTY - Le Flore. LEGAL - Sec T4N R25E. Approximately seven miles southwest of Heavener Oklahoma.					
<b>Choctaw-Kiamichi Prescribed Burn Project</b> EA *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	John Wilson 580-494-6402 x114 kriswilson@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Prescribed burning activities on burn blocks from one to 5,000 acres in size across the 221,800-acre Choctaw and Kiamichi units of the Oklahoma Ranger District.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52022">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52022</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Kiamichi Ranger District. STATE - Oklahoma. COUNTY - Le Flore. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Northern units of the Oklahoma Ranger District - Choctaw and Kiamichi units.					

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<b>Ouachita National Forest Kiamichi Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Hochatown Wildland-Urban Interface</b> EA  *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 01/19/2018 Est. Comment Period Public Notice 08/2019	Expected:01/2020	01/2020	Alex Schwartz 218-229-8832 aschwartz02@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Timber harvests, fuel reduction activities, and wildlife management activities on approximately 6,250 acres of National Forest System land.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52139">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52139</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Kiamichi Ranger District. STATE - Oklahoma. COUNTY - McCurtain. LEGAL - Sections 3-9,15-18,T5S,R25E; Sections 10-15,22-27,36,T4S,R24E. Due east of the town of Hochatown and due west of Broken Bow Lake.					
<b>Lennox Prescribed Fire</b> CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/03/2018	Expected:10/2019	11/2019	John Wilson 580-494-6402 x114 kriswilson@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Prescribe burn 9,400 acres on three burn units; construct 11 miles of fireline.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54358">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54358</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Kiamichi Ranger District. STATE - Oklahoma. COUNTY - Le Flore. LEGAL - T2-3N R24E AND T3N R23E LEFLORE COUNTY. From Whitesboro to Muse Oklahoma.					
<b>Red Slough Water Control Structure Installation</b> CE  *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	In Progress: Scoping Start 04/29/2019	Expected:12/2019	05/2020	Robert Bastarache 580-286-6564 rbastarache@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The addition of two new water control structures (consisting of screw gates with 12" steel pipes and wire mesh panels) within Red Slough Wildlife Management Area to facilitate drainage and allow for water level manipulation within Units 30W and 31.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55641">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55641</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Kiamichi Ranger District. STATE - Oklahoma. COUNTY - McCurtain. LEGAL - A portion of Section 36, Township 9 South, Range 25 East of the I.B.M. Four miles west Tom, Oklahoma.					

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<b>Walker Mountain Wildlife Habitat Improvement</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Fuels management	Completed	Actual: 07/01/2019	12/2019	Robert Bastarache 580-286-6564 rbastarache@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Wildlife opening maintenance, pond construction, and approximately 1,600 acres of prescribed burning.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55639">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55639</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Kiamichi Ranger District. STATE - Oklahoma. COUNTY - Le Flore. LEGAL - T4N, R26E, Sections 14, 20-25 and 28. Northwest of Haw Creek OK.					

<b>Ouachita National Forest</b>	<b>MENA RANGER DISTRICT (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>				<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Heath Creek and Terrapin Creek Wildlife Stand Improvement</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Vegetation management (other than forest products)	Completed	Actual: 06/28/2019	07/2019	Mitzi Cole 501-321-5241 mgcole@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Midstory and overstory reduction using chainsaws for wildlife stand improvement on 971 acres in the Heath Creek and Terrapin Creek areas of the Mena Ranger District.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55951">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55951</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mena Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Scott. LEGAL - Township 1 North Range 31 West Section 13, 23, and 24. Compartments 821, 822, and 832.					
<b>Lewis Access</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management - Road management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/20/2019	Expected:10/2019	10/2019	Russell Standingwater 479-394-2382 rstandingwater@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Authorizing construction and maintenance of a driveway off of Road 7180 including removal of associated timber. As well as maintenance and use of Road 7180.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56590">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56590</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mena Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Polk. LEGAL - Township 1 South, Range 24 West, Section 21. Access to Lewis private property beginning at Forest road 7180 extending to the private property boundary in Township 1 South, Range 24 West, Section 21. 200 foot long 30 foot wide (0.14 acres).					

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<b>Ouachita National Forest MENA RANGER DISTRICT (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Mine Creek Dam Removal</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Road management	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/05/2019	Expected:09/2019	09/2019	Charity Ryles 479-675-3233 cjryles@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> This proposal consists of removing a concrete dam to provide for connectivity of Mine Creek to the Cossatot River for aquatic organisms. Access to remove the dam with heavy equipment has been granted on the private land that adjoins the dam.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56562">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56562</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mena Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Polk. LEGAL - T3S, R29W, Section 32. Mine Creek upstream of the confluence with the Cossatot River south of Mena in Polk County Arkansas.					
<b>Mona Lisa Turquoise Mine</b> EA  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Minerals and Geology	Completed	Actual: 06/28/2019	06/2019	Russell Standingwater 479-637-4174 rstandingwater@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service proposes to allow mineral exploration that would occur within Avant Mining's existing mining claim.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55546">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55546</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mena Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Polk. LEGAL - Section 23 and 24 Township 4 South Range 30 West. Forest Road N75 Polk County, Arkansas.					
<b>Oglesby access Road M99</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management - Road management	Completed	Actual: 07/30/2019	07/2019	Russell Standingwater 479-394-2382 rstandingwater@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Construct, maintain, and use a road across National Forest System lands. Road would be approximately 2,300 feet long and 12 feet wide, used for ingress/egress to undeveloped private land.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56068">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56068</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mena Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Polk. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Section 19 of Township 1S, Range 32W, Polk County, Arkansas.					

<b>Ouachita National Forest ODEN RANGER DISTRICT (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
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<b>Ouachita National Forest ODEN RANGER DISTRICT (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Gafford Creek</b> EA  *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management - Road management	Completed	Actual: 09/11/2019	09/2019	Charity Ryles 479-394-2382 cjryles@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Mena Oden Ranger district proposes to move the Gafford Creek Project area towards the desired conditions as described in the Revised Forest Plan. The Gafford Creek Project Area includes approximately 16,606 acres 675 of which are privately owned.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55974">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55974</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Oden Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Montgomery. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The analysis area for Gafford Creek is composed of Compartments 1044 through 1054 and 1018 it is located to the northeast of Oden, Arkansas, and almost due north of Mt. Ida, Arkansas in Yell County.					

<b>Ouachita National Forest Poteau Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Dogwood Ecological Management Unit - Compartments 1225, 1226, 1230, 1235, 1246, and 1327</b> EA  *NEW LISTING*	- Land management planning - Recreation management - Heritage resource management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management - Special use management - Road management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 12/2019	Expected:07/2020	09/2020	Donna Reagan 479-675-4743 ext 107 dreagan@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> 10-year watershed entry				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Poteau Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Scott. LEGAL - Not Applicable. South of Poteau Mountain Wilderness; west of Waldron; Hwy 28 travels east/west just north of project area. Hwy 248 (east/west) divides area through middle. Scott County, Arkansas.				

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<b>Ouachita National Forest Poteau Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Mill Creek Ecological Management Unit</b> EA  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Land management planning</li> <li>- Recreation management</li> <li>- Heritage resource management</li> <li>- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants</li> <li>- Forest products</li> <li>- Vegetation management (other than forest products)</li> <li>- Fuels management</li> <li>- Watershed management</li> <li>- Special use management</li> <li>- Road management</li> </ul>	Completed	Actual: 08/14/2019	10/2019	Donna Reagan 479-675-4743 ext 107 dreagan@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> 10 Year Watershed Entry <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54232">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54232</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Poteau Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Scott. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Administrative Compartments 1300, 1301, 1302, 1303; approx. 4 miles SE of Boles, AR and 11 miles SE of Waldron, AR; T1N R29W S13-15, 22-24 and T1N, R28W S14-26; HWY 270 southern border.				

<b>Ouachita National Forest Womble Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>2017 Quartz Nominations</b> EA  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Objection Period Legal Notice 02/19/2019	Expected:10/2019	11/2019	Deanna Younger 870-867-2101 dgyounger@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> 2017 Quartz Nominations <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54472">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54472</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Womble Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Montgomery. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Caddo-Womble Ranger District.				
<b>Atlantis Farm Bill</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Forest products	Completed	Actual: 08/02/2019	09/2019	Chip Stokes 870-867-2101 cstokes@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Thinning to improve forest health <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55391">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55391</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Womble Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Montgomery. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Compartments 53, 54, 56, 1638, 1649-1651, and 1660.				

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<b>Ouachita National Forest Womble Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Entergy Permit Amendment-Ferry Service Line</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/20/2019	Expected:10/2019	10/2019	Chip Stokes 870-867-2101 chip.stokes@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Add a 50' electric utility ROW to Entergy's existing special use authorization				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56838">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56838</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Womble Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Montgomery. LEGAL - Sec 4, T2S-R24W. Approx. 5 mi NE of Mount Ida, AR.					
<b>Fulton Branch</b> EA  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management - Road management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 09/01/2019	Expected:11/2019	11/2019	Chip Stokes 870-867-2191 cstokes@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Watershed entry including timber harvest, prescribed burning, wildlife enhancement activities.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54089">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54089</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Womble Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Montgomery. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Approx. 10 miles north of Mount Ida, AR.					
<b>Glade Restoration</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	Completed	Actual: 06/28/2019	07/2019	Chip Stokes 870-867-2101 cstokes@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Glade restoration by cedar removal				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55898">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55898</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Womble Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Montgomery. LEGAL - Not Applicable. T1S R23&24W.					

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<b>Ouachita National Forest</b>	<b>Womble Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>				<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
Walnut EA  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants</li> <li>- Forest products</li> <li>- Vegetation management (other than forest products)</li> <li>- Fuels management</li> <li>- Watershed management</li> <li>- Road management</li> </ul>	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 01/2020	Expected:09/2020	10/2020	Chip Stokes 870-867-2101 cstokes@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Watershed entry including timber harvest, prescribed burning, wildlife enhancement activities.					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Womble Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Garland, Montgomery. LEGAL - Not Applicable. T2S R22&23W; T3S R22&23W.					

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