



## Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

04/01/2010 to 06/30/2010

### Ozark-St. Francis National Forests

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
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#### R8 - Southern Region, Occurring in more than one Forest (excluding Regionwide)

<b>CEGT Special Use Permits Amendments</b> EA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Vegetation management (other than forest products)</li> <li>- Special use management</li> </ul>	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Lisa Cline 501-321-5256 lcline@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Amend CenterPoint Energy Gas Transmission Company's (CEGT) existing special use permits to allow the application of selected herbicides for vegetation management along CEGT's natural gas pipeline rights-of-way on Forest Service property.					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boston Mountain Ranger District, Fourche Ranger District, Magazine Mountain Ranger District, Jessieville Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Crawford, Franklin, Garland, Logan, Perry, Washington, Yell. LEGAL - Through Crawford, Franklin, Garland, Logan, Perry, Washington and Yell Counties, Arkansas. Approximately 36 miles of dual pipeline right-of-way in Ouachita and Ozark National Forests.					

#### Ozark-St. Francis National Forests, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)

#### R8 - Southern Region

<b>Bearcat Hollow Phase II</b> EA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants</li> <li>- Vegetation management (other than forest products)</li> <li>- Road management</li> <li>- Recreation management</li> <li>- Fuels management</li> <li>- Forest products</li> </ul>	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 02/2009	Expected:06/2009	08/2009	Jimmie Dixon 870-446-5122 jldixon01@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Timber management treatments consisting of thinnings, W/L opening creation, regeneration, oak/pine savannah/woodland restoration, NNIS, road, rx burn, construction/reconstruction, horse trail designation, OHV management, and relocate portions of OHT.					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Buffalo Ranger District, Bayou Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Newton, Pope, Searcy. 1 mile west of Witt Springs, AR.					

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<b>Ozark-St. Francis National Forests, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Establishment and Maintenance of Seed Source Areas on the Sylamore and St. Francis Ranger Districts</b> EA	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/04/2008 Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 07/2010	Expected:09/2010	03/2011	Len Weeks 479-964-7231 lweeks@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Establishment and maintenance of 4 seed orchards on the Sylamore Ranger District and 2 seed orchards on the St. Francis Ranger District.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Sylamore Ranger District, St. Francis Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Phillips, Stone. Sylamore: C46 stands 6 & 22, C58 stand 26, C53 stand 14. St Francis: C15 stands 23 &14.				

<b>Ozark-St. Francis National Forests Bayou Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>2010 Salvage Regeneration Project</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	In Progress: 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 03/16/2010	Expected:04/2010	04/2010	Samuel Clark 479-284-3150 samclark@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Plant pine seedlings on 111 acres of 2009 ice storm damaged areas followed by manual release and manual pre-commercial thinning treatments.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Bayou Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Newton. LEGAL - T13N R19W sec 6-9. T13N R20W sec 1 & 12. 2 miles NE of Lurton, AR.				
<b>Ronnie Campbell Land Exchange</b> EA	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Land ownership management - Land acquisition	In Progress: 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 08/23/2007	Expected:10/2009	11/2009	Terrell Hope 870-446-5122 thope@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Exchange 263 acres of land owned by Ronnie Campbell for 210 acres of federal owned land.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Bayou Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Newton. LEGAL - T14N, R20W, Newton County, AR. 7 miles east of Deer, AR.				

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<b>Sand Gap and Buck Branch Prescribed Fire Project</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Recreation management</li> <li>- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants</li> <li>- Vegetation management (other than forest products)</li> <li>- Fuels management</li> </ul>	In Progress: 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 01/14/2010	Expected:03/2010	04/2010	Mark Morales 479-284-3150 mmorales@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Prescribe burn 4,516 acres during any season.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Bayou Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Newton, Pope. LEGAL - T13N, R19W, Sec 30 & 31; T13N, R20W, Sec 21-23, 25-28, & 33-36. 1/2 mile N of Sand Gap, AR.				
<b>South Fork Project</b> EA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Recreation 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>- Minerals and Geology</li> <li>- Road management</li> </ul>	Completed	Actual: 03/11/2010	05/2010	Samuel Clark 479-284-3150 samclark@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Pine thin - 1984ac; Hardwood thin - 238 ac; Pine regen cut - 15ac; Hardwood regen cut - 482ac; Wildlife stand improvement - 1995 ac; Pre-commercial thin - 141ac; Rx fire - 12501ac; Herbicide use - 2720ac; Road work - 48.8mi.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Bayou Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Pope, Van Buren. LEGAL - T10N,R16W,Sec5-8; T10N,R17W,Sec1-6,10-12; T11N,R16W,Sec29-32; T11N,R17W,Sec24-36. 9 miles N. of Jerusalem, AR between Gulf Mtn Wildlife Management Area and East Fork Wilderness.				
<b>Southwestern Power Administration Vegetation Management Project</b> EA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Special use management</li> <li>- Vegetation management (other than forest products)</li> </ul>	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 07/2008	Expected:10/2008	11/2008	John Andre 479-284-3150 jandre@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Use of herbicides on a 20-mile by 100ft powerline right-of-way easement.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Bayou Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Pope, Searcy. The ROW enters the Forest 1.5 mi south of Long Pool Rec Area & exits 1mi SW of Witt Springs, AR.				

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<b>Ozark-St. Francis National Forests Boston Mountain Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Boone Pine Project</b> CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Watershed management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 05/2010	Expected:09/2010	10/2010	Mike Hennigan 479-667-2191 mhennigan@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Proposal to thin mature poletimber stands on approximately 46 acres to correct the current state of closely growing pines which are losing their vitality and resiliency to insects and disease				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boston Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Madison. LEGAL - T 13N R 27W section 18 and T 23N R 28W sections 12 and 13. Madison County, Delaney quad about 1.5 mile north of Stringum cemetery.				
<b>Boston Mountain Openland Management and Wildlife Habitat Restoration Project</b> EA	- Watershed management - Fuels management - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jobi Brown 479-667-2191 jobibrown@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Restoration/maintenance of existing wildlife openings and fields using mechanical and chemical methods. Planting of native grasses and forbs, gating of wildlife opening roads, pond reconstruction.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boston Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Crawford, Franklin, Madison. Wildlife openings on main dvision and Lee Creek as well as Three Rocks, Turners Bend, and Ford Ridge Fields.				
<b>Chambers hollow Creek Watershed Improvement Project</b> CE	- Watershed management - Grazing management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jobi Brown 479-667-2191 jobibrown@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Aquatic habitat improvement project to help stabilize Chambers Hollow Creek. 2 miles of fencing in Wedington grazing allotment to keep cattle out of channel. Native grass plantings on banks, additon of large woody debris to channel.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boston Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Benton. LEGAL - T 17N R 33W sections 7, 18, 19. Wedington Unit #12 range allotment near Chambers Creek.				

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<b>Hollow Brown Project</b> EA	- Recreation management - Heritage resource management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Fuels management - Watershed management - Road management	Completed	Actual: 11/18/2009	12/2009	Mike Hennigan 479-667-2191 mhennigan@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Timber and wildlife habitat improvement proposal including thinning, release, site -prep of hardwood stands.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boston Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Washington. LEGAL - Multiple sections in T 13 N R 29 W and part of T 13 N R 28 W. Washington County east of Winslow and hwy 71 and North of Winfrey.				
<b>Huey's Pine Project</b> CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Watershed management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 02/2010	Expected:04/2010	05/2010	Mike Hennigan 479-667-2191 mhennigan@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Proposal to thin mature poletimber stands on approximately 70 acres to correct the current state of closely growing pines which are losing their vitality and resiliency to insects and disease				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boston Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Crawford. LEGAL - T 12 N R 32 W sections 20 and 29. Crawford county, Natural Dam quad about 4 miles southeast of Liberty, 3 miles northeast of hwy 59.				
<b>Jack Pine Project</b> CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Watershed management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 06/2010	Expected:09/2010	07/2010	Mike Hennigan 479-667-2191 mhennigan@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Proposal to thin mature poletimber stands on approximately 46 acres to correct the current state of closely growing pines which are losing their vitality and resiliency to insects and disease				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boston Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Crawford. LEGAL - T 12 N R 29 W sections 22,23,26, 27. Crawford county Fern quad between Locke and Dockery Gap.				

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<b>Ozark-St. Francis National Forests Boston Mountain Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Mulberry River Project</b> EA  *NEW LISTING*	- Recreation management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Watershed management - Facility management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 06/2010	Expected:10/2010	12/2010	John Lane 479-667-2191 johnlane@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Improvements to recreational/hunting access in Mulberry River Turner Bend area. New canoe launch site and facilities. Turner Bend Small Game area habitat improvements and improved hunter access including wheelchair accessible areas.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boston Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Franklin. LEGAL - sections 3,26,34,35 T 12 N R 27 W. Specific canoe access site not yet determined but in Turner Bend area off highway 23 near Cass.. Turner Bend Small Game Area off highway 23 south of Cass on Forest Road 1501.				
<b>Parsley</b> EA  *NEW LISTING*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management - Road management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 06/2010	Expected:10/2010	11/2010	Mike Hennigan 479-667-2191 mhennigan@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Proposal for timber harvesting, silvicultural, roads, and wildlife/fisheries habitat management treatments to improve forest health and help maintain native ecosystems as well as providing forest products as a by-product of management activities.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boston Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Franklin, Madison. LEGAL - Multiple sections in T 13 N R 27 W. In Combs area north of Mountain Crest, 6 miles west of St. Paul in Madison and northern Franklin counties.				
<b>Prodigy Pine Project</b> CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Watershed management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 07/2010	Expected:09/2010	11/2010	Mike Hennigan 479-667-2191 mhennigan@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Proposal to thin mature poletimber stands on approximately 67 acres to correct the current state of closely growing pines which are losing their vitality and resiliency to insects and disease				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boston Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Franklin. LEGAL - T 11 N R 28 W sections16 and 21. Franklin county in Bidville and Craven quads, 3 miles southwest of Shores Lake and 1/2 mile south of hwy 215.				

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<b>Ozark-St. Francis National Forests Boston Mountain Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Seven Mile Project</b> EA	- 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: 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 09/19/2009	Expected:03/2010	05/2010	Mike Hennigan 479-667-2191 mhennigan@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Vegetation management, timber, watershed, recreation, and wildlife improvement proposal including thinning pine and hardwood stands, regeneration, and prescribed burning.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boston Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Crawford. LEGAL - Multiple sections in T 11N R 31 W also some in T 11N R 32 W. Crawford County north of Cedarville, south of Bald Knob, east of Natural Dam and approximately 9 miles west of Mountainburg.				
<b>Staff Toe Pine Project</b> CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Watershed management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2010	Expected:08/2010	10/2010	Mike Hennigan 479-667-2191 mhennigan@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Proposal to thin mature poletimber stands on approximately 46 acres to correct the current state of closely growing pines which are losing their vitality and resiliency to insects and disease				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boston Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Madison. LEGAL - T13 N R 28 W sections12 and 13. Madison county, Delaney quad 2 miles Northeast of Health and southeast of Brannon.				
<b>Wildcat Range Project</b> CE	- Grazing management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 05/2010	Expected:08/2010	08/2010	Rhea Rylee 479-667-2191 rsrylee@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Review of current management activities on Wedington range allotments				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boston Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Benton, Washington. LEGAL - T 17 N R 31W (5, 6, 8, 17, 18) ; T 17 N R 32 W (3, 18, 19, 27, 28, 33, 34); T 16 N R 32 W (5, 8, 9). Wedington Unit.				

**Ozark-St. Francis National Forests Buffalo Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R8 - Southern Region**

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<b>Ozark-St. Francis National Forests Buffalo Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Upper Buffalo Mountain Biking Trails</b> EA	- Recreation management	Completed	Actual: 10/03/2008	10/2008	Terrell Hope 870-446-5122 thope@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Designate mountain biking trails in the Upper Buffalo watershed above the Wilderness. Approximately 25 to 30 miles.					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Buffalo Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Madison, Newton. Newton and Madison counties near Red Star and Ratford.					

<b>Ozark-St. Francis National Forests Magazine Mountain Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Hogback Exploration, Inc. Case #1 Gathering Pipeline</b> CE	- Minerals and Geology - Special use management	Completed	Actual: 01/05/2010	02/2010	Vicki Weindel 479-963-3076 vweindel@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Granting of a special use permit for the construction of a gas gathering line					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/oanf/ozark/projects/planning/magproject.html">http://www.fs.fed.us/oanf/ozark/projects/planning/magproject.html</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Magazine Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Logan. LEGAL - Section 20, T7N, R23W. Approximately 4 miles southeast of Midway, AR.					
<b>Mt. Magazine/Bear Hollow Prescribe Burn</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Fuels management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 05/2010	Expected:09/2010	10/2010	Vicki Weindel 479-963-3076 vweindel@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> Prescribed burning of approximately 2000 acres					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Magazine Mountain Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Logan. LEGAL - Parts of Sections 13, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 29; T6N; R25W and Sections 17, 18, 19, 20, 29, 30; T6N; R24W. Approximately 6 miles northwest of Havana, AR.					

<b>Ozark-St. Francis National Forests Pleasant Hill Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
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<b>Ozark-St. Francis National Forests Pleasant Hill Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Catalpa</b> EA	<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>- Minerals and Geology</li> <li>- Land ownership management</li> <li>- Road management</li> </ul>	In Progress: 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 12/23/2009	Expected:05/2010	11/2012	Mindi Lawson 479-754-2864 malawson@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Forest health timber harvest of pine & hardwood; wildlife habitat & Fishery improvements; road stability; protection of heritage resources; minerals management; Fuel Reduction; Recreation enhancement				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pleasant Hill Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Johnson, Newton. LEGAL - T13N R24 W Sections 33,35,36; T13N R23W Sections 31; T12N R23W Sections 6,7,17-20; T12N R24W Sections 1-4,8-17,20-25. From Johnson Co. Rd 5261 to SR 215 to the South to 1417 A to the East and NE 419 to the North.				
<b>Cougar</b> EA  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <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>- Minerals and Geology</li> <li>- Special use management</li> <li>- Road management</li> </ul>	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 07/2010	Expected:11/2010	06/2011	Mindi Lawson 479-754-2864 malawson@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Forest health timber harvest of pine & hardwood; wildlife habitat & Fishery improvements; road stability; protection of heritage resources; minerals management; Fuel Reduction; Recreation enhancement.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pleasant Hill Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Johnson, Newton. LEGAL - T13N R24W, Sec. 35-36; T13N R23W, Sec. 31; T12N R24W, Sec. 1-4, 8-17, 21-25; T12N R23W, Sec. 6, 7, 17, 18-20. North of Catalpa & the Mulberry River, and east of the Paterson Springs Road, up to Cowan Knob; Johnson and Newton County, Arkansas.				

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<b>Ozark-St. Francis National Forests Pleasant Hill Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Pleasant Hill Ranger District Work Center Reconstruction and Administrative Office Renovation</b> CE	- Facility management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 06/2009	Expected:07/2009	05/2010	Patricia Kowalewycz 479-754-2864 pkowalewycz@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Pleasant Hill RD would reconstruct the work center which burned due to a lightning strike. Also, the administrative office would be renovated in order to provide a handicap accessible entrance, additional parking and office space.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pleasant Hill Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Johnson. 2591 Hwy 21 North Clarksville, AR 72830.				

<b>Ozark-St. Francis National Forests St. Francis Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Hazardous Fuel Reduction within Compartments 13 and 16</b> EA  *NEW LISTING*	- Fuels management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2010	Expected:09/2010	12/2010	Jan Franks 870-269-3228 jlfranks@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Low-intensity prescribed burning, mechanical treatments and piling/burning treatments to reduce hazardous fuel loads within compartments 13 and 16. Reduced fuels would primarily be maintained through low intensity Rx burning on a 3 to 5 year cycle.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - St. Francis Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Phillips. Compartments 13 and 16.				
<b>Issue of a Special Use Authorization Permitting Porter Lake Hunting Club to Use or Occupy NF System</b> CE  *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 02/01/2010	02/2010	Jan Franks 870-269-3228 jlfranks@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> New permit to replace an expired one to utilize an existing spur road and parking area accessing private land. Road FDR 97020A provides the only feasible access to the hunting club's property. No changes to the use area are proposed.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - St. Francis Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Phillips. LEGAL - SE 1/4 of Section 29, T 1S, R 5E. Forest Development Road 97020A and adjacent parking area.				
<b>Maintenance of Existing Wildlife Openings on the St. Francis National Forest</b> EA	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Vegetation management (other than forest products)	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 12/2010	Expected:05/2011	08/2011	Jan Franks 870-269-3228 jlfranks@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Management activities necessary to maintain existing wildlife openings in open, grassy conditions in cooperation with the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - St. Francis Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Lee, Phillips. District wide, existing wildlife openings.				

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<b>Ozark-St. Francis National Forests Sylamore Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Dorsey #19(1) Range Allotment Pond Construction Project</b> EA  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Grazing management	In Progress: Scoping Start 01/26/2010 Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 04/2010	Expected:05/2010	07/2010	Jan Franks 870-269-3228 jlfranks@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Construction of a pond measuring 60-80 feet in diameter in the western half of an existing grazing allotment to provide a reliable water source for cattle.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/oof/ozark/projects/planning/sylamoreproject.html">http://www.fs.fed.us/oof/ozark/projects/planning/sylamoreproject.html</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Sylamore Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Stone. LEGAL - Section 8, T 16N, R 10W. Dorsey #19 Range Allotment, Field #1.					
<b>Mountain View City Project</b> CE	- Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Facility management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 10/2010	Expected:01/2011	02/2011	Jan Franks 870-269-3228 jlfranks@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Thinning to reduce ladder fuel and improve stand health with mechanical shredding/chipping and prescribed burning to reduce and maintain hazardous fuels on 4.5 acres of the District Office Admin. Site within the city limits of Mountain View, AR.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Sylamore Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Stone. LEGAL - Pt Section 12, T.14N, R.11W. 1001 East Main Street, Mountain View, AR.				
<b>Non-native Invasive Plant Control</b> EA	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Vegetation management (other than forest products)	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/21/2007 Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 06/2010	Expected:07/2010	09/2010	Jan Franks 870-269-3228 jlfranks@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Treatment of non-native invasive plant species as they are discovered on the Sylamore RD to effectively prevent their spread and to protect natural resources.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.fed.us/oof/ozark/projects/planning/sylamoreproject.html">http://www.fs.fed.us/oof/ozark/projects/planning/sylamoreproject.html</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Sylamore Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Baxter, Marion, Searcy, Stone. Districtwide with focus on corridors (utility, transportation), openings, areas disturbed by management, dispersed trailheads, trails through openings.					

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<b>Ozark-St. Francis National Forests Sylamore Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Special Use Authorization Permitting Use of Two Roads on NF System Lands to Haul Timber From Private</b> CE <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 01/21/2010	01/2010	Jan Franks 870-269-3228 jlfranks@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Use of two existing FS roads that provide the only feasible access to parcels of private property. No changes to the existing condition or character of the proposed use areas. Permit will expire in 5 years.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Sylamore Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Baxter. Forest Development Roads 91095A and FDR 91095J.				
<b>Special Use Authorization Permitting the Three Days of Syllamo Recreation Event</b> CE <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 03/01/2010	03/2010	Jan Franks 870-269-3228 jlfranks@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Endurance foot races on existing trails and roads. No cross country travel off the designated routes; no changes to the existing conditions.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Sylamore Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Baxter, Stone. Syllamo Trail System, Forest Development Road 1110, Stone County Road 52, North Sylamore Creek Hiking Trail, Ozark Highlands Trail.				
<b>Special Use Authorization for the 24 Hours of Syllamo Endurance Mountain Bike Event</b> CE <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 03/01/2010	04/2010	Jan Franks 870-269-3228 jlfranks@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Endurance mountain bike race utilizing the Syllamo Trail system and segments of existing roads. No changes to the existing conditions and no cross country travel are proposed.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Sylamore Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Stone. Syllamo Trail, segments of FS road 91100B, Stone Co Road 52, FS 1110, and FS 1107.				
<b>Special Use Authorization for the Sylamore 50K Recreation Event</b> CE <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 02/16/2010	02/2010	Jan Franks 870-269-3228 jlfranks@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Foot race utilizing the North Sylamore Creek Hiking Trail from the Sylamore Trailhead @ Allison, AR to the Barkshed Campground. No changes to existing conditions.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Sylamore Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Stone. North Sylamore Creek Hiking Trail from Allison Trailhead to Barkshed Campground.				

Project Name	Project Purpose	Planning Status	Decision	Expected Implementation	Project Contact
<b>Ozark-St. Francis National Forests Sylamore Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					<b>R8 - Southern Region</b>
<b>Special Use Authorization for the Syllamo 100 Endurance Run Recreation Event</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 03/01/2010	10/2010	Jan Franks 870-269-3228 jlfranks@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Ultra running event utilizing portions of existing system trails: North Sylamore Creek (NSC) Hiking Trail, NSC Trail Extension, and the Ozark Highlands Trail. No changes to existing conditions or cross country travel are proposed.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Sylamore Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Baxter, Stone. Segments of North Sylamore Creek Hiking Trail and NSC Trail Extension and the Ozark Highlands Trail.				
<b>The Rorie Project</b> EA  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Heritage resource management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Road management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2010	Expected:09/2010	12/2010	Jan Franks 870-269-3228 jlfranks@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Integrated resource management. Includes timber management, hazardous fuels management, wildlife habitat enhancement, treatment of NNIS, and road management activities.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Sylamore Ranger District. STATE - Arkansas. COUNTY - Baxter, Stone. LEGAL - Sections 26, 27, 33, 34, 35 & 36,T17N, R 12W in Baxter Co and Sections 1-4, 9-15 & 22, T16N, R12W in Stone Co. Compartments 27, 36, 80 and 87.				

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