



## Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

10/01/2021 to 12/31/2021

### Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests

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#### Projects Occurring Nationwide

<b>Locatable Mining Rule - 36 CFR 228, subpart A.</b> EIS	- Regulations, Directives, Orders	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Sarah Shoemaker 907-586-7886 sarahshoemaker@fs.fed.us
<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 apply to all NFS lands open to mineral entry under the US mining laws. More Information is available at: <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/science-technology/geology/minerals/locatable-minerals/current-revisions">https://www.fs.usda.gov/science-technology/geology/minerals/locatable-minerals/current-revisions</a> .					

#### R2 - Rocky Mountain Region, Occurring in more than one Forest (excluding Regionwide)

<b>Xcel Energy Transmission and Distribution Authorization; Operation and Maintenance Plan Project</b> CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 12/2020	Expected:03/2021	05/2021	Matthew Custer 720-822-4321 mscuster@fs.fed.us
<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service proposes to reauthorize approximately 293 miles of existing electric transmission line and 196 miles of electric distribution line; develop and implement a standardized O&M Plan for routine maintenance and vegetation management.					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Conejos Peak Ranger District, Saguache Ranger District, Pawnee Ranger District, Clear Creek Ranger District, Sulphur Ranger District, South Park Ranger District, West Zone/Rifle Ranger District, East Zone/Dillon Ranger District, Boulder Ranger District, East Zone/Holy Cross Ranger District, West Zone/Sopris Ranger District, Leadville Ranger District, East Zone/Eagle Ranger District, Salida Ranger District, Pikes Peak Ranger District, Gunnison Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Boulder, Chaffee, Clear Creek, Conejos, Eagle, Fremont, Garfield, Gilpin, Grand, Gunnison, Jefferson, Lake, Park, Rio Grande, Saguache, Summit, Weld. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Project located on applicable Xcel transmission and distribution lines on National Forests and Grasslands in Colorado,.					

**Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests    Boulder Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)    R2 - Rocky Mountain Region**

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<b>Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests Boulder Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>					
<b>Beach Access</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 08/12/2021	08/2021	Mike Johnson 303-541-2534 mjohnson10@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service proposes to authorize year round use and maintenance on an existing Forest Service Road as access to 4463 Magnolia Drive.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59113">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59113</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boulder Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Boulder. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Magnolia Drive.					
<b>Eldora Alpenhorn Trail Grading Project</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Recreation management - Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/19/2021	Expected:10/2021	10/2021	Don Dressler 720-391-0626 Donald.Dressler@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Eldora Mountain Resort requests to widen the Alpenhorn ski run that crosses a gully to improve skier safety towards the bottom of the ski trail that merges with the Muleshoe ski trail.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60279">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60279</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boulder Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Boulder. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Eldora Mountain Resort in Nederland, CO.					
<b>Eldora Property LLC access</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/28/2020	Expected:01/2022	01/2022	Mike Johnson 303-541-2534 mjohnson10@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service proposes to authorize year round motorized access on an existing road to the Aurom Lode, Emma Lode, Golden Age Lode, Mary EE Lode, Molly McGuire Lode and Bear Placer in Boulder County.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58569">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58569</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boulder Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Boulder. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Eldora Ski Area.					
<b>Eldridge access</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 08/12/2021	08/2021	Mike Johnson 303-541-2534 mjohnson10@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service proposes to authorize the use and maintenance of an existing road to 2946 Conifer Hill Road, Boulder County				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58568">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58568</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boulder Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Boulder. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Conifer Hill.					

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<b>Foss Waterline and Springbox CE</b>  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 08/12/2021	08/2021	Mike Johnson 303-541-2534 mjohnson10@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> Re-Authorize the continued use and maintenance of an existing springbox and waterline <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59617">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59617</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boulder Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Boulder. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Coughlin Meadows.				
<b>Gold Lake Resort building removal CE</b>  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 08/12/2021	08/2021	Mike Johnson 303-541-2534 mjohnson10@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service proposes to authorize Gold Lake Resort to remove a portion of a building which is encroaching onto National Forest System land. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59114">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59114</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Boulder Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Boulder. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Gold Lake, near Ward, CO.				

<b>Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests Canyon Lakes Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>					
<b>Roaring Creek Trail Reroutes CE</b>  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Recreation management	Completed	Actual: 08/04/2021	08/2021	Matthew Cowan 970-531-8921 matthew.cowan@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> To rebuild damaged portions of Roaring Creek trail to be sustainable and accessible and in line with the Trails Mgmt Handbook. Reduce erosion, decrease grades, relocate away from stream. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60516">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60516</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Canyon Lakes Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Larimer. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The first 2 miles of the Roaring Creek Trail heading North from the Roaring Creek Trailhead on State Highway 14. T 9 N, R 74 W, Sec 30.				

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<b>Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests Canyon Lakes Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b></span>					
<b>Special Use Authorization - City of Loveland historic cabin use and operation</b> CE	- Special use management - Facility management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Leslie McFadden 970-295-6651 lmcfadden@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> To issue City of Loveland a long term authorization for use and operation of historic cabins located partially on National Forest System lands adjacent to Visteinz-Smith Park.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57090">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57090</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Canyon Lakes Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Larimer. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Visteinz-Smith Park. County: Larimer. Legal: T5N, R70W, Sec 6.					
<b>Special Use Authorization - Crown Castle Fiber, LLC</b> CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Leslie McFadden 970-295-6651 lmcfadden@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service proposes to issue Crown Castle Fiber, LLC, a long term authorization for the installation and operation of a fiber optic and small cell communication system to be located along Highway 36 between Lyons and Estes Park, Colorado.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57085">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57085</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Canyon Lakes Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Larimer. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Highway 36 between Lyons and Estes Park Colorado in Sec4, T3N, R71W;Sec18, 19, 29, 33, T4N, R71W; Sec 11, 12, 13, T4N, R72W; 6thPrincipal Meridian, Larimer County,CO.					
<b>Special Use Authorization - Platte River Authority fiber optic</b> CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Leslie McFadden 970-295-6651 lmcfadden@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> To issue Platte River Power Authority to construct and operate fiber optic service between Loveland and Estes Park. New line it to be co-located on existing power line system already under authorization to City of Loveland and City of Estes Park.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57089">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57089</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Canyon Lakes Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Larimer. LEGAL - Legal: T5N, R71W, Sec 1, 2, 3; T5N, R70W, Sec 4, 5, 6, 9. existing power line system already under authorization to City of Loveland and City of Estes Park. County: Larimer. Legal: T5N, R71W, Sec 1, 2, 3; T5N, R70W, Sec 4, 5, 6, 9.					

<b>Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests Clear Creek Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b></span>
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<b>Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests Clear Creek Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>					
<b>R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>					
<b>Carr Right of Way Access</b> CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Nicole Malandri 303-567-3011 nicole.malandri@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service proposes to approve the construction, use and maintenance of a 130 foot by 30 foot road right of way to access private property.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59035">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59035</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Clear Creek Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Clear Creek. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Hamlin Gulch.					
<b>Lombard 3 Plan Of Operation</b> CE  *UPDATED*	- Minerals and Geology	Completed	Actual: 08/12/2021	08/2021	Nicole Malandri 303-567-3011 nicole.malandri@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service proposes to authorize a mining plan of operation. The plan includes use of mechanized equipment to open a closed adit, sample and evaluate material, stockpile material and secure adit.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59417">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59417</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Clear Creek Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Clear Creek. LEGAL - T.3S, R.34W, Sec. 1, 6th PM. East of Alice in the Alice Yankee Hill Mining District.					
<b>Paquin Right of Way Access</b> CE  *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/14/2020	Expected:11/2021	12/2021	Nicole Malandri 303-567-3011 nicole.malandri@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service proposes to approve the use and maintenance of an existing 375 foot by 15 foot road to access private property.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57910">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57910</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Clear Creek Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Gilpin. LEGAL - T2S, R73W, Sec 23. Stewart Gulch/ Missouri Gulch Road.					

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<b>Reynolds Right of Way Access</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 09/02/2021	10/2021	Nicole Malandri 303-567-3011 nicole.malandri@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service proposes to approve the use and maintenance of an existing 950 foot by 15 foot road to access private property. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57909">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57909</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Clear Creek Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Gilpin. LEGAL - T2S, R73W, Sec 28, 27. Stewart Gulch/ Missouri Gulch Road.				
<b>Semper Genus LLC Right of Way Access</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Nicole Malandri 303-567-3011 nmalandri@fs.fed.us
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service proposes to approve the use and maintenance of an existing 6000 foot by 30 foot road to access private property. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57369">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57369</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Clear Creek Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Clear Creek. LEGAL - T5S, R72W, Sections 23, 26 and 27,. Brook Forest.				

<b>Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests Pawnee Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>					
<b>2021 East Pawnee Power Line Project</b> EA  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 09/02/2021	09/2021	Lochen Wood 970-218-4820 lochen.wood@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The U.S. Forest Service proposes to authorize construction, operation, and maintenance of 1 mile of overhead power line (115 kV) on the Pawnee National Grassland. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59367">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59367</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Pawnee Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Weld. LEGAL - T. 11 N., R. 58 W., 6th P.M., section 18, E1/2E1/2. The Project Area is about 17.5 miles east-northeast of Grover, Colorado.				

<b>Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests Sulphur Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>					
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<b>Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests Sulphur Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>					
<b>East Troublesome Post-Fire Mitigation Actions on NFS Lands Adjacent to Private Lands</b> CE *UPDATED*	- Watershed management - Special use management	Completed	Actual: 07/13/2021	07/2021	Kathryn Heard (303) 567-3000 Kathryn.Heard@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service proposes to authorize post-fire rehabilitation activities, not to exceed 4200 acres, to repair or improve lands burned in the 2020 East Troublesome Fire that have the potential to impact private lands adjacent to NFS lands.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60349">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60349</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Sulphur Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Grand. LEGAL - Not Applicable. National Forest System Lands within the 2020 East Troublesome Fire burn area.					
<b>Northern Colorado Water Conservancy District Debris Booms</b> CE *UPDATED*	- Watershed management - Special use management	Completed	Actual: 07/26/2021	07/2021	Nicole Malandri 303-567-3011 nicole.malandri@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service proposes to authorize Northern Colorado Water Conservancy District (Northern Water) to install, operate and maintain debris booms on Willow Creek and Shadow Mountain Reservoirs. Proposal includes 1000 feet of gated temporary road.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60093">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60093</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Sulphur Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Grand. LEGAL - T 2 N, R 76 W, Sec 7 6th PM. Willow Creek Reservoir and Shadow Mountain Reservoir.					
<b>USGS Post Fire Rain and Stream Gauges</b> CE *UPDATED*	- Watershed management - Special use management	Completed	Actual: 08/02/2021	08/2021	Nicole Malandri 303-567-3011 nicole.malandri@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service proposes to authorize the additional installation, operation, and maintenance of a network of stream and rain gauges for flood detection located on the Willow, Stillwater and Supply Creeks and tributaries.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60237">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60237</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Sulphur Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Grand. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Willow Creek Upper Basin, Stillwater Creek Basin, Supply Creek Basin.					

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<b>Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests Sulphur Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>					
<b>Upper Williams Fork Cutthroat Trout Reclamation</b> CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 06/2021	Expected:09/2022	09/2022	Valerie Thompson 303-567-3018 Valerie.Thompson@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service is proposing to authorize Denver Water to construct fish barriers on Bobtail and Steelman Creeks in the upper Williams Fork to protect green lineage cutthroat trout.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54657">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54657</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Sulphur Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Grand. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Upper Williams Fork.					
<b>Winter Park Resort Updates, Repair, Maintenance, and Parking Project</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Recreation management - Special use management - Facility management	Completed	Actual: 08/31/2021	08/2021	Monte Lutterman 970-404-3164 monte.lutterman@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Proponent-driven proposal to replace ski lifts, fill and regrade trails, construct storage, remodel and expand restaurant, replace high-voltage lines, expanding parking, replace snowmaking lines, and relocate blockhouses.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59527">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59527</a>				
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Sulphur Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Grand. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Winter Park Resort, Winter Park, Colorado.					

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