



## Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

10/01/2023 to 12/31/2023

### White River National Forest

This report contains the best available information at the time of publication. Questions may be directed to the Project Contact.

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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> .				
<b>Nationwide Aerial Application of Fire Retardant on National Forest System Land.</b> EIS  *UPDATED*	- Regulations, Directives, Orders	In Progress: DEIS NOA in Federal Register 02/11/2022 Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 09/2023	Expected: 09/2023	01/2024	Laura Conway 406-802-4317 laura.conway@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Programmatic Supplemental EIS for the Nationwide Aerial Application of Fire Retardant on National Forest System Land.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60450">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60450</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - All Districts-level Units. STATE - All States. COUNTY - All Counties. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The direction in the SEIS will apply to use of aerially delivered fire retardant on all National Forest System land.				

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

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<b>R2 - Rocky Mountain Region, Occurring in more than one Forest (excluding Regionwide)</b>					
<b>Thompson Divide Withdrawal</b> EA	- Land management planning - Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/17/2022	Expected:10/2024	10/2024	Elysia Retzlaff 541-777-1355 elysia.retzlaff@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service requested 224,704 acres of NFS and BLM lands be withdrawn from all forms of entry, appropriation, and disposal under the public land laws, mining laws, and mineral and geothermal leasing laws, subject to valid existing rights.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=63679">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=63679</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - West Zone/Aspen Ranger District, Paonia Ranger District, West Zone/Sopris Ranger District, Gunnison Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Garfield, Gunnison, Pitkin. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Thompson Divide.				

<b>White River National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)</b>			<b>R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>		
<b>Natural Resources Conservation Service SNOTEL Special Use Permit Reissuance</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/30/2020	Expected:10/2023	11/2023	Michael Braudis 970-404-3153 michael.braudis@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> White River National Forest (WRNF) Master Special Use Permit Reissuance to the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) for the operation and maintenance of 16 existing SNOTEL sites and 12 Snow Courses				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58579">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58579</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - White River National Forest All Units. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Eagle, Garfield, Gunnison, Pitkin, Rio Blanco, Summit. LEGAL - Multiple locations across the forest within Dillon, Eagle-Holy Cross, Blanco and Aspen-Sopris Ranger Disrriacts. Multiple locations across the forest.				

<b>White River National Forest, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)</b>	<b>R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>
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<b>White River National Forest, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)</b>			<b>R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>		
<b>Camp Hale Restoration and Enhancement Project</b> EIS	- Watershed management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Melvin Woody 970-874-6661 melvin.woody@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The purpose of action is to improve aquatic, riparian, and wetland conditions in and along the Eagle River, maintain or improve recreation opportunities and facilities, and conserve historic values in the Camp Hale area.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=46121">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=46121</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Holy Cross Ranger District, East Zone/Eagle Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Eagle. LEGAL - Township 7S, Range 80W, Sect. 3, 4, 9, 10, 14, 15, 16, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27. The project area is located in the Camp Hale area, south of Red Cliff, and north of Tennessee Pass.				

<b>White River National Forest</b>	<b>East Zone/Dillon Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>	
<b>Buffalo/South Willow Connect Trail (31.1c) Reconstruction Project</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Recreation management	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/21/2023	Expected:12/2023	06/2024	Tyler Kirkpatrick 970-262-3452 tyler.kirkpatrick@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Proposal to decommission and restore .5 miles of unsustainable trail that provides a poor recreation experience. Existing trail will be replaced with a new 1 mile sustainable trail that provides for public safety and positive recreational experience.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=62644">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=62644</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Dillon Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Summit. LEGAL - Township 5 South, Range 78 West, Southeast corner of the Southeast corner of Section 9. The project area is located a 1/2 mile from the Buffalo Cabin Trailhead. Township 5 South, Range 78 West, Southeast corner of the Southeast corner of Section 9.				
<b>Burke Martin Mine Clean Up &amp; Safety Closures</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Minerals and Geology	Completed	Actual: 08/14/2023	09/2023	Cynthia Ebbert 970-262-3458 cynthia.ebbert@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Reduce the risk to human health and safety of forest visitors and reclaim an abandoned mine site by closing mine features and demolition/removal of buildings/structures.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64433">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64433</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Dillon Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Summit. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Southwest of Montezuma, Colorado.				

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<b>White River National Forest East Zone/Dillon Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>					
<b>Dillon Ranger District Workforce Housing Administrative Site Lease</b> CE  *UPDATED*	- Land ownership management - Special use management	Completed	Actual: 09/26/2023	09/2023	Anna Bengtson 970-262-3454 anna.p.bengtson@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Proposal to lease the 10.89-acre Dillon Work Center administrative site for the development of up to 177 affordable housing rental units under the authority of the Agriculture Improvement Act of 2018, Sec. 8623 (P.L. 115-334). <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=63214">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=63214</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Dillon Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Summit. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The Work Center property is located along County Road 51 in unincorporated Summit County, Colorado next to the Town of Dillon Public Works site and the Tenderfoot Trailhead.				
<b>Frisco Backyard Fuels and Recreation Project</b> EA  *UPDATED*	- Recreation management - Fuels management - Watershed management	In Progress: Scoping Start 04/14/2023	Expected:12/2024	06/2025	Kathleen Gray 970-262-3497 kathleen.gray@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The Forest Service is proposing approximately 1,250 acres of fuels reduction activities and approximately 25 miles of trails decommission, improvement, and construction activities near the Town of Frisco. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=63395">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=63395</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Dillon Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Summit. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project area is adjacent to the Town of Frisco, comprising parts of Mount Royal, Miners Creek, Rainbow Lake, Ophir Mountain and Gold Hill.				
<b>Frog Trail #9149 Reconstruction Project</b> CE  *NEW LISTING*	- Recreation management	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/21/2023	Expected:10/2023	06/2024	Tyler Kirkpatrick 970-262-3452 tyler.kirkpatrick@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Realign and construct approximately 2 miles of new trail in a more sustainable location. Approximately 1 mile of the existing trail tread would be decommissioned and closed. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64630">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64630</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Dillon Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Summit. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Keystone Colorado near the Incline Trail #9035 access point.				

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<b>White River National Forest</b>	<b>East Zone/Dillon Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>	
<b>Last Dollar Mine Cabin Demolition</b> CE  *UPDATED*	- Watershed management - Minerals and Geology	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Cynthia Ebbert 970-262-3458 cynthia.ebbert@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Demolish and partially remove the Last Dollar Mine Cabin and associated trespass items that are encroaching on National Forest System that pose a health and safety risk to recreationists on the forest.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=62715">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=62715</a>				
<b>Officer's Gulch Trailer Pad Construction Project</b> CE  *NEW LISTING*	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Dillon Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Summit. LEGAL - Not Applicable. NW Section 26, Township 7 South, Range 78 West, 6th PM, Summit County, CO.				
	- Recreation management - Facility management	Completed	Actual: 08/31/2023	08/2023	Adam Bianchi 970-262-3451 adam.bianchi@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The Officer's Gulch Trailer Pad Constuction project was designed to address current need for temporary and seasonal housing for employees on the Dillon Ranger District.				
<b>PSCo Keystone Resort Steel Main Gasline Reinforcement</b> CE  *UPDATED*	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Dillon Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Summit. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project is located within the boundaries of the former Officer's Gulch campground along the I-70 corridor.				
	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/21/2023	Expected:12/2023	06/2024	Cynthia Ebbert 970-262-3458 cynthia.ebbert@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Amending the existing PSCo permit#DIL462 to add 1,500 ft of existing gas line that was inadvertently deleted in 2001. In addition, a 6 inch steel main gas line would be installed to reinforce the existing line on approx.1500 ft of National Forest.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64333">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64333</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Dillon Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Summit. LEGAL - Township 5 South, Range 77 West, Section 22, 6th P.M. Keystone area just west of the Landfill Road.				

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<b>White River National Forest</b>	<b>East Zone/Dillon Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>	
<b>Spot Cash Cabin Demolition</b> CE  *UPDATED*	- Watershed management - Minerals and Geology	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Cynthia Ebbert 970-262-3458 cynthia.ebbert@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Demolish an abandoned dilapidated mining cabin located near or immediately adjacent to heavily used Blue Lakes Road. The cabin poses a health and safety risk to recreationists on the forest.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=61973">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=61973</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Dillon Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Summit. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Spot Cash Cabin: Section 2, T. 8 S., R. 78 W., 6th P.M. Summit County, Colorado.				
<b>Summit Public Radio &amp; TV Powerline Replacement and Realignment</b> CE  *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/01/2022	Expected:12/2023	06/2024	Cynthia Ebbert 970-262-3458 cynthia.ebbert@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Installation of buried electric power and fiber optic cable along a new alignment crossing roughly 4,432' of National Forest to replace an existing buried powerline serving Summit Public Radio and TV's broadcast site on Bald Mountain.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60490">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60490</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Dillon Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Summit. LEGAL - Not Applicable. West side of Bald Mountain near Breckenridge, Colorado in SE Section 4 and SW Section 3, Township 7 South, Range 77 West, Summit County.				
<b>Swan Mountain Project</b> EA  *UPDATED*	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 03/24/2023	Expected:03/2024	06/2024	Kathleen Gray 970-401-1983 kathleen.gray@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Proposed activities include a mixture of fuels reduction, wildlife habitat improvement, stream improvement, transportation improvement and trail enhancements.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60771">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60771</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Dillon Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Summit. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The Swan Mountain Project encompasses approximately 13,500 acres of National Forest System lands in and around Swan Mountain, Soda Creek, and the Swan River.				

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<b>White River National Forest</b>	<b>East Zone/Dillon Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>	
<b>Vail Pass Yurt Placement</b> CE  *UPDATED*	- Recreation management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 08/2023	Expected:08/2023	09/2023	Anne Gaspar 605-639-0299 anne.gaspar@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> To provide a winter outpost a far distance from main entry station for the snow rangers in support of the management of the area for; compliance, managing non-motorized and motorized travel and providing information services to users				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=63661">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=63661</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Dillon Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Eagle, Summit. LEGAL - Not Applicable. There are 3 proposed sites. (1) Ptarmigan pass-east side of the road and fence (2) Top of #9 hybrid route west of Ptarmigan Mountain, (3) 0.3 miles due N of Ptarmigan Pass, W side of road.				

<b>White River National Forest</b>	<b>East Zone/Eagle Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>	
<b>Boom Boom #1 and #2 Gravel and Stockpile Facilities</b> EA  *NEW LISTING*	- Minerals and Geology - Road management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 10/2023	Expected:06/2024	07/2024	Leanne Veldhuis 970-471-1796 leanne.veldhuis@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The proposed action will create an economical gravel source used to maintain the road surface of Coffee Pot Road (NFSR 600) and other roads and facilities in the area. Formerly used gravel pits, Boom Boom #1 and #2 , would be reestablished/expanded.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64501">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64501</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Eagle Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Garfield, Summit. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The gravel pits are proposed to be developed off of Coffee Pot Road (FSR 600) on the White River National Forest, Eagle-Holy Cross Ranger District, Garfield County, Colorado.				

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White River National Forest	East Zone/Eagle Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R2 - Rocky Mountain Region	
<div>Sweetwater Lake Recreation Management and Development Project (SLDP)</div> <div>EIS</div> <div>*UPDATED*</div>	<div>- Land management planning</div> <div>- Recreation management</div> <div>- Special area management</div> <div>- Grazing management</div> <div>- Minerals and Geology</div> <div>- Land ownership management</div> <div>- Special use management</div> <div>- Facility management</div> <div>- Road management</div>	<div>Developing Proposal</div> <div>Est. NOI in Federal Register</div> <div>09/2023</div>	<div>Expected:09/2024</div>	<div>09/2024</div>	<div>Michael Smith</div> <div>970-827-5152</div> <div>Michael.Smith7@usda.gov</div>
<div><div>Description:</div><div>Create a Forest Plan Special Interest Management Area for newly acquired properties and surrounding National Forest Lands surrounding Sweetwater Lake, allowing for the appropriate, consistent, sustainable, and holistic management of the area.</div></div>					
<div><div>Web Link:</div><div><a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64047">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64047</a></div></div>					
<div><div>Location:</div><div>UNIT - East Zone/Eagle Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Garfield. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Project is located approximately 12 miles north, northwest of Dotsero, Colorado in portions of Sections 5, 8, 9 and 16 of T3S, R87W, 6th Principle Meridian; Garfield County, Colorado.</div></div>					

White River National Forest    East Zone/Holy Cross Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)    R2 - Rocky Mountain Region					
<div>Double Eaton Mine</div> <div>CE</div> <div>*NEW LISTING*</div>	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/28/2022	Expected:04/2024	06/2024	Leanne Veldhuis 503-622-2030 leanne.veldhuis@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Plan of Operations Review for the Double Eaton Mine. Mineral material will be excavated by hand and processed on site using a trowel and sluice box. Access to the mine will be by non-motorized means. No structures. Operations would be up to 2 mon/yr.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64423">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64423</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Holy Cross Ranger District.    STATE - Colorado.    COUNTY - Eagle.    LEGAL - Legal location: W 1/2, NE 1/2, SE1/4,of Section 6, Township 6S, Range 83W of the 6th meridian. Approximately 5 miles northwest of Fulford, Colorado.				



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<b>White River National Forest East Zone/Holy Cross Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>					
<b>Grouse Lake Trail Bridge and Trail Realignment</b> CE  *UPDATED*	- Recreation management	In Progress: Scoping Start 04/06/2023	Expected:10/2023	08/2024	Katherine Bazan 970-827-5181 katherine.bazan@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Grouse Lake Trail (#2127), open to stock, hikers and bicycles has several water crossings. The Forest Service is proposing to construct 2 new trail bridges over the 1st and 4th stream crossing and realign 300 ft. of trail.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64015">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64015</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Holy Cross Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Eagle. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Grouse Lake Trail begins at the Grouse Creek Trailhead, located on US Highway 24, approximately one-half mile north of the Town of Minturn.				
<b>Holy Cross Energy (HCE) Avon-to-Gilman Electric (115-kV) Transmission Line</b> EA  *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 09/03/2021	Expected:03/2024	06/2024	Marcus Dreux 970-468-5400 marcus.dreux@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Holy Cross Electric Association, Inc.,(HCE) proposes to construct a new 115-kV transmission line between the existing Gilman and Avon Substations. The proposed route is 8.9 miles and would cross approximately 3.4 miles of National Forest System Lands				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57224">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57224</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Holy Cross Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Eagle. LEGAL - Townships 5 South - 81 West and 6 South - 81 West, 6th Principal Meridian, Eagle County, Colorado. The right-of-way would run southeasterly from the substation in the Avon / Eagle-Vail area, through the town of Minturn, and terminate at the substation just above Gilman.				
<b>Holy Cross Energy (HCE) Broad Band Fiber Optic Cable Installation and Communication Lease</b> CE  *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/16/2023	Expected:04/2024	06/2024	Marcus Dreux 970-468-5400 marcus.dreux@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Holy Cross Energy is proposing to install, own and maintain a broadband fiber optic cable on existing HCE-owned electric transmission line utility poles for customer use. No ground disturbance or additional utility poles are required.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64658">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64658</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Holy Cross Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Eagle. LEGAL - White River NF, Eagle County, Sec. 7, T.5 S., R.81 W., 6th P.M. The fiber would be attached to existing utility poles for Holy Cross Energy's electrical transmission line that crosses a portion NFS land 1,000ft N. of I-70 and 1 mile E. of Avon, CO.				

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<b>White River National Forest East Zone/Holy Cross Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>					
<b>Town of Avon - June Creek Residential Emergency Egress CE</b>  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 11/2023	Expected:03/2024	06/2024	Leanne Veldhuis 503-622-2030 leanne.veldhuis@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> The proposed action will authorize the Town of Avon Emergency Services the ability to use a shuttle system utilizing the existing June Creek Trail as an egress route for residences in the Wildridge community in the event of a natural disaster  <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64424">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64424</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - East Zone/Holy Cross Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Eagle. LEGAL - The legal location of the site is in Section 33, T. 4 S., R. 82 W., 6th P.M., Eagle County, Colorado. The June Creek trail system is located on the north side of the I-70 corridor in the Wildridge residential community in the Town of Avon, Colorado.				

<b>White River National Forest West Zone/Aspen Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>					
<b>Aspen Snowmass 2023 CE Projects</b>  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Recreation management - Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 06/13/2023	Expected:11/2023	06/2024	Monte Lutterman 970-404-3164 monte.lutterman@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Aspen Skiing Company proposes to construct the Blue Grouse Ski Trail Connector and Vapor to Squeazy Bike Trail Connector, reroute the Summit Hiking Trail, and replace and realign the Cirque and Coneygame lifts.  <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64153">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64153</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - West Zone/Aspen Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Pitkin. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Within Aspen Skiing Company's existing special use permit area at Snowmass.				
<b>Castle Creek AML Safety Closure and Cabin Demolitions CE</b>  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Minerals and Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/15/2023	Expected:11/2023	07/2024	Olivia Garcia 970-945-3220 olivia.garcia@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> This proposed project is to safeguard one (1) mine feature and demolish and remove three (4) unauthorized structures and one (1) former FS Administrative site situated on National Forest System lands managed by the Aspen-Sopris Ranger District.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - West Zone/Aspen Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Pitkin, Summit. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Various cabins and mine features in Pitkin County.				

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<b>Holy Cross Energy/ASC Snowmass Mtn Powerline Burial</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/13/2023	Expected:08/2023	09/2023	Michael Braudis 970-404-3153 michael.braudis@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Power distribution lines will be placed using direct burial on Snowmass Ski Area. The burial will be adjacent to the existing HCE buried powerline ROW with an 800ft-1,000ft deviation. The old powerline will be abandon in place.				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - West Zone/Aspen Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Pitkin. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project is located at the Snowmass Ski Area at top of High Alpine lift line to a point that at an intersection of the Lower High Alpine/Elk Camp access road.				
<b>Segundo Lift Replacement, Sunlight Mountain Resort</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 07/10/2023	08/2023	Monte Lutterman 970-404-3164 monte.lutterman@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Sunlight Mountain Resort is proposing to replace the existing Segundo double chairlift, with a triple chairlift due to the aged nature of the current installation. The replacement lift will have a capacity of 1400 people per hour.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64138">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64138</a>				
<b>Special Use Authorization of Road 317.1D, Luttrell</b> CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management - Road management		Completed	Actual: 08/23/2023	09/2023
	<b>Description:</b> Issuance of a Special Use Authorization of road 317.1D per White River National Forest Travel Management Plan (2011 designation).				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - West Zone/Aspen Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Gunnison. LEGAL - NE1/4SW1/4, S1/2SW1/4, and NW1/4SE1/4 sec. 13, unsurveyed; SE1/4SE1/4 sec. 14, unsurveyed T. 12 S., R. 87 W. 6TH P.M. Gunnison County. Forest Service Road (FSR) 317.1D is located in Gunnison County. The road runs parallel to Rock Creek and it intersects FSR 317.1, Paradise Basin Road.				

<b>White River National Forest    West Zone/Blanco Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)    R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>
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<b>White River National Forest</b>	<b>West Zone/Blanco Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>	
<b>Marvine Winter Parking Area</b> CE  *NEW LISTING*	- Recreation management - Road management	Completed	Actual: 09/21/2023	11/2023	Aaron Grimes 970-878-6007 aaron.grimes@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Construct a parking area approximately 30' deep by 130' wide to accommodate parking for those participating in winter recreation activities in the Marvine drainage adjacent to Rio Blanco County 12 on Forest Service lands.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=63935">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=63935</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - West Zone/Blanco Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Rio Blanco. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Approximately 30 miles east of Meeker, CO adjacent to Rio Blanco County Road 12 in the Marvine drainage.				

<b>White River National Forest</b>	<b>West Zone/Rifle Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>			<b>R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>	
<b>West Mamm Creek Pipeline Project</b> EA  *NEW LISTING*	- Minerals and Geology - Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/11/2023	Expected:12/2023	01/2024	Jason Gross 970-876-9046 jason.gross@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Authorization for the installation and operation of a new buried 8-inch produced water pipeline, a new 6-inch produced water pipeline, and two co-located, up to 8-inch diameter low pressure natural gas pipelines in the West Mamm Creek area.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64353">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64353</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - West Zone/Rifle Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Garfield. LEGAL - Sections 8, 9, 16, 21, 28 and 29. T7S, R93W, 6th PM. Project is located south of Silt, Colorado in the West Mamm Creek drainage.				

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<b>White River National Forest West Zone/Sopris Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R2 - Rocky Mountain Region</b>					
<b>Carbondale Administrative Site Redevelopment</b> CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Facility management	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/21/2023	Expected:09/2023	01/2024	Jennifer Schuller 970-404-3163 Jennifer.Schuller@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Redevelop the Aspen-Sopris Ranger District Office located at 620 Main Street in Carbondale, Colorado. Includes the demolition of 3 buildings, landscaping and construction of new 7,222 sqft office building.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64886">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=64886</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - West Zone/Sopris Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Garfield. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project is located at 620 Main Street, Carbondale, Colorado.				
<b>Redstone to McClure Pass Trail</b> EA  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Recreation management - Special use management	In Progress: Objection Period Legal Notice 01/27/2023	Expected:11/2023	06/2024	Shelly Grail 970-404-3155 shelly.grail@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Pitkin County has proposed to construct and maintain a natural surface, non-motorized, multi-use recreation trail from Redstone south to the summit of McClure Pass. The proposed trail is about 7 miles in length, of which, 5 miles is on NFS lands.				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56913">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56913</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - West Zone/Sopris Ranger District. STATE - Colorado. COUNTY - Pitkin. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Along CDOT Highway 133 right of way between Redstone and McClure or along historic wagon route.				

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