



Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

04/01/2022 to 06/30/2022

Coconino National Forest

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Projects Occurring Nationwide

Locatable Mining Rule - 36 CFR 228, subpart A. EIS	- Regulations, Directives, Orders	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Sarah Shoemaker 907-586-7886 sarahshoemaker@fs.fed.us
	Description: 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				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57214				
	Location: 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: https://www.fs.usda.gov/science-technology/geology/minerals/locatable-minerals/current-revisions .				
Nationwide Aerial Application of Fire Retardant on National Forest System Land. EIS *UPDATED*	- Regulations, Directives, Orders	In Progress: NOI in Federal Register 08/08/2020 Est. DEIS NOA in Federal Register 02/2022	Expected: 06/2022	07/2022	Laura Conway 406-802-4317 laura.conway@usda.gov
	Description: Programmatic Supplemental EIS for the Nationwide Aerial Application of Fire Retardant on National Forest System Land.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60450				
	Location: 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.				

R3 - Southwestern Region, Occurring in more than one Forest (excluding Regionwide)

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R3 - Southwestern Region, Occurring in more than one Forest (excluding Regionwide)					
4FRI Rim Country Project EIS *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management - Road management	In Progress: Objection Period Legal Notice 03/18/2022	Expected:07/2022	07/2022	Mike Dechter 928-527-3416 mike.dechter@usda.gov
	Description: Landscape-scale restoration on the Coconino, Apache-Sitgreaves, and Tonto National Forests of ponderosa pine ecosystems, designed to maintain, improve, and restore ecosystem structure, pattern, function, and resiliency.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/goto/4FRIRimCountry				
	Location: UNIT - Coconino National Forest All Units. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Mogollon Rim Ranger District, Coconino NF; Black Mesa and Lakeside Ranger Districts, Apache-Sitgreaves National Forest; Payson and Pleasant Valley Ranger Districts, Tonto National Forest.				
APS 69kv Power Line Permit for Childs-Irving Line CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/12/2015	Expected:11/2022	12/2022	Mike Dechter 928-527-3416 mdechter@fs.fed.us
	Description: Issuance of a permit to replace the expired Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Hydropower License. Existing 69 kV line that was part of the Childs Irving Power operation and covered under the old license. Has been in continuous operation.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=47114				
	Location: UNIT - Payson Ranger District, Red Rock Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Gila, Yavapai. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Line that travels from Childs substation to Irving power plant area. Includes small sections of the Tonto NF where it crosses Fossil Creek.				

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Arizona National Scenic Trail Comprehensive Plan EA *UPDATED*	- Recreation management - Special area management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/01/2016 Est. Comment Period Public Notice 05/2022	Expected:04/2023	05/2023	Joseph David (559) 920-4995 joseph.david@usda.gov
	Description: The comprehensive plan will establish the administrative objectives, policies, processes, and management guidelines necessary to fulfill the legislative requirements for national scenic trails under the National Trails System Act.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49535				
	Location: UNIT - Coronado National Forest All Units, Kaibab National Forest All Units, Coconino National Forest All Units, Tonto National Forest All Units. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Cochise, Coconino, Gila, Maricopa, Pima, Pinal, Santa Cruz. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The Arizona National Scenic Trail goes from the Coronado National Monument to the Utah Border at Vermillion Cliffs- 800 miles south to north across the State of Arizona.				
Prescott College Academic Outfitter and Guide Priority Use (2015-2025) CE	- Recreation management - Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Julie Rowe 928-203-7516 jrowe@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Forest Service proposes to authorize Prescott College to conduct academic field courses year-round across forests in Arizona including adventure education, biology, human ecology, natural history, physical geography, & field ecology.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=47407				
	Location: UNIT - Coronado National Forest All Units, Kaibab National Forest All Units, Prescott National Forest All Units, Tonto Basin Ranger District, Coconino National Forest All Units, Apache-Sitgreaves National Forests All Units. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Yavapai. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Activities take place in a variety of locations throughout the forest.				
Western Area Power Administration Glen Canyon-Rogers 230/345kV Integrated Vegetation Mgmt Program EA	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 04/20/2016 Est. Comment Period Public Notice 02/2022	Expected:09/2022	09/2022	Mike Dechter 928-527-3416 mdechter@fs.fed.us
	Description: Western is proposing to implement a operation and maintenance (O&M) and Integrated Vegetation Management (IVM) program on the Rogers-Glen Canyon section of the Colorado River Storage Project (CRSP) Transmission System. Includes use of herbicides.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=49397				
	Location: UNIT - Coconino National Forest All Units, Tonto National Forest All Units. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino, Gila, Pima, Yavapai. LEGAL - Not Applicable. This transmission line runs throughout the Coconino National Forest and through portions of the Tonto National Forest.				

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Coconino National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)				R3 - Southwestern Region	
Arizona Public Service Master Permit Reissuance CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 12/2021	Expected:06/2022	06/2022	Deirdre McLaughlin 928-635-5662 damclaughlin@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reissue permit for operation and maintenance of aerial/buried distribution power lines, including facilities like gates/utility boxes/pads/other communication poles and equipment. Vegetation removal and equipment replacement is included with permit.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=54198				
	Location: UNIT - Coconino National Forest All Units. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino, Yavapai. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Various locations throughout the Coconino National Forest.				
Changes to Motor Vehicle Designations EA	- Recreation management - Watershed management - Road management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Mike Dechter 928-527-3416 mdechter@fs.fed.us
	Description: Changes to designations (as currently shown on the Motor Vehicle Use Map)for motor vehicles on roads, trails, and areas throughout the Coconino National Forest				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=47435				
	Location: UNIT - Coconino National Forest All Units. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino, Gila, Yavapai. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Roads, trails and areas throughout the Coconino National Forest.				
Fiber Optic Line Placement along North Highway 89 CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 12/14/2021	Expected:03/2022	04/2022	Sean Murphy 928-527-3418 sean.murphy@usda.gov
	Description: Placement of a fiber optic cable by Arcadian Infracom within the Hwy 89 right-of-way from Flagstaff to the Coconino NF northern boundary.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60428				
	Location: UNIT - Coconino National Forest All Units. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Within Hwy 89 existing right-of-way from Flagstaff to Coconino NF northern boundary on the east side of the highway.				

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Qwest dba CenturyLink, Fiber Optic Line Permit Reissuance CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 02/2022	Expected:08/2022	08/2022	Deirdre McLaughlin 928-527-3415 damclaughlin@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reissuance of a Fiber Optic Line permit to Qwest, dba CenturyLink. This is the Master Permit for the phone lines that Qwest has on the forest.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57896				
	Location: UNIT - Coconino National Forest All Units. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - starting point at Sec. 34 T13N, R06E. Located on NFS lands along Hwy 260 to Forest RD 708 to Fossil Creek Rd.				

Coconino National Forest, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)				R3 - Southwestern Region	
APS Transmission and Distribution Line Permit Reissuances (several Lines) CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/01/2007	Expected:02/2022	03/2022	Deirdre McLaughlin 928-635-5662 damclaughlin@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reissuance of expired power line permits: Quail Springs to McGuireville 69kV line, Flagstaff-Leupp 230kV line, Tuba City 69kV line, Flagstaff-Prescott 115/69kV line and all distribution lines.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50848				
	Location: UNIT - Red Rock Ranger District, Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino, Yavapai. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Various locations crossing the forest from the Verde Valley north to the forest boundary.				
AT&T Permit Reissuances CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Mike Dechter 928-527-3416 mdechter@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reissuances of 3 buried communication lines. 1) Hwy180 near Kendrick Park to Hwy89 to Doney Park 2)Doney to I40 east and south to JW Powell 3)I17 to Schnebly Hill to Sedona south along Hwy89A to Cottonwood.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=51529				
	Location: UNIT - Red Rock Ranger District, Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino, Yavapai. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Existing lines crossing Hwy180 to Hwy 89A;Doney Park east along I40 and south to I17; Parallel to I17 to Schnebly Hill Road to Sedona and south along hwy89A to Cottonwood.				

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NPG Cable of Arizona/Suddenlink Issuance of New Permit CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Deirdre McLaughlin 928-635-5662 damclaughlin@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposal to re issue a permit to NPG Cable/Suddenlink for existing aerial and buried television cable lines on the Red Rock and Flagstaff Ranger Districts.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=33334				
	Location: UNIT - Red Rock Ranger District, Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino, Yavapai. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Several locations on the Flagstaff and Red Rock Districts.				
Unisource Energy Permit Reissuance CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/28/2022	Expected:06/2022	06/2022	Deirdre Marx 928-635-5662 damclaughlin@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reissuances of expiring master permit for buried natural gas lines in various locations around Flagstaff and the Verde Valley.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=51531				
	Location: UNIT - Red Rock Ranger District, Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino, Yavapai. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Various locations around Flagstaff and the Verde Valley.				

Coconino National Forest Flagstaff Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)				R3 - Southwestern Region	
Arizona Department of Public Safety new tower on Mount Elden CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 01/2022	Expected:02/2022	03/2022	Sean Murphy 928-527-3418 sean.murphy@usda.gov
	Description: AZDPS will build a new communications tower and shelter within the existing Mount Elden Communications Site area				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60414				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - T22N, R7E, Sec. 36. On Mount Elden north of Flagstaff, AZ off FR557A on "TV Hill".				

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Cameras and Rain Gauges for the Museum Fire Burn Scar CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 01/27/2022	Expected:03/2022	03/2022	Deirdre Marx 928-527-3415 Deirdre.Marx1@usda.gov
	Description: The placement of four cameras and three rain gauges in the Museum Fires Burn scar to help with notifications of flooding.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=61712				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. located in Spruce Avenue Wash in the Museum Fire Burn Scar.				
Cinder Lake Landfill Road Improvements EA *UPDATED*	- Special use management - Road management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 03/27/2022	Expected:07/2022	09/2022	Deirdre Marx 928-635-5662 damclaughlin@fs.fed.us
	Description: Increase the road prism, increase the turning radii of the road, move and extend utilities along roadway, improved drainage and the issuance of a special use authorization to the City of Flagstaff.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57978				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Northwest quarter of Section 11, Township 22 North, Range 8 East Sections 10, 11, and 15 Gila and Salt River Base and Meridian. Cinder Lake Landfill road.				
City of Flagstaff Lake Mary Communication Tower CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jessica Richardson 928-527-8219 jessicalrichardson@fs.fed.us
	Description: Construct and maintain a 100-foot-tall network communications tower on a 12-foot by 12-foot foundation base at the Lake Mary #2 well site to meet federal security requirements. Includes antennas at other well sites in the area.				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Near Lake Mary Road off Forest Road 132 adjacent to the existing well building.				

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Copely Road Association Private Access CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 12/2021	Expected:03/2022	03/2022	Sean Murphy 928-527-8225 sean.murphy@usda.gov
	Description: Authorizing a private driveway across Forest lands approximately 400' long by 20' wide Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=61203				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Project is in the Townsend Winona area off FR9121W (Copely Road).				
Doney Park Waterline Improvement CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2022	Expected:09/2022	09/2022	Sean Murphy 928-527-3418 sean.murphy@usda.gov
	Description: Upgrading a waterline from 2" to 6" diameter to serve a new development Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=61893				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Along Leupp Road in the County right-of-way and north of Townsend/Winona Road.				
El Paso Natural Gas Co Installation of Ground Bed, Rectifier and Campstone Generator CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jessica Richardson 928-527-8219 jessicalrichardson@fs.fed.us
	Description: Install a new Cathodic Protection System within El Paso Natural Gas Company's existing 120 foot right-of-way on lands administered by the Coconino National Forest.				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. On lands administered by the Flagstaff Ranger District. Approximately 8 miles southeast from the Peaks District Office and due north of Forest Service Road 9149T.				

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Indian Flat Private Road Access across Forest lands CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 02/02/2022	02/2022	Sean Murphy 928-527-3418 sean.murphy@usda.gov
	Description: Project would allow construction of a driveway from FR9126A to two private parcels. Driveway would be approximately 250' x 20'. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=61172				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. At the north end of Indian Flat about 5 miles north of the San Francisco Peaks.				
Kelly Canyon Pit Stockpile site CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 01/27/2022	Expected:03/2022	04/2022	Deirdre Marx 928-527-3415 Deirdre.Marx1@usda.gov
	Description: ADOT to stockpile clean fill dirt at Kelly Canyon Pit. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=61709				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. section 25, Township 20N, Range 06E at Kelly Canyon pit.				
Long Park private access across Forest land CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 02/01/2022	02/2022	Sean Murphy 928-527-3418 sean.murphy@usda.gov
	Description: Authorizing existing driveways on Forest land between FR91 and private parcels Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=61215				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. At the southern end of the Flagstaff District in Long Park between FR91 and private parcels to the south.				
McCormick Pit Native Material Site CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Mike Dechter 928-527-3416 mdechter@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposal by Coconino County obtain a permit to continue disposing of native dirt and rock flood debris in the McCormick Pit.				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Section 8, T23N, R8E. Along Hwy 89 north of Sunset Crater.				

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Mt Elden/Dry Lake Hills Recreation Planning EA	- Recreation management	In Progress: Objection Period Legal Notice 11/14/2021	Expected:03/2022	07/2022	Patrick McGervey 928-535-7300 pmcgervey@fs.fed.us
	Description: This proposal is being brought forward to address non-motorized recreation with regards to trails, special uses and facilities management in the Mt. Elden-Dry Lake Hills (MEDL) area.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=38239				
Museum Fire Sediment Reduction Project CE *UPDATED*	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Project area encompasses the Mt Elden/Dry Lake Hills area north of Flagstaff, AZ, and includes Forest Roads 420, 556, and 557. The forest boundary marks the southern and eastern edges of the project.				
	- Watershed management	In Progress: Scoping Start 01/23/2022	Expected:02/2022	03/2022	Kyle Paffett 928-527-8246 Kyle.Paffett@usda.gov
	Description: This project would promote watershed healing and reduce sediment delivery to areas downstream from the 2019 Museum Fire. Activities include stabilizing alluvial fans and stream channels to prevent channel incision and promote a more disperse flow.				
Old Walnut Canyon Road Improvements CE	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=61334				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Project activities would occur within parts of the Mount Elden, Dry Lake Hills area of the Coconino National Forest.				
	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Deirdre McLaughlin 928-635-5662 damclaughlin@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposal by the City of Flagstaff to improve Old Walnut Canyon Road to private property and obtain an authorization for operation and maintenance of this corridor.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=50275				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Along the existing Old Walnut Canyon Road (forest road 303) to the last private property.				

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Coconino National Forest Flagstaff Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R3 - Southwestern Region
Sean Austin Driveway Permit CE *NEW LISTING*	- Land management planning	In Progress: Scoping Start 01/27/2022	Expected:03/2022	03/2022	Deirdre Marx 928-527-3415 Deirdre.Marx1@usda.gov
	Description: Access via a driveway across NFS lands to a private parcel. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=61703				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - SW ? Section 28, Township 24N, Range 08E. north highway 89, north of Sunset Crater, east of highway 89 on Forest Road 546.				
Seismic Monitoring Site CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 03/2022	Expected:05/2022	06/2022	Deirdre Marx 928-527-3415 Deirdre.Marx1@usda.gov
	Description: Seismic monitoring at a location near Snowbowl road. Access will be from open travel management roads, FR 151 to FR9215B and then by walking to the site. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=61708				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. southwest of Snowbowl road near FR 9215B road.				
Turkey Butte/Barney Pasture Forest Health Restoration EA	- Fuels management - Watershed management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jessica Richardson 928-527-8219 jessicalrichardson@fs.fed.us
	Description: This project is designed to reduce improve forest and watershed health in the Turkey Butte and Barney Pasture area. Project activities would include thinning of small and medium diameter trees and prescribed burning. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=37244				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Including all or portions of: T19N, R4E, Sec1,2,12,13,24-26,35,36; T19N, R5E, Sec 1-36; T19N, R6E, Sec 19,29-33; T18N, R4E, Sections 1,2,11,12; T18N, R5E, Sec 1,2,4-9,17,18; T18N, R6E, Sec 5-7. West of Highway 89 and East of Sycamore Canyon Wilderness. South of Oak Creek Canyon Natural Research Area, and North of the Red Rock Secret Mountain Wilderness.				

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Coconino National Forest Mogollon Rim Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R3 - Southwestern Region		
Arizona Department of Public Safety Communication Tower at 5 Mile Communications Site CE	- Special use management - Facility management	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/31/2021	Expected:12/2021	01/2022	Sean Murphy 928-527-3714 sean.murphy@usda.gov
	Description: AZDPS will construct a c 140' communication tower with associated equipment shelter and ancillary improvements Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59558				
	Location: UNIT - Mogollon Rim Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. 1/4 mile off highway 87 approximately 4 miles south of the intersection of hwy 87 & hwy 260 on the western mogollon rim above Strawberry, AZ.				
Fred Haught Trail Reroute and Trailhead Improvement Project CE	- Recreation management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Brady Vandragt 928-477-5052 bvandragt@fs.fed.us
	Description: Re-routing of a 0.5 mile section of the Fred Haught Trail and installation of 3 kiosks at nearby hiking trail trailheads. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57681				
	Location: UNIT - Mogollon Rim Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Approximately 5 miles south of the Blue Ridge Reservoir. This project affects the Fred Haught Trail and trailheads for the General Springs, Houston Brothers, and Barbershop trailheads.				
Mogollon Rim Spring Restoration Project CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Watershed management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Kyle Paffett 928-527-8246 Kyle.Paffett@usda.gov
	Description: Restoration activities at the location of 16 springs on the Mogollon Rim Ranger District Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=53465				
	Location: UNIT - Mogollon Rim Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Project activities would occur at the location of the 16 springs illustrated on the project map.				

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2018 Red Rock District Permit Reissuances CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 01/04/2022 08/21/2018	01/2022	Judy Adams 928-203-7506 jadams05@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reissuance of 12 special-use permits located on the Red Rock Ranger District, including AGFD, APS, ADOT, Yavapai-Apache Nation, road associations and home associations. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=53179				
	Location: UNIT - Red Rock Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino, Yavapai. LEGAL - Not Applicable. See scoping letter for township and range location of each of the 12 permits.				
APS Oak Creek to McGuireville 69kV Power Line EA	- Land management planning - Special use management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 12/15/2021	Expected:10/2022	11/2022	Mike Dechter 928-527-3416 Michael.Dechter@usda.gov
	Description: Arizona Public Service Co. proposes a route for an above-ground 69kV electric powerline to improve electric reliability from McGuireville to the Village of Oak Creek. Because the project would cross Forest Service land, APS seeks line infrastructure. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56977				
	Location: UNIT - Red Rock Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Yavapai. LEGAL - Not Applicable. McGuireville to the Village of Oak Creek, via Cornville and Beaverhead Flat roads.				
Cave Springs Streambank Stabilization CE *UPDATED*	- Watershed management	In Progress: Scoping Start 05/25/2020	Expected:01/2023	07/2023	Elizabeth Munding 209-349-2153 elizabeth.a.munding@usda.gov
	Description: Stabilize a portion of the Cave Springs streambank along Oak Creek by replacing a grouted rip-rap structure with a stepped, concrete wall. Also, stabilize a low-water crossing along Cave Springs Campground's access road. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58195				
	Location: UNIT - Red Rock Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Section 34, T 19N, R 6E.				

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Chiricahua Leopard Frog Habitat Enhancement CE *NEW LISTING*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/15/2022	Expected:06/2022	07/2022	Janie Agyagos 928-203-7507 janie.agyagos@usda.gov
	Description: Improve habitat for the threatened Chiricahua Leopard Frog in Hackberry Spring and Stream by increasing surface water extent and pool depth in the reach of the channel downstream from Hackberry Spring.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=61802				
Green Private Access Road CE *UPDATED*	Location: UNIT - Red Rock Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Yavapai. LEGAL - T12.5N, R6E, Section 11 NE1/4; Hackberry Quadrangle. Hackberry Springs is a small, rheocrene spring located on US Forest Service land upstream of the Verde River; located south of Needle Rock along Fossil Creek Road.				
	- Special use management	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Deirdre Marx 928-635-5662 damclaughlin@fs.fed.us
	Description: Proposed access to private property off the Chavez Ranch Road near Sedona. Single driveway access.				
Mason Lane Ditch Upgrade CE *UPDATED*	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52147				
	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 05/14/2021	Expected:05/2022	06/2022	Elizabeth Munding 928-203-2914 elizabeth.a.munding@usda.gov
	Description: The Mason Lane Water Users Association, supported by The Nature Conservancy, proposes to pipe 5,296 feet of a leaking section of the historic Mason Lane Ditch, in place since 1901. The section crosses both Forest Service and private lands.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59810				
	Location: UNIT - Red Rock Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Yavapai. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Section 35, 27, & 26 of Township 16N and Range 4E in Yavapai County.				

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Pefanis Private Access Road CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/01/2021	Expected:06/2022	06/2022	Sean Murphy 928-527-8225 sean.murphy@usda.gov
	Description: Permit use of already existing driveway across Forest Service System lands. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=59697				
	Location: UNIT - Red Rock Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Sec. 35, T 16 N, R 4 E. In Cornville City limits approximately 2 miles north of the State road 30 and State road 50 intersection. West of Page Springs road and east of Oak Creek.				
Proposed Boynton Pass Road Paving project (FSR 152C & 152E) by AC Sedona LLC EA	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Deirdre McLaughlin 928-527-3415 deirdre.mclaughlin@usda.gov
	Description: Proposed road improvements to FR 152F and 152D to the private land at the end of 152F along with a private road easement to the private land owner, AC Sedona, LLC Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58271				
	Location: UNIT - Red Rock Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Section 31, T18N, R5E GSRM. Boynton Pass Road (FS Road 152D) and FS Road 152F.				
Red Rock Country Trailhead Transit and Parking Restrictions CE *UPDATED*	- Recreation management - Special use management	Completed	Actual: 03/15/2022	03/2022	Mark Goshorn 928-203-7525 mark.goshorn@usda.gov
	Description: A transportation effort by the City of Sedona to expand mass transit services at select trailheads. Alternative transportation would include shuttle at five trailheads. Parking restrictions would be at Cathedral Rock and Soldiers Pass trailheads. Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=60969				
	Location: UNIT - Red Rock Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino, Yavapai. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Five existing trailhead locations in the greater Sedona area.				

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West Sedona Designated Dispersed Camping and Day-Use Areas CE *NEW LISTING*	- Recreation management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/02/2021	Expected:05/2022	05/2022	Christopher Johansen 928-203-7529 Christopher.Johansen@usda.gov
	Description: Delineate already designated areas for day-use parking and designated dispersed overnight camping and execute an emergency closure order to dispersed camping and campfires outside of these areas.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=61655				
	Location: UNIT - Red Rock Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Yavapai. LEGAL - Not Applicable. West of Sedona, Arizona along Forest Road 525 and surrounding areas.				

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