



Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

04/01/2023 to 06/30/2023

Coconino 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

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: DEIS NOA in Federal Register 02/11/2022 Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 04/2023	Expected: 04/2023	05/2023	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)					
APS 69kv Power Line Permit for Childs-Irving Line CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/12/2015	Expected:08/2023	08/2023	Mike Dechter 928-527-3416 Michael.Dechter@usda.gov
	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.				
Arizona National Scenic Trail Comprehensive Plan EA	- Recreation management - Special area management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/01/2016 Est. Comment Period Public Notice 10/2022	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.				

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Upper Verde River - Wild and Scenic River Suitability Study Environmental Assessment EA	- Special area management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 12/11/2022	Expected:06/2023	06/2023	Jason Williams 928-777-2220 jason.a.williams@usda.gov
	Description: The Prescott National Forest has completed a draft environmental assessment (DEA) and FONSI on the Upper Verde Wild and Scenic River Suitability Study for 37 miles of the Upper Verde River on the Prescott and Coconino National Forests.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=61191				
	Location: UNIT - Chino Valley Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Yavapai. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The river segments being studied are the 37 miles generally west and north of Clarkdale, Arizona and east of Chino Valley, Arizona.				
Western Area Power Administration Glen Canyon-Rogers 230/345kV Integrated Vegetation Mgmt Program EA *UPDATED*	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Mike Dechter 928-527-3416 Michael.Dechter@usda.gov
	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.				

Coconino National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)

R3 - Southwestern Region

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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 *UPDATED*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 09/2023	Expected:10/2023	01/2024	Deirdre Marx 928-635-5662 Deirdre.Marx1@usda.gov
	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 Michael.Dechter@usda.gov
	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.				
Qwest dba CenturyLink, Fiber Optic Line Permit Reissuance CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2023	Expected:05/2023	08/2023	Deirdre Marx 928-527-3415 Deirdre.Marx1@usda.gov
	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

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Coconino National Forest, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)				R3 - Southwestern Region	
AT&T Permit Reissuances CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Mike Dechter 928-527-3416 Michael.Dechter@usda.gov
	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				
NPG Cable of Arizona/Suddenlink Issuance of New Permit CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Deirdre Marx 928-635-5662 Deirdre.Marx1@usda.gov
	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. 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.				
	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.				

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 *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/14/2022	Expected:06/2023	08/2023	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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Ash Fork to Flagstaff Fiber Optic Cable Line CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/31/2022	Expected:05/2023	07/2023	Deirdre Marx 928-527-3415 Deirdre.Marx1@usda.gov
	Description: Installation of a fiber optic cable trunk line that will improve access to broadband internet for surrounding communities.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=63074				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The proposed project is planned to be located along Forest Road 222B, then Highway 180, north of Flagstaff, AZ.				
CO Bar Solar Interconnection Project EA *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/10/2023 Est. Comment Period Public Notice 06/2023	Expected:11/2023	12/2023	Mike Dechter 928-527-3416 Michael.Dechter@usda.gov
	Description: Proposal to expand, maintain, and haul commercial vehicles on two Forest Service roads (1.9 miles of FR 417 and 2.6 miles of FR 9003) in connection with the CO Bar Solar Project on adjacent state and private lands				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=63379				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. This is located on the northwest corner of the Forest east of Highway 180 and approximately 25 miles north of Flagstaff.				
City of Flagstaff Lake Mary Communication Tower CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jessica Richardson 928-527-8219 jessica.richardson@usda.gov
	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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Coconino National Forest	Flagstaff Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R3 - Southwestern Region	
Doney Park Waterline Improvement CE	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 07/05/2022	07/2022	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 jessica.richardson@usda.gov
	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.				
Flagstaff Ranger District Prospectus for Outfitter Guide Services CE *UPDATED*	- Recreation management - Special use management	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Jessica Richardson 928-527-8219 jessica.richardson@usda.gov
	Description: The scoping period has been extended to January 22, 2023. This proposal would address recreation special uses on the Flagstaff Ranger District including parts of the Mt. Elden-Dry Lake Hills. Seven outfitter and guiding permits would be issued.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=62421				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Permit area is a 12,991 acre management area within the Flagstaff Ranger District including Mount Elden and Dry Lakes. The Mount Elden Management Area is immediately north of Flagstaff.				

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Coconino National Forest Flagstaff Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R3 - Southwestern Region
Inner Basin Waterline Post Fire Repairs and Road Reconstruction CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management - Road management	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/13/2023	Expected:05/2023	06/2023	Jessica Richardson 928-527-8219 jessica.richardson@usda.gov
	Description: Reconstruction of the City of Flagstaff drinking water pipeline, pipeline road (FR 146), and Schultz Pass Road (FR 420) at sites where it was washed out after the Pipeline Fire.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=63360				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. From Schultz Pass Trailhead north to Inner Basin Trailhead.				
McCormick Pit Native Material Site CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Mike Dechter 928-527-3416 Michael.Dechter@usda.gov
	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.				
Old Walnut Canyon Road Improvements CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Deirdre Marx 928-635-5662 Deirdre.Marx1@usda.gov
	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
Post-fire Flood Mitigation Activities West of Highway 89 CE *UPDATED*	- Watershed management - Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/21/2022	Expected:05/2023 Actual: 03/29/2023	05/2023	Mike Dechter 928-527-3416 Michael.Dechter@usda.gov
	Description: construction and drainage modification activities to address recent post-fire flooding and future flood risk in three areas west of Highway 89 and north of Interstate 40 in watersheds affected by the 2022 Tunnel and Pipeline wildfires.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=62920				
Post-fire erosion and flood control activities East of Highway 89 CE *UPDATED*	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Activities would occur north of Flagstaff in national forest lands in the Lenox, Thames, Peaceful Way, Copeland, Government Tank, Campbell, North Paintbrush, and South Paintbrush watersheds.				
	- Watershed management - Special use management	Completed	Actual: 01/06/2023	01/2023	Mike Dechter 928-527-3416 Michael.Dechter@usda.gov
	Description: Rehabilitation of flood damaged areas and construction and reconstruction of berms and other flood mitigation structures to address future flood events.				
Schultz Creek Crossing and Mount Elden Road Easement CE *NEW LISTING*	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=62837				
	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/30/2023	Expected:06/2023	06/2023	Deirdre Marx 928-527-3415 Deirdre.Marx1@usda.gov
	Description: The Coconino National Forest is considering a proposal from Coconino County Public Works Department (Department) to engineer and construct an improved Schultz Creek crossing for Mt. Elden Lookout Rd. along with an easement to be issued to Coconino Co				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Section 4 of Township 21N, Range 07E and Sections 33 and 34 of Township 22N, Range 07E.				

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Coconino National Forest Flagstaff Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R3 - Southwestern Region
Timberline and Wupatki Estates Post Fire Hazard Tree Removal CE *UPDATED*	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Special use management - Road management	In Progress: Scoping Start 01/09/2023	Expected:04/2023	05/2023	Jessica Richardson 928-527-8219 jessica.richardson@usda.gov
	Description: Removal of dead and down hazard trees along the private property boundary of the Timberline and Wupatki Estates northwest of Flagstaff, AZ.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=62982				
Turkey Butte/Barney Pasture Forest Health Restoration EA *UPDATED*	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project area runs along the private property boundary of Timberline Estates between FSR6440 and FSR 6064D and the South and East borders of the Wupatki Trails neighborhood.				
	- Fuels management - Watershed management	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Jessica Richardson 928-527-8219 jessica.richardson@usda.gov
	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.				
Unisource Gas Walnut Creek Meadows Extension CE *UPDATED*	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.				
	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 12/12/2022	Expected:04/2023	05/2023	Tobias Hutchens 540-552-4641 tobias.j.hutchens@usda.gov
	Description: Approval of a special use permit amendment for the installation, operation and maintenance of additional gas line extending approximately 2 miles to the Walnut Creek Meadows Subdivision. Location would be in existing road ROW and along waterline.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=63291				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Located along Townsend-Winona Road and Leupp Road, east of Flagstaff.				

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Coconino National Forest Flagstaff Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R3 - Southwestern Region		
Unisource Gas Walnut Creek Meadows Line Extension CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Sean Murphy 928-527-3418 sean.murphy@usda.gov
	Description: Extension of natural gas service from Cosnino Road to Leupp Road within the Townsend Winona and Leupp Road right-of-way corridors				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=62412				
	Location: UNIT - Flagstaff Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. From the intersection of Cosnino & Townsend Winona roads east to Leupp road and north along Leupp road to Walnut Creek Meadows development.				

Coconino National Forest Mogollon Rim Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R3 - Southwestern Region		
Fred Haught Trail Reroute and Trailhead Improvement Project CE	- Recreation management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Brady Vandragt 928-477-5052 brady.vandragt@usda.gov
	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 Oystershell Scale Mitigation Trials Project CE *UPDATED*	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Climate Change Adaptation	In Progress: Scoping Start 04/29/2022	Expected:07/2023	09/2023	Marissa Kuntz 928-477-5028 Marissa.Kuntz@usda.gov
	Description: To study the effectiveness of various treatments to select aspen stands to for addressing oystershell scale infestations.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=61961				
	Location: UNIT - Mogollon Rim Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Aspen stands located along Forest Service roads 300, 321 and 137 in the southeastern section of the Mogollon Rim Ranger District.				

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Coconino National Forest	Mogollon Rim Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R3 - Southwestern Region	
Mogollon Rim Spring Restoration Project CE *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Watershed management	Cancelled	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.				

Coconino National Forest	Red Rock Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R3 - Southwestern Region	
APS Oak Creek to McGuireville 69kV Power Line EA *UPDATED*	- Land management planning - Special use management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 12/15/2021	Expected:11/2023	05/2024	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	Completed	Actual: 03/24/2023	05/2024	Elizabeth Munding 928-203-2914 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 the Cave Springs Campground 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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Coconino National Forest Red Rock Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)					R3 - Southwestern Region
Centurylink Fiberoptic Cable Installation CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/06/2023	Expected:03/2023	04/2023	Tobias Hutchens 928-527-3471 tobias.j.hutchens@usda.gov
	Description: Centurylink will install approx. 6400 feet of fiberoptic cable in existing conduit along Hwy 179 headed south to the Red Rock R.D. and splice fiberline into F.S. office. One concrete tele-comm pedestal adjacent to the office will be replaced.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=63440				
	Location: UNIT - Red Rock Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Yavapai. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Beginning at Ridgeway Dr. and Hwy 179 in the Village of Oak Creek moving south along the Hwy 179 corridor ending at 8375 Hwy 179 (RedRock R.D. office).				
Chiricahua Leopard Frog Habitat Enhancement CE *UPDATED*	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/15/2022	Expected:04/2023	06/2023	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				
	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, rheocene spring located on US Forest Service land upstream of the Verde River; located south of Needle Rock along Fossil Creek Road.				
Geotechnical study for the Proposed McGuireville to Oak Creek Transmission Line CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 02/21/2023	02/2023	Mike Dechter 928-527-3416 Michael.Dechter@usda.gov
	Description: Issuance of a short-term special use permit for geotechnical study activities including drilling bore holes and striking metal plates to measure seismic results at 67 locations along a proposed transmission line route.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=63449				
	Location: UNIT - Red Rock Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Yavapai. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Located between the Village of Oak Creek and McGuireville along the Kel Fox Trail, Beaverhead Flat Road, and Cornville Road.				

Project Name	Project Purpose	Planning Status	Decision	Expected Implementation	Project Contact
Coconino National Forest		Red Rock Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R3 - Southwestern Region
Pefanis Private Access Road CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/01/2021	Expected:05/2023	07/2023	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.				
Red Rock Trails Enhancement CE *UPDATED*	- Recreation management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2023	Expected:06/2023	07/2023	Kevin Kuhl (928) 203-7519 Kevin.Kuhl@usda.gov
	Description: The Red Rock Ranger District proposes up to 30 miles of non-motorized trail construction, adoption of 16 miles of user-created trails, and naturalization of 21 miles of user-created trails, in 3 communities: Sedona; Village of Oak Creek; & Cornville.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=62415				
	Location: UNIT - Red Rock Ranger District. STATE - Arizona. COUNTY - Coconino, Yavapai. LEGAL - T 17 N/ R 5 E/ SEC 26, 34; T 16 N/ R 5 E/ SEC 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 17, 18; and T 16 N/ R 4 E/ SEC 13, 14 . Village of Oak Creek; Sedona; and Cornville.				

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