

## Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA) 01/01/2021 to 03/31/2021

## **Plumas National Forest**

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Projects Occurring Nationwide							
Locatable Mining Rule - 36 CFR 228, subpart A.	- Regulations Orders	s, Directives,	In Progress: DEIS NOA in Federal Register 09/13/2018 Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 11/2021	Expected:12/2021	12/2021	Nancy Rusho 202-731-9196 nancy.rusho@usda.gov	
	<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						
	Web Link:	ink: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57214					
	Location:	regulations apply to	level Units. STATE - All States. Of all NFS lands open to mineral ent sda.gov/science-technology/geolog	ry under the US mining	g laws. More Infor	mation is available	

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

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Plumas National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)  R5 - Pacific Southwe							
Plumas National Forest Over- Snow Vehicle (OSV) Use Designation	- Recreation	management	In Progress: Objection Period Legal Notice 08/21/2019 Est. FEIS NOA in Federal Register 01/2021	Expected:03/2021	08/2021	Katherine Carpenter 530-283-7742 katherine.carpenter@us da.gov	
	Web Link:	System lands as all conducted. http://www.fs.usda.	w vehicle (OSV) use on National F owed, restricted, or prohibited. Iden gov/project/?project=47124 onal Forest All Units. STATE - Cal	ntify trails for snow gro	ooming for OSV us	e would be	
	Location.		able. National Forest System lands			, ,	

Plumas National Forest, Occ	Plumas National Forest, Occurring in more than one District (excluding Forestwide)						
2020 PNF Road and Trail Maintenance Project CE	- Recreation - Road man	management agement	In Progress: Scoping Start 05/20/2020	Expected:07/2021	07/2021	Katherine Carpenter 530-283-7742 kacarpenter@fs.fed.us	
*UPDATED*	Description: Web Link:	<b>Description:</b> This project proposes to maintain 177 miles of NFS roads and trails by removing and replacing existing road surfaces, guard rails, signs, and culverts; reshaping road surfaces; cleaning ditches and culverts; and abating hazard trees.					
	Location:	LEGAL - T25N R 10, 16-18; T26N South of Antelop	h Ranger District, Beckwourth Ran 211E Sections 1, 11-13; T25N R12 R11E Section 36; T26N R12E Se e Lake, west of Wheeler Peak, no Ranger Districts, of the Plumas Na	2E Sections 1, 5-6, 8-18, 2 ections 1-5, 7-17, 20-29, m orth of Mt. Ingalls, and eas	20-24; T25N R13 ore in "other pro t of Doyle Cross	E Sections 3, 5- ject information".	

Plumas National Forest Beckwourth Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R5 - Pacific Southwest Region

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Plumas National Forest Becky	wourth Range	er District (excluding	g Projects occurring in more tha	n one District)	R5 - Pa	cific Southwest Region	
Feather River Inn Water System CE	- Special use	management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Robert Hawkins 916-849-8037 rhhawkins@fs.fed.us	
	Description:		special use authorization to Schomo diversion structures, a storage tar			system. The water	
	Location:		Ranger District. STATE - Californi gridian. The water system is located eather River Inn.				
Haskell Project CE *UPDATED*	- Forest pro	management products)	Completed	Actual: 09/24/2020	10/2020	Keli Ward (530) 836-7157 Keli.Ward@usda.gov	
	Description: Web Link:	<ul> <li>Description: Improve forest health and enhance resistance to insect and disease attacks. Proposed activities may include mechanical thinning, hand thinning, grapple piling, pile burning, underburning, and decommissioning of non system roads.</li> <li>Web Link: <a href="http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52569">http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=52569</a></li> </ul>					
	Location:		Ranger District. STATE - Californi to 6 miles Southeast of Graeagle, ( ı.				
Mapes Project EA *NEW LISTING*	- Wildlife, Fi - Forest pro- - Vegetation	management products)	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 10/2020	Expected:04/2021	05/2021	Keli Ward 530-836-7157 Keli.Ward@usda.gov	
	Description:	<b>Description:</b> Improve forest health and resilience, wildlife habitat, and water quality utilizing mechanical thinning, mechanical fuels treatments, hand thinning, prescribed fire, and road maintenance, reconstruction, and decommissioning.					
	Location:	project area extend	Ranger District. STATE - Californi s north from Portola, along the eas east side of the project area gene	t side of Lake Davis to	approximately tw		

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Ramelli Ranch Erosion Improvement, Pipeline and Corral Maintenance Project CE *UPDATED*	- Grazing ma - Vegetation (other than for	h, Rare plants anagement management prest products) management	In Progress: Scoping Start 12/17/2019	Expected:03/2021	04/2021	Martha Roberts 530-836-7166 martha.roberts@usda.g ov
	Description:		es to authorize maintenance of irrig ize reconstruction of an existing co			
	Location:	27 and 28. The Ran	Ranger District. STATE - Californi nelli Ranch Allotment is located ap onal Forest Systems Lands in Plun	proximately 2 miles w	est of Beckwourth	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Thompson Meadow Restoration Project	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Grazing management - Watershed management		Completed	Actual: 12/17/2020	04/2021	Joseph Hoffman 530-283-2050 jahoffman@fs.fed.us
*UPDATED*	Description: Web Link:	Thompson Creek, a	oodplain function and the historic r tributary to McReynolds Creek, wh gov/project/?project=52760			6 mile reach of
	Location:		Ranger District. STATE - Californi nd 36. Approximately 11 air miles n			
Two Rivers Soccer Camp Permit Re-issue	- Special use	management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jeremy Dorsey 909 382-2837 jdorsey02@fs.fed.us
*UPDATED*	Description:	<b>Description:</b> Re-issue a 20 year permit to Two Rivers Soccer Camp for the following uses: bridge, road, parking area, portion of a soccer field, water transmission lines, storage tank and spring boxes.				
	Location:		Ranger District. STATE - Californi Diablo Meridian. Two Rivers Socce			the state of the s

Plumas National Forest Feather River Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)	R5 - Pacific Southwest Region
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Plumas National Forest Feather River Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R5 - Pacific Southwest							
Berry Brush WUI Hazardous Fuels Reduction Project CE *NEW LISTING*	<ul> <li>Forest products</li> <li>Vegetation management</li> <li>(other than forest products)</li> <li>Fuels management</li> <li>Road management</li> </ul>		In Progress: Scoping Start 12/08/2020	Expected:07/2021	09/2021	Eric Murphy 530-532-8922 ejmurphy@fs.fed.us	
	Description: Web Link:	I fire- and climate- asticate brush,					
	Location:	Bloomer Hill to the s	er Ranger District. STATE - Califor southwest to Junction House to the Road, Stephens Ridge, Brush Cre	northeast, and include	le NFS lands near		
Buzzards Roost Trail and Trail Maintenance Project CE	- Recreation	management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Maria Cisneros 530-532-7444 mcisneros@fs.fed.us	
*UPDATED*	Description:		isting trails are not constructed to F re not sustainable as built. Minor re			•	
	Web Link:	http://www.fs.usda.g	gov/project/?project=58344				
	Location:		er Ranger District. STATE - Califor iil, Minerva Bar Trail, Butte Bar Tra				
Concow Resilience Project CE *UPDATED*	(other than forest pro		Completed	Actual: 09/30/2020	10/2020	Clay Davis 907-747-4225 clayrdavis@fs.fed.us	
	<b>Description:</b> Proposes to undertake a series of reforestation, revegetation, and brush control activities following high-severity fire in and around the Concow Basin.						
	Web Link:	http://www.fs.usda.g	gov/project/?project=57311				
	Location:		er Ranger District. STATE - Califor I Forest administered by the Pluma ghway 70.				

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Plumas National Forest Feath	er River Ranç	ger District (excludi	ng Projects occurring in more th	an one District)	R5 - Pa	cific Southwest Region		
FRRD Abandoned Mine Closures 2020 CE	- Minerals ar	nd Geology	Completed	Actual: 09/30/2020	05/2021	Donna Duncan 530-283-7614 dmduncan@fs.fed.us		
*UPDATED*	Description:		mines currently pose a safety and hy unstable rock and possibly trash					
	Web Link:	http://www.fs.usda.g	gov/project/?project=58818					
	Location:		er Ranger District. STATE - Califor apstone-Tractor, Union-Keystone P					
Forbestown Fire Salvage Project CE	- Forest prod - Fuels man		Completed	Actual: 11/09/2020	11/2020	Eric Murphy 530-532-8922 ejmurphy@fs.fed.us		
*NEW LISTING*	Description:	ion: Areas north of Lower Forbestown Road and Old Forbestown Road were burned in the North Complex Fire. The area is classified as wildland-urban interface (WUI). We propose salvage activities on approximately 100 acres within the project area.						
	Web Link:	http://www.fs.usda.g	gov/project/?project=59018					
Location: UNIT - Feather River Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Butte. within the Forbestown IRSC, north of Lower Forbestown Road and Old Forbest Complex Fire. The project area is in and around the community of Forbestown								
French Creek I Hazardous Fuels Reduction	- Forest prod - Fuels man		In Progress: Scoping Start 09/11/2019	Expected:12/2020	01/2021	Jason Vermillion 530-532-7434 jvermillion@fs.fed.us		
	Description:	<b>ption:</b> The French Creek I project proposes to reduce hazardous fuels and stand density through commercial and pre- commercial thinning, mastication of brush and prescribed burning using GTR-220 and 237 methods. The project will treat no more than 3,000 acres						
	Web Link:	http://www.fs.usda.g	gov/project/?project=56798					
	Location:	~ 10 miles north of	er Ranger District. STATE - Califor Berry Creek, at elevations ranging inches. The Camp Fire burned thro	between 2,300 and 4,	500 feet. Annual p			

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French Creek II Insect and Disease Resilience Project	- Forest prod - Fuels man		On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jason Vermillion 530-532-7434 jvermillion@fs.fed.us		
*UPDATED*	Web Link:	mastication of brush available soil moistu http://www.fs.usda.	gov/project/?project=58343	I stands will be more	open, increasing th	e amount of		
	Location:	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Feather River Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Butte. LEGAL - Not Applicable.  Between Four Trees and Coyote Gap in the French Creek Basin.						
Granite Basin OHV Trail Development Project EA	- Recreation - Road man	management agement	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Clay Davis 530-532-8940 clay.davis@usda.gov		
*UPDATED*	Description: The Forest Service is proposing to meet the need for additional OHV riding opportunities for the Granite Basin recreation area. This proposal has two components: construction/reconstruction of OHV trail and road reclassification to authorize OHV use.  Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55986							
	UNIT - Feather Rive Granite Basin.	er Ranger District. STATE - Califor	nia. COUNTY - Plur	nas. LEGAL - Not	Applicable.			
Mooreville Ridge Fire Salvage SIR and CE	- Forest products - Fuels management		Completed	Actual: 10/29/2020	10/2020	Eric Murphy 530-532-8922 ejmurphy@fs.fed.us		
*NEW LISTING*	<b>Description:</b> The Mooreville Ridge I&D Resilience Project decision was signed May 6, 2020. The Mooreville IRTC was awarde July 23, 2020. On September 8, 2020 the North Complex fire driven by extreme winds burned into the Mooreville project killing many trees.							
	Web Link:	http://www.fs.usda.g	gov/project/?project=59013					
	Location:		er Ranger District. STATE - Califorouthwest of La Porte, California at e					

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Plumas National Forest Feath	er River Ran	er River Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)  R5 - Pacific Southwest Region							
PG&E Overhead Powerline River Crossing at Pulga Special Use Request	- Special use	e management	Completed	Actual: 09/30/2020	10/2020	Maria Cisneros 530-532-7444 mcisneros@fs.fed.us			
CE *UPDATED*		National Forest to re	new overhead electric distribution eplace the existing river crossing the						
	Web Link:	http://www.fs.usda.g	gov/project/?project=58816						
	Location:		er Ranger District. STATE - Califor Feather River at Pulga, Butte Cou		e. LEGAL - Not Ap	oplicable. Highway			
Strawberry Wildfire Resilience Project CE *UPDATED*		n management orest products)	Completed	Actual: 12/01/2020	01/2021	Eric Murphy 530-532-8922 ejmurphy@fs.fed.us			
	Description:	<ul> <li>Reduce hazardous fuels and reduce the risk of insect and disease-caused tree mortality through mechanical and hand thinning, mastication of brush, grapple and hand piling, targeted grazing, and prescribed and pile burning.</li> <li>http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=55801</li> </ul>							
	Location:	UNIT - Feather River Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Butte, Plumas, Yuba. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Located nearby Sly Creek Reservoir on and near the La Porte Quincy Highway, Strawberry Valley, CA, is one of a number of small, rural communities surrounded by the Plumas National Forest (WUI).							
YWA - Cottage Creek Dam Modification Special Use CE	- Special use	e management	In Progress: Scoping Start 03/31/2020	Expected:11/2020	04/2021	Clay Davis 907-747-4225 clayrdavis@fs.fed.us			
	Description	scription: Yuba Water Agency has requested authorization to modify a 1960 earthen dam partially occupying NFS lands. The dam is not within the FERC boundary and is not currently authorized through a special use. We propose to authorize modification and operatio							
	Web Link:	http://www.fs.usda.g	gov/project/?project=57979						
	Location:	Creek Dam is locate	er Ranger District. STATE - Califored in northeastern Yuba County, apon of 2,000 feet, on Plumas Nation Forest.	pproximately 30 miles	northeast of Yuba	City, at an			

Plumas National Forest Mt. Hough Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District) R5 - Pacific Southwest Region

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Plumas National Forest Mt. Ho	ough Ranger	District (excluding	Projects occurring in more than	one District)	R5 - Pa	cific Southwest Region
Bud Lee Placer Mining Plan of Operations EA	- Minerals ar	nd Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/11/2020 Est. Comment Period Public Notice 11/2020	Expected:02/2021	04/2021	Donna Duncan 530-283-7614 donna.duncan@usda.g ov
	Description:		sing heavy equipment to excavate Occupancy of the site during opera			
	Web Link:	http://www.fs.usda.g	gov/project/?project=57744			
	Location:		tanger District. STATE - California ar Richbar, in the Feather River Ca		. LEGAL - T25N, I	R7E, Sec 27. The
CA DWR Antelope Trench Sites CE	- Special use	management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 11/2020	Expected:01/2021	09/2021	Colleen Heard 530-283-7622 colleen.heard@usda.go v
	<b>Description:</b> In order to better define the location and tectonic activity of the Indian Creek fault, which could influence the safety of Antelope Lake Da. DWR is proposing to excavate up to three locations in the fall 2021. Proposed sites are NW of Antelope Lake					
	Location:	UNIT - Mt. Hough R L.	langer District. STATE - California	. COUNTY - Plumas	. LEGAL - T28N F	R12E Sec 30-31.
China Bar Placer Mining Plan of Operations EA	- Minerals and Geology		On Hold	N/A	N/A	Donna Duncan 530-283-7614 dmduncan@fs.fed.us
	Description:		n gravels in the North Fork Feather prevent discharge into river.	River Drainage. Use	of a small backhoo	e and a trommel.
	Location:	UNIT - Mt. Hough R Seneca, CA, China	anger District. STATE - California Bar.	. COUNTY - Plumas	. LEGAL - T26N, I	R8E, Sec 19.

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Plumas National Forest Mt. I	Hough Ranger	District (excluding	Projects occurring in more than	one District)	R5 - Pa	cific Southwest Region		
Long Valley Forest Health Project CE	<ul> <li>Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants</li> <li>Forest products</li> <li>Vegetation management</li> <li>(other than forest products)</li> <li>Fuels management</li> </ul>		Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 10/2019	Expected:02/2020	09/2020	Kyla Sabo 530-283-7652 kylasabo@fs.fed.us		
	Description: Improve forest health and fire resiliency within the project area as well as reduce meadow and aspen encroachment by lodgepole pine.  Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=56891							
	Location:							
Moonlight-Superior Drill Project CE	- Minerals an	d Geology	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Donna Duncan 530-283-7614 dmduncan@fs.fed.us		
	<b>Description:</b> Exploratory drilling, drill pad constriction, sump pit excavation, water for drilling, improve some roads, some cross country travel.							
	Location:	UNIT - Mt. Hough Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Plumas. LEGAL - T27N, R10E, Sec 1,12, T27N, R11E, Sec 6. Moonlight Valley, north of Taylorsville, CA.						
Moore Deck Replacement CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use	management	Completed	Actual: 11/23/2020	05/2021	Colleen Heard 530-283-7627 colleen.heard@usda.go v		
	<b>Description:</b> The new deck will be the same size and shape as the deck being replaced. It will be supported by three new cripple walls built on continuous poured concrete footings instead of the existing individual piers. The deck railing will follow County code.							
	Location:	UNIT - Mt. Hough Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Plumas. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Bucks Lake.						
Mouser Bucks Lake RV Park CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use	management	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/24/2020	Expected:01/2021	01/2021	Colleen Heard 530-283-7627 colleen.heard@usda.go v		
	<b>Description:</b> The RV park has been operated on PG&E land for many years. Recent surveys revealed seven RV campsites are partially or fully on National Forest. A special use permit is requested to continue operating the sites on NFS lands.							
	Location: UNIT - Mt. Hough Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Plumas. LEGAL - T23N, R7E, Sec 3 MDBM. Bucks Lake near Haskins Bay.							

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Plumas National Forest Mt.	Hough Ranger	District (excluding	Projects occurring in more than	one District)	R5 - Pa	cific Southwest Region		
Mt. Hough Phase 2 CE *UPDATED*	- Recreation management		Completed	Actual: 11/19/2020	04/2021	Leslie Edlund 530-283-7650 ledlund@fs.fed.us		
	<b>Description:</b> Construction of ~ 37 miles of new motorized trails, which will be added to the Mt. Hough recreational trail system. These trails will provide connectivity between existing routes, and link the system to the communities of Taylorsville and Quincy.							
	Web Link:	http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=58684						
	Location:	UNIT - Mt. Hough Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Plumas. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Quincy, CA.						
R.E. Dahlens Placer Mining Plan of Operations EA	- Minerals a	nd Geology	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Donna Duncan 530-283-7614 dmduncan@fs.fed.us		
	Description: Placer mining, continuing operation, on North Fork Feather River							
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Mt. Hough Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Plumas. LEGAL - T26N, R8e, Sec 16. west of Seneca, CA.							
Toilet Removal - Snake Lake and Greenville Campground	- Recreation	management	Completed	Actual: 09/16/2020	03/2021	Leslie Edlund 530-283-7620 ledlund@fs.fed.us		
*UPDATED*	Description: Removal of two vault toilet buildings: one at Snake Lake Campground and one at Greenville Campground. The Snake Lake toilet is old and has been replaced with a CXT. The Greenville toilet has a suspected cracked vault.  Web Link: http://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=57307							
	Location: UNIT - Mt. Hough Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Plumas. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Snake Lake Campground - T24N, R9E, Section 6. Greenville Campground - T27N, R9E, Section 34.							
Treasure Canyon Lode Mine CE *UPDATED*	- Minerals a	nd Geology	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/20/2020	Expected:03/2021	04/2021	Donna Duncan 530-283-7614 donna.duncan@usda.g ov		
	<b>Description:</b> In order to access the underground working, the caved adit must be reopened, using heavy equipment. Roads will have to be re-opened and a temporary bridge installed over lights creek and a small camp for the miners and equipment on the landing.							
	Location:	UNIT - Mt. Hough F Adjacent to Lights (	Ranger District. STATE - California Creek.	. COUNTY - Plumas	s. LEGAL - T27N,	R11E, Sec 5.		

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