



## Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

07/01/2025 to 09/30/2025

### Chippewa 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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<b>Projects Occurring Nationwide</b>					
<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>Chippewa National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)</b>					<b>R9 - Eastern Region</b>
<b>Enbridge Energy Line 3 Deactivation Project</b> EA	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 10/2024	Expected:07/2025	09/2025	Christopher Worthington 218-335-8643 Christopher.Worthington@usda.gov
<b>Description:</b> Pipe removal will typically follow a sequential process outlined below: survey and staking of construction workspace, vegetation clearing, installation of erosion and sediment control BMPs, and site preparation; excavation and removal of pipe <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/66818">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/66818</a> <b>Location:</b> UNIT - Chippewa National Forest All Units. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Cass, Itasca. LEGAL - Not Applicable. approximately 38.1 miles of removal starting at MP 951.8 and ending at MP 989.9.					

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<b>Fire-dependent Ecosystem Restoration Project</b> CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Vegetation management (other than forest products)	In Progress: Scoping Start 01/14/2025	Expected:07/2025	07/2025	Cynthia Heyd 218-335-8662 cynthia.heyd@usda.gov
<b>*UPDATED*</b>					
<b>Description:</b> The use of prescribed fire and mechanical treatments to restore fire-dependent ecosystems and wildlife habitats on 1913 acres of national forest system lands, within the proclamation boundary of the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe Indian Reservation.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/59126">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/59126</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Chippewa National Forest All Units. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Cass. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project analysis area is on the Chippewa National Forest within, Cass County, Minnesota. The treatment includes approximately 1,913 acres of National Forest System lands.					
<b>Rare Plant Population Augmentation Project</b> CE	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/12/2023	Expected:09/2023	10/2023	Justin Tufts 218-335-8600 justin.tufts@usda.gov
<b>Description:</b> Seed collection, propagation, and out-planting of rare plants within existing populations.					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Chippewa National Forest All Units. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Beltrami, Cass, Itasca. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Within 250 feet of existing rare plant populations as recorded in the Forest Service Natural Resource Manager (NRM) Threatened, Endangered, and Sensitive Species (TESP) database. A shapefile is provided.					

Chippewa National Forest	Blackduck Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)	R9 - Eastern Region
<b>Blackduck Recreation Site Tree Spading</b> CE	- Recreation management - Vegetation management (other than forest products)	Actual: 04/15/2025 04/2025 Ashley May-Klick 218-246-2124 ashley.n.may-klick@usda.gov
<b>*UPDATED*</b>		
<b>Description:</b> Implementing a tree spade to move nursery stock to the Bimijiwan and West Winnie recreation sites.		
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67545">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67545</a>		
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Blackduck Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Beltrami, Itasca. LEGAL - Section 21 Township 146 North, Range 30 West (Bimijiwan) and Section 35 Township 146 North, Range 29 West (West Winnie). Bimijiwan Campground and the West Winnie Boat Launch on the Blackduck District.		

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<b>Chippewa National Forest Blackduck Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>				<b>R9 - Eastern Region</b>	
<b>East Beach Lot 10A- Staircase Rebuild</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 11/01/2024	Expected:04/2025	08/2025	Shelby Worel 218-407-5567 shelby.worel@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Rebuilding stairway down to the lake <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67568">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67568</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Blackduck Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Beltrami. LEGAL - T146N, R31W, Section 36. South East side of Star Island.				
<b>FR3334 Road Permit</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 05/09/2022	Expected:06/2022	06/2022	Ashley May klick 218-246-2124 ashley.n.may-klick@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Issuing a special use road permit for construction, access, and maintenance of FR3334. Proposed road would cover approximately 1.3 acres. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/62177">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/62177</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Blackduck Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Itasca. LEGAL - T150N, R26W, Sec 9. East of Island Lake.				
<b>Lady Slipper Scenic Highway Interpretive Trail</b> CE <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Recreation management	Completed	Actual: 06/10/2025	08/2025	Cole Van Beusekom 218-835-3113 Cole.VanBeusekom@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> .25-mile interpretive trail. The trails width of approximately 8ft would involve clearing brush and small trees. portions of the trail will be widened for Interpretive displays. Project will avoid sensitive areas involving Lady Slippers, or other spe				
	<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/65370">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/65370</a>				
<b>Mississippi River Lot 3 New Deck</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/26/2024	Expected:02/2025	05/2025	Shelby Worel 218-407-5567 shelby.worel@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Building a new deck <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67065">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67065</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Blackduck Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Beltrami. LEGAL - T145N, R29W, Section 2. West side of Lake Winnibigoshish.				

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<b>Chippewa National Forest Blackduck Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>				<b>R9 - Eastern Region</b>	
<b>Norway Beach Resort Shoreline Stabilization</b> CE	- Watershed management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Christopher Worthington 218-335-8643 christopher.worthington @usda.gov
	<p><b>Description:</b> The project includes construction of 244 feet of rock riprap shoreline protection at the Norway Beach Resort along the shoreline of Cass Lake. The project is within the LLBO</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/59167">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/59167</a></p>				
	<p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - Blackduck Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Cass. LEGAL - Not Applicable. The project site is in Cass County Minnesota; T145N, R30W, S8 at the Norway Beach Resort on FR2007AA. The nearest town is Cass Lake, MN.</p>				
<b>Norway Bluff Lot 21- New Shed and Septic System</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/08/2024	Expected:12/2024	05/2025	Shelby Worel 218-407-5567 shelby.worel@usda.gov
	<p><b>Description:</b> Removing old storage buildings and building a new shed as well as installing a septic system.</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67064">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67064</a></p>				
	<p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - Blackduck Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Beltrami. LEGAL - T146N, R31W, Section 34. South West Side of Star Island.</p>				
<b>Pennington South Resource Management Project</b> EA <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management	In Progress: Scoping Start 10/01/2024 Est. Comment Period Public Notice 05/2025	Expected:10/2025	01/2026	Samuel Ainsley 218-241-2123 samuel.ainsley@usda.gov
	<p><b>Description:</b> Vegetation management of the 107,000 acre Pennington South Planning area located between Pennington and HWY 2, West of Lake Winnibigoshish.</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67570">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67570</a></p>				
	<p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - Blackduck Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Beltrami, Cass. LEGAL - Not Applicable. south of Pennington to Hwy 2 and west of Lake Winnie to the Forest boundary.</p>				

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Chippewa National Forest	<b>Blackduck Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>				R9 - Eastern Region
Sandy Beach Lot 11-Boathouse Rebuild and Tree Removal  CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/30/2024	Expected:04/2025	08/2025	Shelby Worel 218-407-5567 shelby.worel@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Rebuilding boathouse after a tree fell on it during a wind event and the removal of two other nearby trees. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67062">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67062</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Blackduck Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Beltrami. LEGAL - T145N, R31W, Section 2. South Side of Star Island.				
Ten Section and Mississippi River UBA Project  CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Land management planning - Special area management - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Watershed management	Completed	Actual: 05/30/2025	06/2025	Cory Mlodik 307-276-5808 cory.mlodik@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Thin about 269 acres of pine plantations. Prescribed fire on about 1,500 acres. Brushing, planting, and seeding as needed within the project area. <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/66752">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/66752</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Blackduck Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Cass. LEGAL - 146N, R29W and 146N, R30W. primarily along the Mississippi River between Cass Lake and Lake Winnibigoshish.				

Chippewa National Forest	<b>Deer River Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>				R9 - Eastern Region
Goose Lake Pit Establishment  CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Minerals and Geology - Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Trapper Marshall 218-335-8657 Trapper.Marshall@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Establishment of Goose Lake gravel pit near Mud/Goose Lake south of Ball Club Mn. Not on LLBO Reservation <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/66492">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/66492</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Deer River Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Cass. LEGAL - SW 1/4 NW 1/4 S6, T143, R25N. From Ball Club Mn, Travel south on County Road 18 for 5.25 Miles. Where County Road 18 turns east, continue south on 72nd Ave. Travel south on 72nd Ave for 1.6 miles. Turn east on to FS2329 and travel for approximately 1/4 mile ending at project site.				

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Chippewa National Forest	Deer River Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)				R9 - Eastern Region
<b>Little Cut Foot Sioux Lot 2 Cabin Addition and Garage Removal</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 11/04/2024	Expected:12/2024	12/2024	Todd Armbruster 218-246-2124 Todd.Armbruster@usda.gov
<p><b>Description:</b> Recreation residence cabin addition of a new attached garage and removal of the existing detached garage. Within LLBO Reservation.</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67228">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67228</a></p>					
<p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - Deer River Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Itasca. LEGAL - T147N, R27W, Section 36. Southwest side of Little Cut Foot Sioux Lake, east of State Hwy 46. 56192 Little Cut Foot Summer Homes Road. -94.038, 47.502 degrees.</p>					
<b>Little Cut Foot Sioux Lot 5 Roof Repair</b> CE	- Special use management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 08/2022	Expected:10/2022	10/2022	Joshua Krecklau 218-547-1044 Joshua.Krecklau@usda.gov
<p><b>Description:</b> Replacement of roofing on cabin and garage. On Reservation.</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/archive/62635">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/archive/62635</a></p>					
<p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - Deer River Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Itasca. LEGAL - T147N, R27W, Section 36. Little Cut Foot Sioux Recreation Residence Tract, Lot 5.</p>					
<b>North Country Trail Highway 6 Reroute</b> CE <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Recreation management	Completed	Actual: 06/02/2025	06/2025	Scott Shipley 218-475-5109 scott.shipley@usda.gov
<p><b>Description:</b> The trail reroute section is 10 miles. Decommission old NCT segments. Constructing two parking areas and two dispersed campsites, which will include fire grates, wilderness latrines, and tent pads.</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/66429">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/66429</a></p>					
<p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - Deer River Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Cass. LEGAL - West termini T 142N, R 25W, section 21. East termini T 143N, R 25W, section 25. The approximate location starts where the current NCT intersects State Highway 6, follows along State Highway 6, and ends at the forest boundary just north of Willow Lake.</p>					

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Paul Bunyon Amendment 1 Womack Road CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 04/11/2025	05/2025	Joshua Krecklau 218-547-1044 Joshua.Krecklau@usda.gov
<b>Description:</b> Installation of Pedestals, Cabinets and Markers along fiber optic line					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/66900">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/66900</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Deer River Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Itasca. LEGAL - T147N, R26W, Sections 9, 16, and 17. Inger area. Within LLBO reservation.					
People's - Amendment 14 CE  <b>*UPDATED*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 05/07/2025	05/2025	Ashley May-Klick 218-246-2124 ashley.n.may-klick@usda.gov
<b>Description:</b> Installation and maintenance of 9,756 feet of line to be installed using a vibratory plow or directional bore under roadways and water ways.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/65667">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/65667</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Deer River Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Itasca. LEGAL - T148N, R25W. T59N, R26W. Marcell area.					
Pines Resort and Campground Cabin 7 Replacement CE  <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 04/22/2025	05/2025	Todd Armbruster 218-246-2124 Todd.Armbruster@usda.gov
<b>Description:</b> Replace cabin 7 with 28%u2019x30%u2019 slab on grade three bedroom, ADA compliant cabin.					
<b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67970">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67970</a>					
<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Deer River Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Cass. LEGAL - T146N, R27W, Section 26. Southeast side of Lake Winnibigoshish Lake by Winnie Dam, 17221 Winnie Dam Rd NE. -94.056, 47.428 degrees.					

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Chippewa National Forest	Deer River Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)				R9 - Eastern Region
Private Road 3294 Authorization CE <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 04/22/2025	06/2025	Todd Armbruster 218-246-2124 Todd.Armbruster@usda.gov
<p><b>Description:</b> To use and maintain an existing private road crossing CPF by adding gravel, grading, and plowing in the winter to access their residence. The portion of the road crossing forest is approximately 1,250 feet long.</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67798">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67798</a></p>					
<p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - Deer River Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Itasca. LEGAL - T60N, R26W, Section 32. East side of Turtle Lake and west of state highway 38 approximately 3 miles north of Marcell. Directly west of West Johnson Lake Road.</p>					

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Chippewa National Forest	Walker Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)				R9 - Eastern Region
CR 151 Tree Removal and Road Replacement to Improve Water Drainage CE <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Completed This project has changed to a CE that does not require a written decision document and will be removed from the SOPA.		03/2025	Shelby Worel 218-407-5567 shelby.worel@usda.gov
<p><b>Description:</b> CR 151 needs to be graded to provide for proper drainage by removing the old road and replacing it with appropriate materials and construction.</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67703">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67703</a></p>					
<p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walker Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Cass. LEGAL - Township 145N, Range 31 W, Sec. 16. North of the Supervisor's Office in Cass Lake.</p>					
East Ottertail - Amendment 9 CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 01/24/2025	Expected:08/2025	09/2025	Joshua Krecklau 218-547-1044 Joshua.Krecklau@usda.gov
<p><b>Description:</b> Installation and maintenance of 3,376 feet of line using vibratory plow or directional bore. Much of the line listed is existing and is planned to be upgraded to better meet the demands. This project is with the reservation boundary</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67566">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67566</a></p>					
<p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walker Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Cass. LEGAL - T141N R30W Sec 3 and R29W Sec 1. Whipholt Area.</p>					

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<b>Chippewa National Forest Walker Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>				<b>R9 - Eastern Region</b>	
<b>East Ottertail Amendment 12</b> <b>Howard Lake Area</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 11/04/2024	Expected:02/2025	04/2025	Joshua Krecklau 218-547-1044 Joshua.Krecklau@usda.gov
	<p><b>Description:</b> Installation and maintenance of 972 feet of line to be installed in a 36-inch-wide corridor to reach a residence. Trees will be cleared along the corridor route. This project is outside of the reservation boundary.</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/archive/67567">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/archive/67567</a></p>				
	<p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walker Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Cass. LEGAL - T141N, R31W, Section 31. Howard Lake Area.</p>				
<b>East Ottertail- Amendment 6</b> <b>Longville</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/29/2023	Expected:12/2023	06/2024	Ashley May klick 218-246-2124 ashley.n.may-klick@usda.gov
	<p><b>Description:</b> Installation and maintenance of 53,211 ft of line to be installed using a vibratory plow or directional bore under roadways and water ways. Much of the line is existing and is to be upgraded to better meet demands. partly within reservation.</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/64621">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/64621</a></p>				
	<p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walker Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Cass. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Longville Area.</p>				
<b>Eckman Driveway Road Association</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 02/14/2025	Expected:02/2025	03/2025	Ashley May klick 218-246-2124 ashley.n.may-klick@usda.gov
	<p><b>Description:</b> To issue a special use road permit to the Eckman Drive Road Association to provide legal access to their private parcels.</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/archive/67666">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/archive/67666</a></p>				
	<p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walker Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Cass. LEGAL - Not Applicable. T141N, R31W, Sec 27.</p>				

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<b>Chippewa National Forest Walker Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>				<b>R9 - Eastern Region</b>	
<b>Itasca Mantrap Amendment 6- Howard Lake Area</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 01/24/2025	Expected:02/2025	04/2025	Joshua Krecklau 218-547-1044 Joshua.Krecklau@usda.gov
	<p><b>Description:</b> Installation and maintenance of 972 feet of line to be installed in a 36-inch-wide corridor to reach a residence. Trees will be cleared along the corridor route. This project is outside of the reservation boundary.</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/archive/67564">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/archive/67564</a></p>				
	<p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walker Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Cass. LEGAL - T141N, R31W, Section 31. Howard Lake Area.</p>				
<b>Peterson Aspen Project</b> CE <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Forest products	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 05/2025	Expected:05/2025	06/2025	Christopher Worthington 218-335-8643 Christopher.Worthington@usda.gov
	<p><b>Description:</b> This project intends to harvest primarily aspen and paper birch to provide sunlight and growing space to midstory and understory hardwoods and improve stand health and resiliency.</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/68047">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/68047</a></p>				
	<p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walker Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Cass. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Directly South of Hwy 200, 4 miles west of Remer, MN.</p>				
<b>Private Road 2559 Authorization</b> CE <b>*NEW LISTING*</b>	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 04/22/2025	06/2025	Todd Armbruster 218-246-2124 Todd.Armbruster@usda.gov
	<p><b>Description:</b> Use and maintain an existing private road crossing CPF land by adding gravel, grading, and plowing in the winter to access their residence. The portion of the road crossing forest is approximately 1,200 ft long and 16 ft wide.</p> <p><b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67885">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67885</a></p>				
	<p><b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walker Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Cass. LEGAL - T141N, R27W, Section 14. North side of Twin Lake and east of County Road 129. Approximately 8 miles west of Remer.</p>				

Project Name	Project Purpose	Planning Status	Decision	Expected Implementation	Project Contact
<b>Chippewa National Forest Walker Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)</b>				<b>R9 - Eastern Region</b>	
<b>Septic replacement at Takagami Recreation Residence, Lot 5</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/15/2024	Expected:09/2024	09/2024	Joshua Krecklau 218-547-1044 Joshua.Krecklau@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Replacement of septic system at West Pike Bay Lot 3 recreation residence <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/66578">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/66578</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walker Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Cass. LEGAL - T145N, R31W, Section 25. East side of Pike Bay.				
<b>Walker Bay Lot 5 Well Replacement</b> CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 01/24/2025	Expected:04/2025	04/2026	Joshua Krecklau 218-547-1044 Joshua.Krecklau@usda.gov
	<b>Description:</b> Septic installation and well replacement. Old outhouse and old well to be abandoned <b>Web Link:</b> <a href="https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67565">https://www.fs.usda.gov/r09/chippewa/projects/67565</a>				
	<b>Location:</b> UNIT - Walker Ranger District. STATE - Minnesota. COUNTY - Cass. LEGAL - T142N, R31W, Sect. 14. East side of Leech Lake, to the west of the Shingobee RD NW.				

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