



Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

01/01/2016 to 03/31/2016

Sierra National Forest

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Project Name	Project Purpose	Planning Status	Decision	Expected Implementation	Project Contact
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Projects Occurring in more than one Region (excluding Nationwide)

Sierra Nevada Forest Plan Amendment (SNFPA) EIS	- Land management planning	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Donald Yasuda 916-640-1168 dyasuda@fs.fed.us
	Description: Prepare a narrowly focused analysis to comply with two orders issued by the Eastern District Court of California on November 4, 2009. Correct the 2004 SNFPA Final SEIS to address range of alternatives and analytical consistency issues.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/r5/snfpa/2010seis				
Location: UNIT - Eldorado National Forest All Units, Lassen National Forest All Units, Modoc National Forest All Units, Sequoia National Forest All Units, Tahoe National Forest All Units, Lake Tahoe Basin Mgt Unit, Carson Ranger District, Bridgeport Ranger District, Plumas National Forest All Units, Sierra National Forest All Units, Stanislaus National Forest All Units, Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California, Nevada. COUNTY - Alpine, Amador, Butte, Calaveras, El Dorado, Fresno, Inyo, Kern, Lassen, Madera, Mariposa, Modoc, Mono, Nevada, Placer, Plumas, Shasta, Sierra, Siskiyou, Tulare, Tuolumne, Yuba, Douglas, Esmeralda, Mineral. LEGAL - Along the Sierra Nevada Range, from the Oregon/California border south to Lake Isabella as well as lands in western Nevada. Sierra Nevada National Forests.					

R5 - Pacific Southwest Region, Occurring in more than one Forest (excluding Regionwide)

Inyo, Sequoia and Sierra National Forests Land Management Plans Revision EIS *UPDATED*	- Land management planning	In Progress: NOI in Federal Register 08/29/2014 Est. DEIS NOA in Federal Register 04/2016	Expected:01/2017	01/2017	Michael Dietl 707-562-9121 r5planrevision@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Inyo, Sequoia and Sierra National Forests propose to revise their land management plans as guided by the 2012 Planning Rule				
	Web Link: http://tinyurl.com/r5earlyadopters				
Location: UNIT - Sequoia National Forest All Units, Sierra National Forest All Units, Inyo National Forest All Units. STATE - California, Nevada. COUNTY - Fresno, Inyo, Kern, Kings, Mono, Tulare, Esmeralda, Mineral. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Entire Inyo National Forest, entire Sequoia National Forest outside of the Giant Sequoia National Monument, and the Sierra National Forest.					

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R5 - Pacific Southwest Region, Occurring in more than one Forest (excluding Regionwide)					
Issue Easement for Exchecker-Yosemite 70Kv Transmission Line and Indian Flat Substation	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Alan Gallegos 559-297-0706 x 4862 ajgallegos@fs.fed.us
EA *UPDATED*	Description: Issue an Easement for approximately 10.4 miles of the Exchecker-Yosemite 70Kv Transmission Line located on the Sierra and Stanislaus National Forests, and the Indian Flat Substation located in the Merced River Canyon in Mariposa County, California. Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=36182 Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District, Groveland Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mariposa. LEGAL - T 3SR 19E. Merced River Canyon.				

Sierra National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest)				R5 - Pacific Southwest Region	
Concessionaire Permit Extension	- Recreation management - Facility management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Alan Gallegos 559-297-0706 x 4862 ajgallegos@fs.fed.us
CE *UPDATED*	Description: Amend existing permit to extend two years for concessionaire permit. Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=43127 Location: UNIT - Sierra National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Fresno, Madera, Mariposa. LEGAL - Not Applicable. 86 Campground and Picnic Sites Forest-wide.				
Courtney Fire Reforestation Project	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	Completed	Actual: 11/19/2015	12/2015	Mike Nolen 559-877-2218 mnolen@fs.fed.us
CE *UPDATED*	Description: The Courtney fire of 2014 killed the majority of trees in the fire perimeter. Numerous snags of various sizes are present throughout the fire area. Pine stands that vegetated the fire area have been converted to pine snags. The fire created hazardous Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=47171 Location: UNIT - Sierra National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - T7S, R22E, S16,21. The Courtney fire area is between Bass Lake and road 426 on the Bass Lake Ranger District.				

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Pacific Gas and Electric Company Electric Line Facilities Permit Reissue (aka Holdover) CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Annette Lambert 559-855-5355 x3338 alambert@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reissue expired or soon to be expired permits to various (33) PGE electric line and associated access roads.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=19615				
Location: UNIT - Sierra National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Fresno, Madera, Mariposa. LEGAL - maps available at the District Offices. Various locations on the Bass Lake and High Sierra Ranger Districts.					
SCE Permit Renewal for Existing Distribution Lines CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Annette Lambert (559) 855-5355 x3338 alambert@fs.fed.us
	Description: Renew a special use permit forest-wide for existing distribution lines 33 kilovolts and under on the Sierra National Forest				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=33583				
Location: UNIT - Sierra National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Fresno, Madera. LEGAL - Various locations on Bass Lake (BLRD) and High Sierra Ranger Districts (HSRD), maps available at HSRD. Sierra National Forest - Huntington, Shaver, Mammoth Pool, Auberry, North Fork.					
Special Use Permit Issuance for Phase 2 of the Ferguson Slide Permanent Restoration Project EA *UPDATED*	- Special use management - Road management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 06/04/2015	Expected:01/2016	02/2016	Judith Tapia 559-297-0706 jetapia@fs.fed.us
	Description: The Forest Service proposes to approve an SUP allowing Caltrans to construct Phase 2 of the Rockshed/Tunnel Alternative (Alternative R in the FEIS) on the Sierra National Forest.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=47068				
Location: UNIT - Sierra National Forest All Units. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mariposa. LEGAL - Not Applicable. SR 140 from 5.1 kilometers (3.2 miles) east of Briceburg to approximately 9.7 kilometers (6.0 miles) west of El Portal.					

Sierra National Forest Bass Lake Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)

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Sierra National Forest Bass Lake Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R5 - Pacific Southwest Region		
"007" Motorized Trail Project EA	- Recreation management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Leak Pen 559-877-2218 lpen02@fs.fed.us
	Description: The project will develop needed social, economic and natural resource impacts and information to determine the purpose and need for the popular user defined "007" route to establish it's designation as a trail.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=35501				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - TS7S, R22E, Sec 25 SE1/4, NE1/4, Sec 24 SE1/4, NE1/4, Sec19 NW1/4, Sec 13 SW1/4, Sec18 SW1/4, NW1/4, NE1/4, Sec7 SW1/4, SE 1/4, NE1/4. The "007" route is located approximately 4.5 miles north of North Fork, CA.					
Bass Lake Water Company Water Treatment Plant Project EA *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress:	Expected:01/2016	02/2016	Leak Pen 559-877-2218 lpen02@fs.fed.us
	Description: Issue a new special use permit to the Bass Lake Water Company, construct a new water treatment plant and decommission (remove) the existing water treatment plant that is no longer functioning.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=42151				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - Township 7 South, Range 22 East, Section 9, MDBM. Bass Lake, California.					
Doublegate/Lone Sequoia/Timberloft Prescribed Burns - NEPA Review CE	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Gloria Smith 559-877-2218 ext. 3103 gsmith07@fs.fed.us
	Description: Improve forest health and wildlife forage through reduction of existing fuels, suppressed conifers and brush. A NEPA consistency review is needed so that prescribed burning may continue and achieve a "maintenance burn" level through multiple entries.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=44590				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - T6S, R21E, Sec 2-4,9-16. See #15.					

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Horizon Tower Permit Issuance CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 04/08/2013	Expected:02/2016	03/2016	Alan Gallegos 559-297-0706 x 4862 ajgallegos@fs.fed.us
	Description: To issue a special use permit (lease) to Horizon Tower for the existing Miami Mountain communications site previously owned and operated by California Sierra Tower Company. Work is administrative only. No ground disturbance will occur.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=41894				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Mariposa. LEGAL - Township 6 South, Range 20 East, Section 11. Miami Mountain Communications Site.					
Kamook Motorized Recreation Staging Area EA	- Recreation management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Linda McPhail 559-877-2218 -3200 lmcphail01@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reconstruction of a 2.1 acre site to develop parking/off loading, replace deteriorating toilet, reduce maintenance costs and impacts to natural and cultural resources including soils and water quality.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=32822				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - Township: 5S, Range: 21E, Section: 14, 1/4 Sec: NE1/4. Project is within the County of Madera, California and is approximately 8 miles north of the town of Oakhurst, California.					
Miami Fuels Reduction CE	- Fuels management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Mark Smith 559-877-2218 x-3280 mssmith@fs.fed.us
	Description: Fuels reduction in the Miami Creek motorcycle recreation area.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=40728				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera, Mariposa. LEGAL - T5S, R21E, Sections 26,34 and 35. T6S, R21E, Sections 2,3,4,5,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17,22 and 23. Miami Mountain Motorcycle recreation area.					

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Mollie Clayton Cabin Removal Project CE *UPDATED*	- Land management planning - Recreation management	Completed	Actual: 01/12/2015	10/2015	Leak Pen 559-877-2218 lpen02@fs.fed.us
	Description: Demolition and removal of existing cabin located on FS land.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=43012				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Located off of Road 222. Lot is surrounded by large mature trees. Area heavily used for recreational purpose during peak season.					
Nelder Grove New Toilet Installation EA *UPDATED*	- Recreation management - Facility management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 02/2016	Expected:09/2016	10/2016	Leak Pen 559-877-2218 lpen02@fs.fed.us
	Description: Installation of a new CXT Vault toilet building in the Nelder Grove interpretive site area. Existing toilets near campground will remain and continue to be unavailable and restricted of use.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=47600				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Designated recreation site, Nelder Grove interpretive area and campground.					
Ponderosa Telephone Beasore Meadows Fiber Optic Project CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 07/16/2015	Expected:03/2016	06/2016	Annette Lambert 559-855-5355 x3338 alambert@fs.fed.us
	Description: Telephone system will consist of a fenced communications site including a pre-fab building, monopole, and solar panel system; 7,827 feet of buried fiber optic cable.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=47420				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Beasore Meadows area.					
Ponderosa Telephone Company San Joaquin Experimental Range Project EA *UPDATED*	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Annette Lambert 559-855-5355 x3338 alambert@fs.fed.us
	Description: Install approximately 7424' of buried telephone cable inside a conduit to serve the San Joaquin Experimental Range. Related facilities would include pedestals and above ground warning markers.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=43141				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - Township 10 South, Range 21 East, Sections 1, 6, MDBM. U.S. Forest Service Pacific Southwest Station San Joaquin Experimental Range.					

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Ponderosa Telephone Douglas Station Cable Replacement CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 11/17/2015	Expected:12/2015	01/2016	Annette Lambert 559-855-5355 x3338 alambert@fs.fed.us
	Description: A replacement cable is necessary in order to upgrade existing services for providing a more reliable communication network to the station.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=48128				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Douglas Ranger Station in North Fork, CA.					
Ponderosa Telephone Fiber Optic Cable from Marina View to Bass Lake Annex CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 04/22/2015	Expected:05/2016	06/2016	Annette Lambert 559-855-5355 x3338 alambert@fs.fed.us
	Description: Ponderosa Telephone is proposing to replace some copper cable and place new fiber optic cable between Marina View and Bass Lake Annex to provide more reliable service and greater bandwidth.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=46837				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Bass Lake area.					
Ponderosa Telephone Fiber Optic to Central Camp CE	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Annette Lambert 559-855-5355 x3338 alambert@fs.fed.us
	Description: To authorize The Ponderosa Telephone Company to attach approximately 20,704' of fiber optic cable to existing PG&E poles from Marina View at Bass Lake to Central Camp.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=45751				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - Township 7 South, Range 22 East, Sections 24 & 25 and Township 7 South, Range 23 East, Sections 6, 7, 18, & 19. Between Marina View at Bass Lake and Central Camp along an existing PG&E utility corridor.					
Sierra Telephone Bass Lake Fiber Project CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/13/2015	Expected:05/2016	06/2016	Annette Lambert 559-855-5355 x3338 alambert@fs.fed.us
	Description: This project involves the proposed installation of approximately 10,100 feet of buried conduit with fiber optic cable and empty conduit for future use from existing facilities on USFS Road 7S24.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=47556				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - T7S, R22E, Sections 22,23. South side of Bass Lake, between The Forks and Rocky Point.					

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Sierra Telephone Teaford Meadows Fiber Optic Project CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/13/2015	Expected:05/2016	06/2016	Annette Lambert 559-855-5355 x3338 alambert@fs.fed.us
	Description: Sierra Telephone proposes to install 10,100 feet of buried conduits with a fiber cable to be placed in one of the conduits. The proposed route goes through USFS land, beginning at USFS Road 7S23 and continuing south to Teaford Meadows subdivision.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=47557				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - T7S, R22E, Sections 28, 32, 33; T8S, R22E, Section 5. Teaford Meadow Ranch area south of Bass Lake.					
Try Me Placer Mining Project EIS *UPDATED*	- Regulations, Directives, Orders	Developing Proposal Est. NOI in Federal Register 01/2016	Expected:12/2016	06/2017	Alan Gallegos 559-297-0706 x 4862 ajgallegos@fs.fed.us
	Description: The proposal includes mining gold bearing gravels along 1500 feet of channel, setting up a camp and storage area, diversion of water around the mining operation, constructing a sediment pond and small earthen dam to pond water and reclamation.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=41898				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - T. 6 S.; R. 24E, 23E; Sections 13, 18, & 19. Small channel off of West Fork Chiquito Creek, north of Soda Springs.					
West Chiquito Ecological Restoration Project EIS *UPDATED*	- Recreation management - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Road management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Denise Tolmie 559-877-2218 3207 dtolmie@fs.fed.us
	Description: This project is ON HOLD due to a recent fire.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=44426				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - Not Applicable. On hold due to Frenchfire. Project is in Madera County, CA. The outer project boundary encompasses 19,810 acres, primarily within the Lower Chiquito Creek Watershed in the Bass Lake Ranger District.					

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Sierra National Forest Bass Lake Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R5 - Pacific Southwest Region		
Willow Creek Watershed Restoration Planning Project EA *UPDATED*	- Watershed management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 01/2016	Expected:10/2016	05/2017	Alan Gallegos 559-297-0706 x 4862 ajgallegos@fs.fed.us
	Description: This project will complete the planning and NEPA analysis necessary to successfully repair several high priority meadows and streams within the Willow Creek watershed.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=43928				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera, Mariposa. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Surveys, planning and NEPA analysis will occur for meadows and streams throughout the 80,000 acre 5th-Field (HUC10) Willow Creek watershed.					
Yosemite Forks Estates Mutual Water Company Special Use Permit Renewal CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Alan Gallegos 559-297-0706 x 4862 ajgallegos@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reissue a Special Use Permit for a residential water supply line (12" or less pipeline), for less than 1 mile across National Forest System lands on the Bass Lake Ranger District of the Sierra National Forest				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=35375				
Location: UNIT - Bass Lake Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - T 6 S, R 21 E Section 24 MDM. Bass Lake Ranger District, near Cedar Valley private land.					

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Sierra National Forest High Sierra Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R5 - Pacific Southwest Region		
Big Creek School New Sewer Line CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 12/11/2015	Expected:12/2015	01/2016	Annette Lambert 559-855-5355 x3338 alambert@fs.fed.us
	Description: Big Creek School is proposing to install a new 400 foot section of buried 6-inch sewer line and 2 new manholes and tying in with an existing SCE system, located on Forest Service land within the FERC licensed boundary.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=48301				
Location: UNIT - High Sierra Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Madera. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Big Creek Town, California.					

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Ely, Balsam, and Bolsillo Creek Diversions Infrastructure Improvement Project EA *UPDATED*	- Facility management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Alan Gallegos 559-297-0706 x 4862 ajgallegos@fs.fed.us
	Description: Evaluate the effect of the implementation of the Southern California Edison Company's (SCE's) Ely, Balsam, and Bolsillo Creek Diversions Infrastructure Improvement Project on federally listed threatened, endangered, candidate, and proposed species.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=38911				
Location: UNIT - High Sierra Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Fresno, Madera. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Located in the upper San Joaquin River (SJR) watershed in Madera and Fresno counties, California.					
Ershim Meadow Bridge EA *UPDATED*	- Recreation management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Raul Moreno 559-855-5355 x 3314 rmorenojr@fs.fed.us
	Description: To protect meadow resources by building a bridge over a perennial water crossing on a congressionally designated OHV Route (Dusy Ershim).				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=35058				
Location: UNIT - High Sierra Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Fresno. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Ershim meadow located one mile North of Ershim Lake.					
Exchequer Restoration Project EIS *UPDATED*	- Heritage resource management - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Forest products - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management - Watershed management - Road management	In Progress: NOI in Federal Register 03/20/2015 Est. DEIS NOA in Federal Register 02/2016	Expected:09/2016	01/2017	Jody Nickerson (559)297-0706 ext 4943 jnickerson@fs.fed.us
	Description: Implement restoration treatments collaboratively to reduce hazardous fuels, retain/promote large tree and denning/nest structures, promote stand/landscape heterogeneity, meadow restoration and aid natural regeneration of shade intolerant tree species				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=46085				
Location: UNIT - High Sierra Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Fresno. LEGAL - Portions of: Township9S Range25E,T9S R26E, T10S R25E, T10S R26E, T10S R27E, T11S R26E, T11S R27E Mount Diablo Base Meridian. Project is east of Camp Fresno and Dinkey Ranger Station, includes McKinley Grove, west of Buck Meadow Campground and Nelson Mt. The Project is entirely within the Dinkey Creek watershed.					

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Haslett Conservancy Project CE	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	John Cielnicky 559-855-5355 johnwcielnicky@fs.fed.us
	Description: This prescribed fire project is bordered by the 10S03 to the South and the 10S60 to the West, North and East.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=44585				
Location: UNIT - High Sierra Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Fresno. LEGAL - T11S R 25E S23, 24, 13, 14. Road 10S03 to the South and the 10S60 road to the West, North and East.					
Huntington Basin Project EA	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Judith Tapia 559-297-0706 jetapia@fs.fed.us
	Description: The purpose of this project is to minimize the risk of uncontrolled fire on the landscape and improve tree vigor and health in the Huntington Basin while maintaining a visually appealing and undeveloped appearing landscape.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=40173				
Location: UNIT - High Sierra Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Fresno. LEGAL - T8S R25E Sections 1, 2, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, and 21, and T8S R26E Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 17, 18, 19, 20, and 21 (Mt Diablo Base Meridian). Fresno County, areas outside of the Kaiser Wilderness to the west, north, east, and southeast of Huntington Lake, including the China Peak Resort.					
Nutmeg Plantation Fire Hazard Removal CE *UPDATED*	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	Completed	Actual: 10/13/2015	11/2015	Carolyn Ballard 559-855-5355 cballard@fs.fed.us
	Description: Fell, pile & burn drought/bug killed trees in plantation that pose risk of extreme fire behavior & escape of adjacent underburn. Adds additional underburn acres in 50 yr old plantation and adjacent to plantation. Proposes minimal additional fireline.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=47031				
Location: UNIT - High Sierra Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Fresno. LEGAL - T11S, R25E, S.11-27; T11S R26E S. 7-8 & 17-18. Fence Meadow Ridge/ Nutmeg Saddle.					

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Red Mountain OHV Parking Area EA *UPDATED*	- Recreation management	In Progress: Comment Period Public Notice 12/17/2015	Expected:03/2016	06/2016	Raul Moreno 559-855-5355 x 3314 rmorenojr@fs.fed.us
	Description: Develop Off Highway Vehicle (OHV) staging and parking areas at White Bark Vista and Red Mountain. Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=41554				
	Location: UNIT - High Sierra Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Fresno. LEGAL - Not Applicable. White Bark Vista above Huntington Lake and road junction at 8S10 and 8S42 serving Red Mountain.				
SCE 45 Deteriorated Pole Replacements CE *UPDATED*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/16/2014	Expected:01/2016	03/2016	Annette Lambert 559-855-5355 x3338 alambert@fs.fed.us
	Description: SCE has identified 45 deteriorated poles on the High Sierra Ranger District that need to be replaced before they fall over or break, which could result in fires and/or resource damages. Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=45280				
	Location: UNIT - High Sierra Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Fresno. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Various locations on the High Sierra Ranger District.				
SCE Dinkey Pole Replacements CE	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 09/16/2014	Expected:04/2016	06/2016	Annette Lambert 559-855-5355 x3338 alambert@fs.fed.us
	Description: SCE as 4 deteriorated poles within the Dinkey Fisherman's Picnic area that need to be replaced. Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=45283				
	Location: UNIT - High Sierra Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Fresno. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Within the Dinkey Creek Fisherman's Picnic area.				
SCE Integrated Vegetation Management, Big Creek-Rector 220 kV Transmission Line Right-of-Way EA	- Special use management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Annette Lambert 559-855-5355 x3338 alambert@fs.fed.us
	Description: SCE has chosen a 1 mile corridor as a test area to explore a long-term approach to vegetation management within their authorized transmission corridor. Methods include both mechanical and chemical. Their goal is to avoid interruptions and wildfire. Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=43850				
	Location: UNIT - High Sierra Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Fresno. LEGAL - T10S, R24E, Sections 20 and 29. Shaver Springs area.				

Project Name	Project Purpose	Planning Status	Decision	Expected Implementation	Project Contact
Sierra National Forest High Sierra Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)			R5 - Pacific Southwest Region		
SCE Siphon Circuit Upgrade CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 11/23/2015	Expected:05/2016	06/2016	Annette Lambert 559-855-5355 x3338 alambert@fs.fed.us
	Description: Underground 3 mile section of the Siphon 4kv circuit; remove tree attachments, old cable which is not accessible, and relocate adjacent to Hwy 168. Will upgrade to 12kv cable and equipment. Will eliminate costly repairs during the winter months.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=48160				
Location: UNIT - High Sierra Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Fresno. LEGAL - Not Applicable. Adjacent to HWY 168 between Tamarack Subdivision and China Peak Resort.					
Upper Billy Creek Campground Rehabilitation Project EA *UPDATED*	- Recreation management	Completed	Actual: 10/30/2015	11/2015	Judith Tapia 559-297-0706 jetapia@fs.fed.us
	Description: The project would rehabilitate and replace existing campsites, ancillary amenities, and associated roads and parking spurs at the Upper Billy Creek Campground.				
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/nepa/nepa_project_exp.php?project=44075				
Location: UNIT - High Sierra Ranger District. STATE - California. COUNTY - Fresno. LEGAL - Township 9 South, Range 25 East, Section 15. The Upper Billy Creek Campground is located on the northwestern shore of Huntington Lake.					

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