



Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA)

10/01/2004 to 12/31/2004

Lolo National Forest

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Project Name	Project Purpose	Planning Status	Decision	Expected Implementation	Project Contact
Projects Occurring on more than one Region					
Northern Rockies Lynx Amendment EIS	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Land management planning	In Progress: DEIS notice in FR 01/16/2004	Exptd:04/2005	05/2005	Joan Dickerson (406)329-3314 jdickerson@fs.fed.us
Description: Management Guidelines for Management of Canadian Lynx on certain lands under the authority fo the Forest Service and Bureau of Land Management. WEB LINK - http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/planning/lynx.html					
Location: UNIT - Idaho Panhandle National Forest Units, Wallace Ranger District, Fernan Ranger District, St. Maries Ranger District, Sandpoint Ranger District, Clearwater National Forest Units, Palouse Ranger District, North Fork Ranger District, Lochsa Ranger District, Beaverhead-Deerlodge National Forest Units, Wise River Ranger District, Butte Ranger District, Madison Ranger District, Jefferson Ranger District, Bitterroot National Forest Units, Darby Ranger District, Sula Ranger District, Beartooth Ranger District, Sioux Ranger District, Ashland Ranger District, Swan Lake Ranger District, Hungry Horse Ranger District, Glacier View Ranger District, Tally Lake Ranger District, Big Timber Ranger District, Livingston Ranger District, Bozeman Ranger District, Hebgen Lake Ranger District, Townsend Ranger District, Helena Ranger District, Lincoln Ranger District, Kootenai National Forest Units, Libby Ranger District, Cabinet Ranger District, Lewis And Clark National Forest Units, Rocky Mountain Ranger District, White Sulpher Springs Ranger District, Missoula Ranger District, Plains/Thompson Falls Ranger District, Seeley Lake Ranger District, Superior Ranger District, Salmon River Ranger District, Red River Ranger District, Moose Creek Ranger District, Bighorn National Forest Units, Powder River Ranger District, Medicine Wheel Ranger District, Tongue Ranger District, Clarks Fork Ranger District, Greybull Ranger District, Washakie Ranger District, Ashley National Forest Units, Vernal Ranger District, Roosevelt Ranger District, Duchesne Ranger District, Bridger-Teton National Forest Units, Kemmerer Ranger District, Greys River Ranger District, Jackson Ranger District, Salmon-Challis National Forest Units, Salmon-Cobalt Ranger District, Challis Ranger District, Middle Fork Ranger District, North Fork Ranger District, Palisades Ranger District, Teton Basin Ranger District, Belt Creek Ranger District, Pintler Ranger District, Custer National Forest Units, Musselshell Ranger District, Lost River Ranger District, Avery Ranger District, Bonners Ferry Ranger District, Powell Ranger District , Wisdom Ranger District, Stevensville Ranger District, Flathead National Forest Units, Gallatin National Forest Units, Helena National Forest Units, Fortine Ranger District, Judith Ranger District, Ninemile Ranger District, Clearwater Ranger District, Paintrock Ranger District, Wapiti Ranger District, Flaming Gorge Ranger District, Big Piney Ranger District, Yankee Fork Ranger District, Lewis And Clark Interpretive Center, Buffalo Ranger District, Priest Lake Ranger District, Dillon Ranger District, West Fork Ranger District, Spotted Bear Ranger District, Gardiner Ranger District, Rexford Ranger District, Lolo National Forest Units, Nez Perce National Forest Units, Shoshone National Forest Units, Pinedale Ranger District, Leadore Ranger District, Caribou-Targhee National Forest Units, Three Rivers Ranger District, Wind River Ranger District, Dubois Ranger District, Ashton/Island Park. STATE - Wyoming, Utah, Montana, Idaho. COUNTY - Idaho. LEGAL - Various. Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, Utah.					

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Alberton Gorge land exchange EA	- Land acquisition	In Progress: 215 Comment period legal notice 05/23/2004	Exptd:10/2004 Actual: 05/22/2004	01/2005	Janet Krivacek 406-329-3749 jkrivacek@fs.fed.us
	Description: 3-way exchange among NFS, Montana Dept Fish, Wildlife & Parks; & the Northwestern Corporation (formerly Montana Power) -- to get 7 miles of Clark Fork river corridor into public ownership for recreation, which would be managed by the state of Montana. WEB LINK - http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/lolo/projects/				
	Location: UNIT - Big Timber Ranger District, Helena Ranger District, Fortine Ranger District, Ninemile Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Jefferson, Lincoln, Mineral, Sweet Grass. LEGAL - NFS lose 34 ac in S34 + 538 ac in S35, T15N, R25W; NFS gain 142 ac in S5, T6N & S31&32, T7N, R2W; 95 ac in S13, 22-24, T8N, R5W; 90 ac in S7, T35N, R26W; 40 ac in S26, T3S, R12E; PMM, Montana. NFS lose 34 + 538 ac near Tarkio on Lolo NF; NFS gain 142 ac near Tyser Lake & 95 ac Park Lake placer claims on Helena NF; 90 ac near Frank Lake on Kootenai NF; 40 ac Natural Bridge on Gallatin NF.				
Avista Powerline Right-of-way Maintenance DM	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping start 08/09/2004	Exptd:10/2004	10/2004	Risa Devore (208) 265-6623 rdevore@fs.fed.us
	Description: Special use permit renewal for maintenance of existing powerline corridor on portions of the Sandpoint Ranger District, Coeur d'Alene River Ranger District of the Idaho Panhandle NF and portions of the Kootenai and Lolo NF				
	Location: UNIT - Fernan Ranger District, Sandpoint Ranger District, Cabinet Ranger District, Superior Ranger District. STATE - Montana, Idaho. COUNTY - Bonner, Boundary, Sanders. Portions of the Sandpoint and Couer d'Alene River R.D. on the IPNF and portions of the Kootenai and Lolo NF.				
Bob Marshall Wilderness Complex Outfitter Service-Day Allocation EIS	- Recreation management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start : 03/2004	Exptd:01/2006	12/2006	Michael Munoz 406-466-5341 mamunoz@fs.fed.us
	Description: Outfitter-guide service-day allocation is being reviewed for the entire BMWC as part of Forest Plan revision on the Flathead and Lolo National Forests. Decision will result in amendments to Lewis & Clark and Helena National Forest Plans.				
	Location: UNIT - Swan Lake Ranger District, Hungry Horse Ranger District, Lincoln Ranger District, Rocky Mountain Ranger District, Seeley Lake Ranger District, Spotted Bear Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Flathead, Lewis and Clark, Missoula, Pondera, Powell. LEGAL - see location description. Bob Marshall Wilderness Complex (Great Bear, Bob Marshall, and Scapegoat Wildernesses).				

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Bob Marshall Wilderness Complex Outfitter-Guide Permit Reissuance DM	- Recreation management	In Progress: Scoping start 04/01/2004	Exptd:01/2005	04/2005	Kraig Lang 406-466-5341 klang@fs.fed.us
	Description: The BMWC managers group proposes to reissue the 5-year special use permits currently authorized within the BMWC on the Lewis & Clark, Flathead, Helena, and Lolo National Forests.				
	Location: UNIT - Swan Lake Ranger District, Hungry Horse Ranger District, Lincoln Ranger District, Rocky Mountain Ranger District, Seeley Lake Ranger District, Spotted Bear Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Flathead, Lewis and Clark, Missoula, Pondera, Powell. LEGAL - See location description. Entire Bob Marshall Wilderness Complex (Great Bear, Bob Marshall & Scapegoat Wildernesses).				
DNRC land exchange EA	- Land ownership management	In Progress: Scoping start 04/28/2004	Exptd:10/2005	01/2006	Janet Krivacek 406-329-3749 jkrivacek@fs.fed.us
	Description: Lolo NF - Montana State DNRC land exchange State wants to trade isolated, scattered school trust lands surrounded by NFS lands; FS would consolidate ownership, acquire access, roadless & recreation lands & big game winter range.. WEB LINK - http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/lolo/				
	Location: UNIT - Libby Ranger District, Lolo National Forest Units. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Granite, Lincoln, Mineral, Missoula, Powell, Sanders. LEGAL - Too large an area for legal to be meaningful; 11,740 acres of FS lands in 42 parcels, mostly in Mineral county to exchange for 12,890 acres in 38 parcels MT lands, mostly in Mineral & Missoula counties. Western Montana -- all districts on Lolo NF, but mostly Superior RD, and one small parcel on Libby RD of Kootenai NF.				
Forest Plan Revision, Lolo, Bitterroot and Flathead National Forests EIS	- Land management planning	In Progress: NOI in FR 05/10/2002	Exptd:02/2006	02/2006	Lee Kramer (406) 329-3848 lkramer@fs.fed.us
	Description: Forest Plan Revision. WEB LINK - http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/wmpz/				
	Location: UNIT - Bitterroot National Forest Units, Flathead National Forest Units, Lolo National Forest Units. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Flathead, Granite, Lake, Mineral, Missoula, Ravalli, Sanders. Western Montana .				

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Greenough II land exchange EA	- Land acquisition	In Progress: Scoping start 05/09/2001	Exptd:10/2004	12/2004	Janet Krivacek 406-329-3749 jkrivacek@fs.fed.us
	Description: Exchange ~20 acres of NFS land for ~10 acres of private land to consolidate NFS ownership. WEB LINK - http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/lolo/projects/				
	Location: UNIT - Missoula Ranger District, Superior Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Mineral, Missoula. LEGAL - NFS land in T12N, R17W, Section 27; exchange for private land in T17N, R26W, Section 6; PMM, Montana. NFS land in Greenough Creek, east of Missoula, MT; exchange for private land in Keystone Creek, NW of Superior, MT.				

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Lolo National Forest Units		Lolo National Forest		R1 - Northern Region	
Lolo forest-wide weed EIS EIS	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start : 07/2004	Exptd:09/2005	05/2006	Janet Krivacek 406-329-3736 cgoffe@fs.fed.us
	Description: Manage invasive plants on entire forest, using integrated weed management approach, including aerial application of herbicides. Analyze representative site types, develop priority screening criteria & standardize resource protection methods.. WEB LINK - http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/lolo/projects/				
	Location: UNIT - Lolo National Forest Units. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Flathead, Granite, Mineral, Missoula, Powell, Ravalli, Sanders. southwestern Montana, entire 2.1 million-acre Lolo National Forest.				

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Missoula Ranger District		Lolo National Forest		R1 - Northern Region	
Black Mountain fire salvage DM	- Forest products	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Bruce Higgins (406)329-3995 bdhiggins@fs.fed.us
	Description: salvage log dead & dying trees. WEB LINK - http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/lolo/projects/				
	Location: UNIT - Missoula Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Missoula. LEGAL - Section 31, T13N, R20W, PMM, Montana. 3 miles west of Missoula, MT in O'Brien Creek drainage.				
Blue Point PCTC access easement EA	- Land ownership management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Bruce Higgins (406)329-3995 bdhiggins@fs.fed.us
	Description: Road easement requested by PCTC in 1997 to access their holdings in Section 35, T14N, R18W in area of checkerboard ownership. About 1 mile new road would be built on NF lands in Section 2, T13N, R18W, on fairly 45-70% slopes & would be closed.. WEB LINK - http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/lolo/projects/				
	Location: UNIT - Missoula Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Missoula. LEGAL - Section 35, T14N, R18W, PMM, Montana. 7 miles WNW Missoula, Montana in Blue Point area, 2 miles north of Blackfoot River.				
Cox/Pattee Canyon winter range weed management EIS	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Vegetation management (other than forest products)	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start : 07/2004	Exptd:07/2005	09/2005	Andy Kulla 406-329-3962 akulla@fs.fed.us
	Description: Control weeds on 1,100 acres in the Cox land acquired during summer 2003 + the upper Pattee Canyon big game winter range. WEB LINK - http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/lolo/projects/				
	Location: UNIT - Missoula Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Missoula. LEGAL - T12 & 13N, R18 & 19 W, PMM, Montana. Pattee Canyon area adjacent to & east of Missoula, Montana.				
Mineral Fire salvage DM	- Forest products	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Bruce Higgins (406)329-3995 bdhiggins@fs.fed.us
	Description: Salvage log burned trees remaining after fires of 2003 in 4 units totalling about 200 acres, along existing roads using tractor skidding on gentle slopes, in lands classified as MA 16 (suitable for sustained timber production). WEB LINK - http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/lolo/projects/				
	Location: UNIT - Missoula Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Missoula. LEGAL - Sections 24, 25 & 30, T15N, R18W, PMM, Montana. NE of Missoula, Montana, in upper Gold Creek area, along W Fork Gold road #4323, close to Rattlesnake Wilderness boundary..				

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Sally Ridge fuels reduction DM	- Forest products	Cancelled	N/A	N/A	Bruce Higgins (406)329-3995 bdhiggins@fs.fed.us
	Description: Salvage log 53 acres of dead & dying LP damaged or killed during fires of 2003. Project area in lands classified as MA 16, lands suitable for continuous timber production. Construct 1/2 mile of temporary road. Retain all live & dead GT 14" dbh.. WEB LINK - http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/lolo/projects/				
	Location: UNIT - Missoula Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Missoula. LEGAL - Section 2, T11N, R23W, PMM, Montana. 17 miles WSW of Missoula, MT, south of Lolo Creek.				
Sawmill Gulch fuels reduction DM	- Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping start 04/16/2004	Exptd:11/2004	12/2004	Bruce Higgins (406)329-3995 bdhiggins@fs.fed.us
	Description: Fuels reduction demonstration of partnership -- where Bitterroot-Mission Group of Sierra Club + Society of American Forester + FS -- conservationists, commercial foresters and public land managers all agree work needs to be done.. WEB LINK - http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/lolo/projects/				
	Location: UNIT - Missoula Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Missoula. LEGAL - Sections 27, 34 & 35 of T14N, R19W, PMM, Montana. just north of Missoula, MT, in Sawmill Gulch, a community interface zone.				
Upper Lolo watershed analysis EA	- Watershed management - Road management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Bruce Higgins (406)329-3995 bdhiggins@fs.fed.us
	Description: Recontour & decommission existing roads to improve watershed conditions. WEB LINK - http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/lolo/projects/				
	Location: UNIT - Missoula Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Missoula. LEGAL - selected NFS lands in T10&11N, R22, 23 & 24W, PMM, Montana. 20 miles WSW of Missoula, Montana, close to State Highway 12 & in area of checkboard land ownership -- western boundary of project area is Idaho state line.				

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Ninemile Ranger District		Lolo National Forest		R1 - Northern Region	
Frenchtown Face Vegetation Management EIS	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Watershed management - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Road management - Recreation management - Fuels management - Forest products	In Progress: 215 Comment period legal notice 07/26/2004 Estimated availability of FEIS 12/2004	Exptd:12/2004	06/2005	Brian Riggers (406)329-3793 briggers@fs.fed.us
	Description: Fuels management, Timber Harvest, Weed Management, Road Management, Recreation Management				
	Location: UNIT - Ninemile Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Missoula. Western Montana.				
Johns/Garden Creek Maintenance Prescribed Fire DM	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping start 10/01/2003	Exptd:11/2004	05/2005	Laura Ward (406) 626-5422 ldward@fs.fed.us
	Description: Ecosystem maintenance burning on approximately 400 acres in two areas within Garden Creek and Johns Creek that were previously treated with prescribed fire in 1985 and 1993.				
	Location: UNIT - Ninemile Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Missoula. Lower portion of Johns Creek & Garden Creek drainages..				
Nemote Maintenance Prescribed Fire DM	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping start 10/01/2003	Exptd:11/2004	05/2005	Laura Ward (406) 626-5422 ldward@fs.fed.us
	Description: Ecosystem maintenance burning on approximately 1,500 acres in three areas within Sheridan, Bear, and Nemote drainages that were previously treated with prescribed fire in 1994/1995.				
	Location: UNIT - Ninemile Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Mineral. Sheridan, Bear, and Nemote Creeks.				

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Petty Creek Fuels Mitigation DM	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Fuels management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start : 10/2004	Exptd:06/2005	07/2005	Dave Ramirez 406-626-5419 dramirez@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reduce hazardous fuels on approx 1000 acres in the wildland urban interface utilizing slashing of understory ladder fuels, handpiling, and/or understory prescribed fire. Treatments are non-commercial and are in close proximity to private residences.				
	Location: UNIT - Ninemile Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Missoula. LEGAL - T14N, R22W, S30; T14N, R23W, S28; T13N, R23W, S13,14,24,25; T13N, R22W, S18,19,30.. Parcels in Mikes, Printers, Johns, and W Fk Petty Creeks, Petty Mtn trailhead #733T..				
West Fork Petty and Eds Creek Fire Salvage DM	- Fuels management - Forest products	In Progress: Scoping start 02/12/2004	Exptd:10/2004	10/2004	Steve Slaughter (406)626-5416 sslaughter@fs.fed.us
	Description: Salvage harvests of fire killed and bark beetle killed timber from areas adjacent to open system roads using tractor or skyline yarding systems				
	Location: UNIT - Ninemile Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Missoula. LEGAL - Sec's 5-8,17,18, T13N, R23W; Sec's 1,12,13, T13N, R24W; Sec's 31&32, T14N, R23W; & Sec's 25,26,35,&36, T14N, R24W; PMM. Thompson Creek Fire, Fish Creek Complex of wildfires in 2003..				
White Mountain Outfitters Camp Construction DM	- Recreation management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start : 07/2004	Exptd:06/2005	06/2005	Ryan Domsalla 406-626-5404 rdomsalla@fs.fed.us
	Description: Replace current "end of road" camp at Cache Cr Trailhead at new location 0.5 mile away in visually screened site off main access road. Work involves 300 feet road construction on old skid trail, clearing 30x30 ft trailer pad, and temporary corral.				
	Location: UNIT - Ninemile Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Mineral. LEGAL - NW1/4 Section 8, T12N, R24W, PMM. Gentle bench off Montana Cr Road #4218 approx 1/2 mile before jct with #17442..				

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Plains/Thompson Falls Ranger District		Lolo National Forest		R1 - Northern Region	
Blue Slide Range Allotment EA	- Grazing management	In Progress: Scoping start 04/15/2000 Estimated 215 comment 10/2004	Exptd:11/2004	02/2005	Larry Svalberg 406-826-4310 lsvalberg@fs.fed.us
	Description: Approval of the Term Grazing Permit for the Blue Slide Allotment.				
	Location: UNIT - Plains/Thompson Falls Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Sanders. LEGAL - T 23 N, R 30 W, Section 22. North of the Blue Slide road, 10 miles northwest of Thompson Falls.				
District Wide Pre-commercial Thinning DM	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	In Progress: Scoping start 04/26/2004	Exptd:10/2004	05/2005	Valerie Walker 406-826-4343 vwalker@fs.fed.us
	Description: Precommercial thinning of stands within the suitable timber base.				
	Location: UNIT - Plains/Thompson Falls Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Sanders. LEGAL - District Wide. Plains/Thompson Falls Ranger District.				
Eddy Creek Hazardous Fuels Reduction DM	- Fuels management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Larry Svalberg 406-826-4310 lsvalberg@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reduce hazardous fuels within the wildland urban interface adjacent to the homes at the mouth of Eddy Creek.				
	Location: UNIT - Plains/Thompson Falls Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Sanders. LEGAL - T 21 N, R 27 W, Section 31. Mouth of Eddy Creek approximately 9 miles west of Plains, MT.				
Fishtrap EIS EIS	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Watershed management - Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Road management - Fuels management - Forest products	In Progress: DEIS notice in FR 09/17/2004 Estimated availability of FEIS 11/2004	Exptd:12/2004	09/2005	Patricia Partyka (406)826-4314 ppartyka@fs.fed.us
	Description: Timber Harvest, Precommercial Thinning, Road Reconstruction, Allotment Abandonment, Ecosystem Management Burning, Road Decommissioning				
	Location: UNIT - Plains/Thompson Falls Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Sanders. LEGAL - T 24 N, R 28 W. Upper Fishtrap Drainage.				

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Swamp Creek Hazardous Fuels Reduction DM	- Fuels management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start : 10/2004	Exptd:02/2005	07/2004	Larry Svalberg 406-826-4310 lsvalberg@fs.fed.us
	Description: Treatment of hazardous fuels to reduce fire intensity. Treatment will be primarily mechanical fuel removal and broadcast burning.				
	Location: UNIT - Plains/Thompson Falls Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Sanders. LEGAL - T 20 N, R 27 W. Adjacent to Swamp Creek drainage approximately 6 miles west of Plains, MT.				
Thompson Falls Administrative Site Hazardous Fuels Reduction DM	- Fuels management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Larry Svalberg 406-826-4310 lsvalberg@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reduce hazardous fuels and improve forest health in the Thompson Falls Admin. Site immediately adjacent to homes and the community of Thompson Falls.				
	Location: UNIT - Plains/Thompson Falls Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Sanders. LEGAL - T 21 N, R 29 W, Section 5. Immediately north of Thompson Falls, MT on the Thompson Falls Forest Service administrative site..				

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Seeley Lake Ranger District		Lolo National Forest		R1 - Northern Region	
Boles Meadow fire salvage DM	- Forest products	In Progress: Scoping start 11/21/2003	Exptd:10/2004	11/2004	Bruce Higgins (406)329-3995 bdhiggins@fs.fed.us
	Description: 240 acres of salvage logging of trees killed during fires of 2003, using tractor logging. No roads will be built. Most acres is classified MA 16 (suitable for sustained timber production); some MA 26 (elk summer range). WEB LINK - http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/lolo/projects/				
	Location: UNIT - Seeley Lake Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Missoula. LEGAL - Sections 30 & 32, T16N; and in Section 8, T15N; both R17W, PMM, Montana. 15 miles NW of Missoula, MT & 8 miles ESE Seeley Lake, MT in Boles Creek drainage, mostly along FS road 4341.				
Monture fuels reduction DM	- Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping start 09/29/2003	Exptd:11/2004	12/2004	Bruce Higgins (406)329-3995 bdhiggins@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reduce the density of LP & DF on about 400 acres, to reduce the potential that ground fire would reach into the canopy. Winter harvest is planned. Use existing roads for access; no new roads would be built.. WEB LINK - http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/lolo/projects/				
	Location: UNIT - Seeley Lake Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Powell. LEGAL - Sections 29 & 30, T16N, R12W, PMM, Montana. 40 miles ENE of Missoula, MT;15 miles ESE of Seeley Lake, MT; 6 miles N of Ovando, MT; 6 miles SW of Scapegoat Wilderness Area boundary.				
Seeley Lake Fuels EA	- Fuels management	In Progress: 215 Comment period legal notice 03/15/2004	Exptd:12/2003 Actual: 03/09/2004	06/2004	Bruce Higgins (406)329-3995 bdhiggins@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reduce fire hazard from fuels on National Forest land in the highway corridor and around recreational sites and private lands. WEB LINK - http://www.fs.fed.us/r1/lolo/projects/seeley-fuels/index.htm				
	Location: UNIT - Seeley Lake Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Missoula. LEGAL - selected NF lands in T17N & T18N, R15W & R16W, PMM, Missoula County, Montana. Western Montana -- 1,663 acres of NF lands along the corridor of Montana Highway 83, south from NF boundary in town of Seeley Lake to about one mile north of Rainy Lake.				

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Superior Ranger District		Lolo National Forest		R1 - Northern Region	
Big Creek Watershed Restoration EA	- Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants - Watershed management - Road management	Completed	Exptd:07/2004	09/2004	Larry Svalberg 406-826-4310 lsvalberg@fs.fed.us
	Description: West Fork of Big Creek				
	Location: UNIT - Superior Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Mineral. LEGAL - T 19 N, R 30 & 31 W. West Fork of Big Creek Drainage, approximately three miles SW of Haugan, MT.				
Borax Salvage DM	- Forest products	In Progress: Scoping start 08/13/2004	Exptd:05/2005	06/2005	Larry Svalberg 406-822-3971 ekstamm@fs.fed.us
	Description: Propose to salvage, sanitation, and commercially thin stands of lodgepole pine. Objective is to salvage dead, sanitize infested, and thin live to further reduce the potential for future losses from mountain pine beetle attacks.				
	Location: UNIT - Superior Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Mineral. LEGAL - T 20 N, R 32 W, Sections 33 & 34.. Approx. 1/2 mile east of Lookout Pass Ski Area, Exit 0.				
Mayo Gulch Fuels Reduction DM	- Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping start 04/22/2004 Estimated Scoping start 05/2004	Exptd:10/2004	03/2005	Larry Svalberg 406-826-4310 lsvalberg@fs.fed.us
	Description: Reduce hazardous fuels within the WUI adjacent to St. Regis, MT				
	Location: UNIT - Superior Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Mineral. LEGAL - T 18 N, R 28 W, sections 13 & 14. Approx. 1 1/2 miles north of St. Regis, Montana.				
Second Creek Hazardous Fuels Reduction DM	- Fuels management	In Progress: Scoping start 09/24/2004	Exptd:12/2004	03/2005	Larry Svalberg 406-826-4310 lsvalberg@fs.fed.us
	Description: Treatment is proposed immediately adjacent to DNRC and private lands. The surrounding community contains dozens of homes, and is considered to be within the wildland urban interface				
	Location: UNIT - Superior Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Mineral. LEGAL - T16N, R25W, Sections 21 and 22. = mile north of Lozeau, Montana .				

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Up Up Salvage DM	- Forest products	In Progress: Scoping start 08/13/2004	Exptd:05/2005	06/2005	Larry Svalberg 406-822-3971 ekstamm@fs.fed.us
	Description: Propose to salvage and sanitation cut stands of lodgepole pine. Objective is to salvage dead, sanitize infested, and thin where enough live remains to further reduce the future potential of losses from mountain pine beetle attacks.				
	Location: UNIT - Superior Ranger District. STATE - Montana. COUNTY - Mineral. LEGAL - T 18 N, R 29 & 30 W, sections 5, 6, 7, 12, & 13. The area surrounding Up Up Lookout.				

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