

NEPA Quarterly Schedule of Proposed Actions April - June, 2008

PURPOSE OF THE NEPA QUARTERLY

This schedule lists actions being proposed on the Forest that are governed by the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA). The purpose of this schedule is to provide early and informal notice of proposed projects so that you can become aware of Forest Service activities, indicate your interest in specific projects, and become involved early in the environmental analysis and documentation process.

FORMAT

Proposed actions (projects) are sorted by the Ranger District where the action would occur. In some cases, Forest-wide projects are listed separately. Information indicating the status of public involvement and analysis for each proposal is provided. With this information, you'll have an idea of upcoming projects, and you may wish to get involved by commenting on them. We're still analyzing some projects listed in the last Quarterly schedule, so they appear once again in this update. In future months, we'll add new projects as they are proposed, and remove projects that have the NEPA process completed.

The information given for each project is brief, but specific. A table provides the project name, short description, location, time frames for public involvement, a date when we expect to make a final decision on the projects, a contact person, and the status of the analysis. From time to time other information associated with environmental analysis or planning may also be included in the NEPA Quarterly.

HOW YOU CAN BECOME INVOLVED

Read through the list of proposed projects. If you want to comment on a project or be placed on the project mailing list, call the contact person or write to the appropriate office (see list of offices on the next page). You may comment right then, or ask to be put on a mailing list for that specific project to receive more information and an opportunity to comment at a later time. We ask you be project-specific about your interest. You will only be added to a project involvement list if you notify us of your specific interest in a project.

ROLE OF THE NEPA QUARTERLY

The NEPA Quarterly adds to the public involvement activities we have always done; it doesn't replace them. We will continue to contact those people known to be affected by and/or interested in our proposals. Those that have expressed interest about certain projects will still be contacted.

Thank you for reviewing this list of recent decisions and proposed projects. We appreciate your interest in the management of the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest.

PRIVACY OF YOUR COMMENTS

Comments received in response to solicitation as part of the NEPA process, including names and addresses of those who comment, will be considered part of the public record on a proposed action, and will be available for public inspection. Comments submitted anonymously will be accepted and considered; however, those who submit anonymous comments will not have standing to appeal the subsequent decision under 36 CFR Parts 215 or 217. Additionally, pursuant to 7 CFR 1.27(d), any person may request the agency to withhold a submission from the public record by showing how the Freedom of Information Act permits such confidentiality.

ANTICIPATED "WALK-IN" BUSINESS

Requests from the public occasionally necessitate that analysis be completed with a short turn-around. This may mean that some decisions are made without prior announcement in this update. Examples of walk-in requests include special use roads and utility rights-of-way. Scoping efforts for these requests will be conducted as applicable.

ADDITIONAL REQUESTS

For additional requests, please contact one of the offices listed on the next page. Please let us know if the address we have for you is incorrect.

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WHERE TO CALL, WRITE OR VISIT OUR OFFICES:

Forest Supervisor's Office	Forest Supervisor's Office
1170 4 th Avenue South, Park Falls, Wisconsin 54552	68 South Stevens Street, Rhinelander, Wisconsin 54501
Phone: (715) 762-2461	Phone: (715) 362-13003
Eagle River-Florence Ranger District	Eagle River-Florence Ranger District
P.O. Box 1809, Eagle River, Wisconsin 54521	HC 1, P.O. Box 83, Florence, Wisconsin 54121
Phone: (715) 479-2827	Phone: (715) 528-4464
Great Divide Ranger District	Great Divide Ranger District
P.O. Box 126, Highway 13, Glidden, Wisconsin 54527	P.O. Box 896, 10650 Nyman Ave, Hayward, WI 54843
Phone: (715) 264-2511	Phone: (715) 634-4821
Lakewood-Laona Ranger District	Lakewood-Laona Ranger District
15085 State Road, Hwy 32, Lakewood, Wisconsin 54138	RR 1 Box 11B, Laona, Wisconsin 54541
Phone: (715) 276-6333	Phone: (715) 674-4481
Medford-Park Falls Ranger District	Medford-Park Falls Ranger District
1170 4 th Avenue South, Park Falls, Wisconsin 54552	850 North 8 th , Hwy 13, Medford, Wisconsin 54451
Phone: (715) 762-2461	Phone: (715) 748-4875
Washburn Ranger District	Oconto River Seed Orchard
P.O. box 578, 113 E Bayfield Street, Washburn, WI 54891	18100 Saul's Spring Road, White Lake, Wisconsin 54491
Phone: (715) 373-2667	Phone: (715) 276-7400

DEFINITION OF TERMS

Appeal Period - The 45-day period after publication of a decision during which an administrative appeal can be filed.

Categorical Exclusion (CE) - A category of actions that do not individually or cumulatively have a significant effect on the human environment. Neither an environmental assessment nor an environmental impact statement is required.

Comment Period - The 30-day (EA) or 45-day (EIS) period for interested persons to provide comments to a Responsible Official on a proposed action. Comment during this period is required for "standing" to appeal a decision on the action.

Contact Person – For each project listed a *Project Contact* person is provided with contact information. To express interest in a project, you should call, write or email that person.

Decision Memo (DM) - A concise written record of the responsible official's decision to implement an action that has been categorically excluded from documentation in an EA or EIS.

Decision Notice (DN) - A concise written record of the responsible official's decision based on an environmental assessment (EA) and finding of no significant impact (FONSI).

Environmental Assessment (EA) - A document prepared to determine if a proposed action, or its alternatives, may have significant environmental effects. If potentially significant effects may occur, an EIS is prepared. If not, a FONSI and Decision Notice are issued.

Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) - This document is required for proposed actions that may have significant effects on the human environment. An EIS discloses significant issues and effects from the action, and alternatives, for public review.

Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) - A document presenting the reasons why an action, not otherwise excluded, will have no significant effect on the human environment, and for which an EIS will not be prepared.

NEPA – Acronym for the *National Environmental Policy Act of 1969.* This is the procedural guide for the decision-making and public disclosure process for site-specific project proposals and decisions.

Proposed Action - A proposal made by the Forest Service to authorize, recommend, or implement an action on National Forest System lands to meet a specific purpose and need which is subject to public notice comment provisions under NEPA.

Record of Decision (ROD) - A concise written record of the responsible official's decision based upon an environmental impact statement (EIS).

Scoping – A process required by NEPA to solicit important issues related to a proposed action from within the agency, from other agencies, and from the public. Issues identified during scoping often lead to development of alternatives to a proposed action.

Significance - As used in the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA), *significance* pertains to the intensity and context of effects from our action on the human environment.



Schedule of Proposed Action (SOPA) 04/01/2008 to 06/30/2008

Chequamegon / Nicolet National Forest

This report contains the best available information at the time of publication. Questions may be directed to the Project Contact.

Project Name	Project Purpose	Planning Status	Decision	Expected Implementation	Project Contact

Projects Occurring Nationwide						
Aerial Application of Fire Retardant	- Fuels man	agement	Completed	Actual: 02/18/2008 10/11/2007	10/2007	Christopher Wehrli 202-205-1332 fire retardant@fs.fed.us
	Description: Web Link: Location:	System lands. An e proposed action. http://www.fs.fed.us	proposes to continue the aerial appenvironmental analysis will be condes/fire/retardant/index.html -level Units. STATE - All States.	lucted to prepare an E	nvironmental Asso	
National Forest System Land Management Planning - Proposed Rule	- Regulation Orders	s, Directives,	In Progress: FEIS NOA in Federal Register 02/15/2008	Expected:03/2008	03/2008	Gina Owens 202-205-1187 gowens@fs.fed.us
EIS	Description:	rule issued on Janu management plans	tes to publish a rule at 36 CFR part lary 5, 2005 (2005 rule). The 2005 is seem of the control o	rule guides developme		
	Location:	1: UNIT - All Districts-level Units. STATE - All States. COUNTY - All Counties. LEGAL - All units of the National Forest System. Agency-wide.				

R9 - Eastern Region, Occurring in more than one Forest (excluding Regionwide)								
ATC Transmission Line Upgrade EA	- Special use management	In Progress: 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 02/25/2008	Expected:04/2008	06/2008	Joan Stanfield-Smith 715-362-1300 jstanfieldsmith@fs.fed.u s			
	Description: Upgrade approximately 10 miles of existing 69KV line to 138 KV on the Chequamegon-Nicolet National Forest and 2 miles of line on the Ottawa National Forest.							
	COUNTY - Dickins T41N, R13E, S 13,	Ranger District, Eagle River-Florend son, Iron, Forest, Vilas. LEGAL - W 15-18,20,21. Michigan: T41N R36 o the WI-MI border, 0.5 mile NW of	/isconsin: T41N, R11E W Sec. 12-14 & 16. St	, S 13-16; T41N, I	R12E, S 13,14;			

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Chequamegon / Nicolet National Forest, Forestwide (excluding Projects occurring in more than one Forest) R9 - Eastern Region								
Travel Management Plan EA	- Road management - Recreation management	In Progress: Scoping Start 12/05/2007 Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 04/2008	Expected:07/2008	01/2009	Joan Marburger 715-762-5178 jmarburger@fs.fed.us			
	to motor vehicle use Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us Location: UNIT - Chequamee	he 2005 Travel Management Rule, e and the time of year when open. s/r9/cnnf/rec/tmr/index.html gon / Nicolet National Forest All Un anglade, Oconto, Oneida, Price, Sa	its. STATE - Wiscon	sin. COUNTY - A	Ashland, Bayfield,			

Chequamegon / Nicolet Nation	R9 - Eastern Region				
West Zone Dry Hydrants CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use manage	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2008	Expected:04/2008	05/2008	Paul Ostrum 715-634-4821 postrum@fs.fed.us
		on of three dry hydrants for use by fire er e buried with one end underwater in the p e.			
	LEGAL - of Drumi	Washburn Ranger District, Great Divide F T45N R7W Section 21 NW SE; T44N R mond along Cisco Lake shoreline; 2 1/2 r Atkins Lake.	7W Section 11 SW SW; T4	4N R5W Section	n 17. 2 1/2 miles north

	Eagle River-Florence Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than	R9 - Eastern Region
one District)		

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Chequamegon / Nicolet Nationa one District)	l Forest Eag	le River-Florence	Ranger District (excluding Projec	cts occurring in mor	e than	R9 - Eastern Region	
Brule River Large Woody Debris Enhancement CE	- Wildlife, Fish - Watershed r		In Progress: 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 03/14/2008	Expected:07/2008	06/2009	Sue Reinecke 715-762-5185 sreinecke@fs.fed.us	
NEW LISTING	\		00 whole trees along a two-mile stres would come from Michigan Depa				
	;		-Florence Ranger District. STATE 23, 27, 28, 29. Brule River corridornger District.				
Eagle River Lake Habitat Restoration Projects CE	- Wildlife, Fish	n, Rare plants	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/28/2007	Expected:05/2008	11/2008	Mike Peczynski 715-479-2827 mpeczynski@fs.fed.us	
	Description: Installation of tree drops/placements, half-logs, and fish cribs in seven lakes on the District. Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/cnnf/natres/index.html						
			-Florence Ranger District. STATE nut, Franklin, Imogene, Sevenmile,			da. Seven District	
Fishel Vegetation and Transportation Management Project EIS	- Road manag - Vegetation r (other than for - Forest produ	nanagement est products)	Completed	Actual: 02/22/2008	08/2008	Lois Pfeffer 307-754-8197 lpfeffer@fs.fed.us	
	Description: This project proposes to manipulate northern hardwood forest vegetation composition and structure, and road access to manage the Fishel area closer to desired forest conditions as defined in the 2004 Chequamegon-Nicolet LRMP.						
	Web Link:	nttp://www.fs.fed.us	/r9/cnnf/natres/eis/erfl/fishel/index.	html			
	Location: UNIT - Eagle River-Florence Ranger District. STATE - Wisconsin. COUNTY - Forest, Vilas. LEGAL - T40N R11E Sec. 1, 12, 13, 14, 23, 24; T41N R11E Sec. 25, 36; T40N R12E Sec. 1-12, 17, 18; T41N R12E Sect. 1, 2, 11-17, 19-36; T42N R12E Sec. 36; T41N R13E Sec. 5-10, 15-21, 29-32; T42N R13E Sec. 31. Ten miles northeast of Eagle River.						

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Chequamegon / Nicolet Nationa one District)	l Forest Ea	gle River-Florence I	Ranger District (excluding Projec	cts occurring in mor	e than	R9 - Eastern Region	
Polecat Pine Plantation Thinning Project EA	- Vegetation		Completed	Actual: 01/10/2008	05/2008	Christine Brunner 715-479-2827 cbrunner@fs.fed.us	
	Description: Web Link:	of ladder fuels redu	5 acres of red pine thinning, 83 acretion, and 794 acres of slash or "bio/r9/cnnf/natres/eis/erfl/polecat_pine	omass" removal.	ife opening mainta	inenance, 96 acres	
	Location:		-Florence Ranger District. STATE gle River-Florence Ranger District, e District.				
Spur 51 Easement CE	- Special us	e management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Joan Stanfield-Smith 715-362-1300 jstanfieldsmith@fs.fed.u s	
	Description: 0.4 mile of easement for access to private land. Reconstruct 2,112 feet of road to allow access year-round. Road would be widened by approximately 3.5 feet on each side.						
	Location:						
Tucker Salvage and Miscellaneous Timber Stand Improvements Project	- Forest pro	ducts	Completed	Actual: 02/19/2008	02/2008	Mike Peczynski 715-479-2827 cbrunner@fs.fed.us	
CE	Description: Salvage of 204 acres of white spruce and 37 acres of jack pine; timber stand improvement in 26 acres to release red pine and red oak saplings. Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/cnnf/natres/						
	Location:		-Florence Ranger District. STATE N, R11-16E; T41N, R11-16E; T42				

Chequamegon / Nicolet National Forest Great Divide Ranger District (excluding Projects occurring in more than one District)

R9 - Eastern Region

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Chequamegon / Nicolet Nation District)	nal Forest Great Divide Ranger	District (excluding Projects occu	ırring in more than o	ne	R9 - Eastern Region		
Adeline Lake Blowdown Salvage CE	- Forest products	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Richard Strauss 715-264-2511 rstrauss@fs.fed.us		
CE	Description: Salvage harvest of	damaged, dead, or dying trees result	ting from a windstorm	that occurred in Se			
	Sections 5,7,8, ar	ide Ranger District. STATE - Wiscond 9. Scattered stands in the northwhiles east of Drummond, and north c	est corner of the Grea	t Divide Ranger Dis			
Cayuga EIS	Road managementWatershed managementForest products	In Progress: NOI in Federal Register 03/21/2006 Est. DEIS NOA in Federal Register 04/2008	Expected:04/2008	05/2008	Patty Beyer 906-249-4502 pbeyer@fs.fed.us		
	Description: DEIS is being prepared for the Cayuga Vegetation Management Action to remedy inadequacies in cumulative effects analysis of specific Regional Forester Sensitive Species						
	Location: UNIT - Great Divide Ranger District. STATE - Wisconsin. COUNTY - Ashland. LEGAL - T42N, R4W, Sec 4; T43N, R2W, Sec 6-8, 16-20, 29; T43N, R3W, Sec1-18,23; T43N, R4W, Sec 1-3, 10-24, 27-33; T44N, R3W, Sec 19-23, 26-35; T44N, R4W, Sec 23-27, 34-36. 10 miles NW of Glidden, Wisconsin.						
Day Road Snow Park CE *NEW LISTING*	- Recreation management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2008	Expected:06/2008	10/2008	Jim Hong 715-634-4821 jhong@fs.fed.us		
	Description: Improvement of existing day use area in an old gravel pit for year-round parking area for snowmobile and ATV users. Most use is expected in winter. Includes construction of 0.10 mile of snowmobile trail to tie into existing snowmobile trail nearby.						
	Location: UNIT - Great Divide Ranger District. STATE - Wisconsin. COUNTY - Ashland. LEGAL - T43N R4W Section 29. 1 mile north of Clam Lake, Wisconsin in an existing dispersed site (old gravel pit) off of FR1296, just east of County GG.						

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Chequamegon / Nicolet National District)	Forest Gre	eat Divide Ranger I	District (excluding Projects occur	rring in more than o	ne	R9 - Eastern Region
Dead Horse ATV & Snowmobile Trail Relocation & Gravel Source Development EA	- Wildlife, Fis		In Progress: Scoping Start 06/08/2007 Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 04/2008	Expected:06/2008	07/2008	Jim Hong 715-634-4821 jhong@fs.fed.us
	Description:		es of the Dead Horse ATV trail out oconstructing new trail and decomminuction.			
	Location:		e Ranger District. STATE - Wisco Six miles southeast of Clam Lake,		hland. LEGAL - va	arious sections in
Elk Forage Test Plots CE	- Research		Completed	Actual: 02/25/2008	05/2008	Tom Matthiae 715-634-4821 tmatthiae@fs.fed.us
NEW LISTING	Description: Establishment of test plots to study the effectiveness of using lime and fertilizer to improve forage conditions for elk. 3 plots totalling 9 acres would be located within the ELF corridor.					
	Location:		e Ranger District. STATE - Wisco R4W Section 5, T42N R4W Section			
Fishtrap Lake Area Snowmobile and ATV Trail Re-route	- Recreation	management	Completed	Actual: 10/12/2007	10/2007	Jim Hong 715-634-4821 jhong@fs.fed.us
OL .	Description: Re-route about 950 feet of Snowmobile Trail 5 and ATV trail 421 around private land and onto National Forest. Abandon and rehabilitate 450 feet of trail on National Forest.					
	Location: UNIT - Great Divide Ranger District. STATE - Wisconsin. COUNTY - Sawyer. LEGAL - T40N R4W Section 18 SW SW. Snowmobile Trail 5 and ATV Trail 421 near Fishtrap Lake; approximately 8 miles NW of Loretta, WI in Sawyer Co. and 1 mile NW of Blaisdell Lake.					
Great Divide Red Pine Thins EA *NEW LISTING*		management prest products) ducts	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2008	Expected:07/2008	09/2008	Jim Hong 715-634-4821 debralproctor@fs.fed.us
NEW EIGHNO	Description:	Thinning of red pine Area 4A	e plantation stands throughout the 0	Great Divide Ranger I	District, but primaril	y in Management
	Location:		e Ranger District. STATE - Wisco 4, 5, 6 W. Red pine stands on the 0			wyer. LEGAL -

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Chequamegon / Nicolet Nationa District)	I Forest Great Divide Ranger I	District (excluding Projects occur	rring in more than o	ne	R9 - Eastern Region		
Sawyer County Snowmobile Trail 21 Reroute CE	- Recreation management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 06/2008	Expected:09/2008	10/2008	Jim Hong 715-634-4821 jhong@fs.fed.us		
		FR 203 north of Nowak Rd and off necessary, but existing woods road			y. 77. New trail		
	Location: UNIT - Great Divide Ranger District. STATE - Wisconsin. COUNTY - Sawyer. LEGAL - T 42 N R 6 W Sections 11, 14, 23, 26, 35 and 36 and T 41 N R 6 W Sections 1, 2, 11and 12. A 3 1/2 mile stretch between Highway 77 and FR 650 west of FR 203 and a 2 1/2 mile stretch between Highway 77 and Moose Lake east of County S.						
St. Peter's Dome Snowmobile Trail (Trail 9) Relocation CE	- Recreation management	In Progress: Scoping Start 01/07/2007 Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 06/2008	Expected:08/2008	09/2008	Jim Mineau 715-762-5182 jmineau@fs.fed.us		
	Description: Relocation of portions of a snowmobile trail to reduce impacts to water quality, soil productivity, and improve safety for trail users and groomers. Project involves 1.3 miles of new trail construction and 1.5 miles of trail decommissioning.						
	Location: UNIT - Great Divide Ranger District. STATE - Wisconsin. COUNTY - Ashland. LEGAL - T45N R4W Sections 20, 21, 29, 30. 12 miles north of Clam Lake, Wisconsin in the St. Peter's Dome Management Area.						

Chequamegon / Nicolet Nationa District)	l Forest La	kewood-Laona Ran	ger District (excluding Pr	ojects occurring in more	than one	R9 - Eastern Region		
Challenge 4x4 Trail Restoration EA		d management n management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Cristi Corey (715) 674-4481 cmcorey@fs.fed.us		
	Description	Restore and repair use.	portions of the ANR/EI Pas	o pipeline "Challenge" 4x4	trail that have been	degraded by past		
	Web Link:	http://www.fs.fed.us	http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/cnnf/natres/index.html					
	Location:		Laona Ranger District. STA 24, 25, 36; and T31N, R17E					

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Chequamegon / Nicolet Nationa District)	l Forest Lakev	vood-Laona Ran	ger District (excluding Projects o	occurring in more th	an one	R9 - Eastern Region		
Crooked Lake Fuels Reduction EA *NEW LISTING*	- Fuels manage	ement	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2008	Expected:06/2008	07/2008	Jay Saunders 715-674-4481 jsaunders@fs.fed.us		
NEW Elevino	Lk		r piling and burning of slash production Thin EIS. The agency has been tented in an EA.					
			Laona Ranger District. STATE - W 11, 12, 13, 16, 21, 22, & 24, Ocont					
Fish Habitat Restoration CE	- Wildlife, Fish,	Rare plants	Completed	Actual: 02/12/2007	02/2007	Thomas Moris 715-674-4481 tmoris@fs.fed.us		
	Description: Tree drops along shore. Fish crib and Christmas tree structures placed in clusters in 12-15 feet of water.							
	T3	32N, R17E, Section	Laona Ranger District. STATE - Wons 21, 22. T32N, R15E, Sections the Lakewood area.					
Flower Lake HFRA EA	- Fuels manage	ement	Completed	Actual: 03/18/2008	05/2008	Jay Saunders 715-674-4481 jsaunders@fs.fed.us		
	Description: Hazardous fuels reduction in a wildland urban interface (WUI). Includes vegetation treatment, mechanical treatments, prescribed burning, biomass chipping, and access management within the WUI.							
			Laona Ranger District. STATE - W 2, 13, 14, 23, 24. 8 miles norteast o			T32N, R17E,		
Lakewood-Laona Plantation Thin II EA	- Forest products		In Progress: 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 12/14/2007	Expected:09/2008	10/2008	Darrell Richards 715-674-4481 cmcorey@fs.fed.us		
NEW LISTING			hin approximately 11,070 acres (36 and no road construction.	61 stands) of plantatio	ns. There are no	proposed changes		
		9				e, Oconto.		

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Chequamegon / Nicolet National District)	R9 - Eastern Region								
Townsend to Forest/Oconto County Line Multiple Use Trail Connector	- Recreation management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2008	Expected:06/2008	07/2008	Darrell Richards 715-674-4481 derichards@fs.fed.us				
EA *NEW LISTING*		scription: Improve and designate a disconnected 1.7 mile segment of the Nicolet State trail as multipule use from Townsend to the Forest/Oconto county border. This existing corridor that will be improved/designated for both motorized &							

Chequamegon / Nicolet Nationa one District)	l Forest Me	dford-Park Falls Ra	nger District (excluding Projects	s occurring in more t	than	R9 - Eastern Region		
2006 Impoundment Permit Reauthorization (Gaunt)	- Special use management		On Hold	N/A	N/A	Joan Cervenka 715-762-5174 jcervenka@fs.fed.us		
	Description:	escription: Replace permits for existing impoundment on the Forest						
		Sec 32, Taylor Cou	nty. 16 miles NW of Medford, WI.					
2008 Gypsy Moth Slow-the- Spread EA	(other than fo	management prest products) sh, Rare plants	Completed	Actual: 02/19/2008	06/2008	Mark Theisen 715-362-1346 mtheisen@fs.fed.us		
		Description: Application of pheromone on up to 42,000 acres of National Forest to disrupt mating of gypsy moth, and application of BTk on about 20 acres to control larvae.						
	Web Link:	http://www.fs.fed.us	/r9/cnnf/natres/index.html					
	Location: UNIT - Medford-Park Falls Ranger District. STATE - Wisconsin. COUNTY - Price, Taylor. LEGAL - T40 R1E, T39E R1E; T33N R1,2&3W; T33N R1W, T32N R1,2&3W; and T31N R2W. Medford unit of the Medfor Ffalls Ranger District.							

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Camp Four EIS	Road managementRecreation managementForest products		In Progress: NOI in Federal Register 09/18/2007 Est. DEIS NOA in Federal Register 06/2008	Expected:09/2008	12/2008	Ann Hoefferle 715-748-4875 ext.24 ahoefferle@fs.fed.us	
	Description:		oosals to maintain and restore forestea is primarily to be managed for othe landscape.				
	Location:		ork Falls Ranger District. STATE - ous areas on the Park Falls landbas			ations of the	
Medford Aspen EIS	- Road management - Forest products		In Progress: NOI in Federal Register 06/26/2007 Est. DEIS NOA in Federal Register 04/2008	Expected:07/2008	10/2008	Jane Darnell 715-748-4875, ext.38 jdarnell01@fs.fed.us	
	Description: Timber harvest proposals to regenerate/restore aspen within areas to be managed for early successional forest (2004 Chequamegon-Nicolet Land and Resource Management Plan - Record of Decision). Proposal includes associated road projects.						
	Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/cnnf/natres/eis/mpf/medford_aspen/index.html Location: UNIT - Medford-Park Falls Ranger District. STATE - Wisconsin. COUNTY - Taylor. The location of the projects are in various areas on the Medford landbase north of County Highway M.						
Medford-Park Falls Wildlife Opening Maintenance CE	- Vegetation management (other than forest products) - Wildlife, Fish, Rare plants Completed Actual: 01/24/2008 O6/2008 Juliet Gifford 715-362-1386 jwgifford@fs.fed.us						
NEW LISTING	Description: Web Link:	_	res of upland wildlife openings usin s/r9/cnnf/natres/eis/mpf/Wildlife_Op		_		
	Location: UNIT - Medford-Park Falls Ranger District. STATE - Wisconsin. COUNTY - Price, Taylor, Vilas. LEGAL - Various scattered small sites within two ranger districts in Pice, Taylor & Vilas Counties, WI. Numerous small sites located across the forested areas of the Medford and Park Falls Ranger Districts.						

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Perkinstown ATV Trail Maintenance and Improvement CE	- Wildlife, Fi	d management sh, Rare plants n management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jim Mineau 715-762-5182 jmineau@fs.fed.us		
	Description	Repair and relocate costs	e segments of FS Trail 326 to control	ol erosion, provide us	er safety, and redu	ce maintenance		
	Location:		ark Falls Ranger District. STATE - . 15 miles northwest of Medford, Wl		Y - Taylor. LEGAI	T31N, R2W,		
Riley Lake Wildlife Habitat Management EA	- Vegetation	sh, Rare plants n management orest products)	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 04/2008	Expected:09/2008	04/2009	Daniel Eklund 715-762-5194 deklund@fs.fed.us		
NEW LISTING	Description:	Description: Creation and long-term maintenance of lowland bog, shrubland and grassland-forb wildlife habitat in the Riley lake Wildlife Management Area, through periodic burning, roller-chopping, mowing, and cutting on 5,000 acres. Web Link: http://www.fs.fed.us/r9/cnnf/natres/index.html						
	Location:	UNIT - Medford-Pa	ark Falls Ranger District. STATE - E; abd sections 13,24,25,36 T39N F					
Sailor to Solberg ATV Trail Connection EA	- Recreation	n management	In Progress: 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 08/09/2007	Expected:05/2008	07/2008	Dawn Meier (715) 748-4875 ext. 43 dmeier@fs.fed.us		
	Description: Development of an ATV trail connection between the Flambeau trail system near Sailor Lake, southwest to the Forest boundary. The project consists primarily of designating existing travel corridors for ATV use with some new construction.							
	Web Link: Location:	UNIT - Medford-Pa	s/r9/cnnf/natres/eis/mpf/SailSol_atv ark Falls Ranger District. STATE - Sailor Lake Campground vicinity, so	Wisconsin. COUNT		- T38N, R1E and		
Special Use Road Permit to Private Landowner (Fraaza)	- Special us	e management	In Progress: Scoping Start 11/28/2007	Expected:05/2008	06/2008	Joan Cervenka 715-762-2461 jcervenka@fs.fed.us		
	Description	Special use author	zation for a road to access private l	land.				
	Location:	UNIT - Medford-Pa Section 18. Taylor	ark Falls Ranger District. STATE - County Wisconsin.	Wisconsin. COUNT	Y - Taylor. LEGAI	T32N, R1E,		

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Taylor Electric Cooperative Permit Amendment	- Special use	e management	Completed	Actual: 03/05/2008	03/2008	Joan Cervenka 715-762-2461 jcervenka@fs.fed.us			
	Description:	Request for addition	nal buried electric cable within an e	xisting road corridor.					
	Location:	UNIT - Medford-Pa Section 1. Taylor C	ork Falls Ranger District. STATE - ounty Wisconsin.	Wisconsin. COUNT	Y - Taylor. LEGA	L - T32N, R1W,			
Taylor to Price Snowmobile Trail Connecter EA	- Recreation	management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Dawn Meier (715) 748-4875 dmeier@fs.fed.us			
		Description: Designation of a snowmobile trail connection between a Taylor County trail in the vicinity of Mondeaux Flowage and a southern Price County snowmobile trail system using primarily existing travel corridors.							
	Web Link:	http://www.fs.fed.us	s/r9/cnnf/natres/index.html						
	Location:	Location: UNIT - Medford-Park Falls Ranger District. STATE - Wisconsin. COUNTY - Taylor. LEGAL - T33N, R1W and R2W. From the Mondeaux Flowage, northwest to Price County.							
Vanderveen Prescribed Burn EA	- Fuels mana	agement	In Progress: 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 06/29/2006	Expected:07/2008 Actual: 10/31/2007	10/2008	Dalynn Parks 505-829-3535 dalynnparks@fs.fed.us			
		EA.Prescribed burn spreading into near	-	educe fuel (tall, dead					
	Web Link:	http://www.fs.fed.us	s/r9/cnnf/natres/eis/mpf/Vanderveer	nBurn/index.html					
	Location:		rk Falls Ranger District. STATE - 3, 24, and 26. Project area is about			- T40N, R3E,			
Yellow River Bridge EA	- Recreation	management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Dawn Meier (715) 748-4875 ext. 43 dmeier@fs.fed.us			
	Description:	Construction of a fo	ot bridge across the South Fork Ye	ellow River on the Ice	Age National Scen	nic Trail.			
	Location:	14, T32N, R2W. Th	ork Falls Ranger District. STATE - e proposed bridge location is locate pout 3 1/2 miles northeast of Perkin	ed on the Ice Age Na					

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Chequamegon / Nicolet National District)	I Forest Washburn Ranger I	District (excluding Projects occurri	ng in more than one		R9 - Eastern Region			
2008 Seedling Survival Project CE	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)	Completed	Actual: 02/14/2008	04/2008	Jennifer Maziasz 715-373-2667 jmaziasz@fs.fed.us			
		oject would complete release work or and brush with hand tools that surrourients.						
	Location: UNIT - Washbur Washburn Range	n Ranger District. STATE - Wiscons er District.	sin. COUNTY - Bayf	ield. Scattered thro	oughout the			
CANSKI 4-H 5 Year Special Use Permit CE	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 12/21/2007	12/2007	Teresa Maday 715-373-2667 tmaday@fs.fed.us			
	Description: Issue a 5 year special use permit for recreation event at Valhalla Recreation Area							
		n Ranger District. STATE - Wiscons 3W, Sections 12 & 13. Valhalla Recre		ield. LEGAL - T49	N, R5W, Sections			
Cable Deer Camp Road SUP	- Special use management	In Progress: Scoping Start 05/09/2007	Expected:09/2008	10/2008	Joan Cervenka 715-762-2461 jcervenka@fs.fed.us			
	Description: Authorize access to private land across NFS land.							
	Location: UNIT - Washbur 31 & 32. 4 miles	n Ranger District. STATE - Wiscons N of cable, WI.	sin. COUNTY - Bayf	ield. LEGAL - T44	N, R8W, Sec 29,			
Dairyland Power Coop SUP CE *NEW LISTING*	- Special use management	Completed	Actual: 02/26/2008	03/2008	Joan Cervenka 715-762-2461 jcervenka@fs.fed.us			
NEW LIGHNO	Description: Authorize the ins	tallation and management of a 79' co	mmunication tower by	amending existing	SUP			
		n Ranger District. STATE - Wiscons Wisconsin. Eight miles NW of the tov		ield. LEGAL - T48	N, R7W, Sec 29,			

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Drummond Dam and Reservior SUP Re-issuance	- Special us	e management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 03/2008	Expected:06/2008	06/2008	Joan Cervenka 715-762-2461 jcervenka@fs.fed.us
NEW LISTING	Description:		ion (through SUP) to Bayfield Cour the associated dam structure. Th			flooded reservior
	Location:		Ranger District. STATE - Wiscons	-		The state of the s
Five Year Outfitter and Guide Special Use Authorization	- Special use management		In Progress: Scoping Start 03/03/2008	Expected:03/2008	03/2008	Teresa Maday 715-373-2667 tmaday@fs.fed.us
NEW LISTING	Description:		of a special use permit for outfitter it is to allow two local businesses to			
	Location:	12 & 13; T45N, R8V	Ranger District. STATE - Wiscons V, Section 33; T45N, R7W, Sectior R5W, Section 6. Numerous lakes a	ns 5,11,21,22, & 11; T	43N, R6W, Section	n 5; T44N, R6W,
Iron River Trail Project	- Recreation	management	On Hold	N/A	N/A	Jennifer Maziasz 715-373-2667 jmaziasz@fs.fed.us
	Description:		project proposes to relocate 900 fe al use (snowmobile and ATV) trail t			
	Location:	13,24,25 & 36; T48l	Ranger District. STATE - Wiscons N, R6W, Sections 1,10, 15, 21, & 2 r Trail, north end of the Washburn	2; T48N, R7W, Section	ons 25,33,34, & 35	; T47N, R8W,

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Northwest Sands Project EA	- Vegetation management (other than forest products)		In Progress: Scoping Start 02/14/2008 Est. 215 Comment Period Legal Notice 09/2008	Expected:02/2009	06/2009	Jennifer Maziasz 715-373-2667 jmaziasz@fs.fed.us		
	Description		of the pine barren ecosystem thro essential ecosystem process. Act cribed fire.					
	Location:							
Washburn Ranger District Toilet Replacement and Installation Project	- Recreation	n management	In Progress: Scoping Start 08/09/2006	Expected:03/2008	05/2008	Teresa Maday 715-373-2667 tmaday@fs.fed.us		
CE	Description: Replace existing toilet facilities at Long Lake, Lake Owen Outlet, & Two Lakes Campground. New installation of toilet facilities at Drummond and Vahalla Cross Country Ski Trailheads.							
	Location: UNIT - Washburn Ranger District. STATE - Wisconsin. COUNTY - Bayfield. LEGAL - T49N, R5W, Section 18; T48N, R6W, Section 1, T44N, R7W, Sections 4, 11,13 of Bayfield County, WI. Long Lake, Two Lakes Campground, Lake Owen Outlet, and Drummond.							
Wood to Water 5 year Special Use Permit CE	- Special us	e management	Developing Proposal Est. Scoping Start 03/2008	Expected:04/2008	05/2008	Teresa Maday 715-373-2667 tmaday@fs.fed.us		
NEW LISTING	Description: A special use permit for the Chequamegon Country Runners to hold a cross-country, relay race across National Forest lands in the northern portion of the Washburn Ranger District.							
	Location: UNIT - Washburn Ranger District. STATE - Wisconsin. COUNTY - Bayfield. LEGAL - T47N, R7W, Sections 21& 22; T49N, R6W, Sections 13, 24, 25, & 36; T48N, R6W, Section 1; T48N, R5W, Section 6. Forest roads, a portion of the Valhalla ATV/snowmoble trail, Long Lake day use area and hiking trail in the northern portion of the Washburn Ranger District.					S. Forest roads, a		

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