

Prineville BLM Project Update

April 2019

The list below is projects the Prineville District Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is considering undertaking, and projects for which it has recently signed a Decision and is now implementing. The list also includes projects completed earlier if the BLM continues to implement actions described in the original project. These older projects are noted below with an **asterisk***. An example is the High Desert Shrub Steppe Restoration Environmental Assessment (EA), which analyzed several thousand acres of juniper cutting or burning each year, and which the BLM continues to implement.

The National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) requires federal agencies to review the environmental effects of proposed federal actions and potential alternatives to those actions. The District documents these reviews in an EA or environmental impact statement (EIS). Proposed actions already covered by an existing EA or EIS are documented in a determination of NEPA adequacy (DNA). Minor or routine proposed actions categorically excluded from NEPA analysis are documented in a CX.

To learn more about these and other projects on BLM managed public land, visit the Prineville District BLM Office at 3050 NE Third Street in Prineville Oregon, (541) 416-6700, or go to the BLM's ePlanning website:

https://eplanning.blm.gov/epl-front-office/eplanning/nepa/nepa_register.do

You can view the list of Prineville District Office projects in ePlanning by selecting the **Text Search** tab, then selecting state = Oregon/Washington, office = OR/WA Prineville DO, leaving the rest of the fields as "All" and hitting Search. Sort by clicking at the top of the Project Status column; completed projects will be at the top of the list and projects in "preparation and planning" will be at the bottom. Once you're in ePlanning, click on a project's NEPA # to learn more about the project, find out who to call if you have questions, or view scoping letters, maps, analysis documents and decisions. If you just want to search for a specific project in the list below, cut/paste the NEPA# into the advanced search field in ePlanning.

Table 1. Status of Prineville District BLM NEPA projects.

Program	Project name	Planning status	Decision date	Doc type	NEPA #
Facilities management	Chimney Rock Recreation Site Improvements	In progress: scoping		CX	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2018-0050-CX
	Clarno Road Maintenance	In progress		DNA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2019-0001-DNA
	District Road Maintenance*	Completed	01/11/2018	EA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2011-0018-EA
	Lower Deschutes River Toilet Removal and Replacement	In progress		CX	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2018-0038-CX
	Road Maintenance in the Thirtymile Creek Area	Completed	10/16/2018	DNA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2019-0003-DNA
Fire rehabilitation	Boxcar Fire Herbicide DNA	Completed	11/26/2018	DNA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2018-0045-DNA
	Jack Knife, Seale and Jennies Peak Fires Herbicide DNA	Completed	11/18/2018	DNA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2019-0004-DNA
	Substation & Long Hollow Fires Herbicide DNA	Completed	11/26/2018	DNA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2018-0046-DNA
Hazard mgmt	Greater La Pine Community Hazardous Fuel Reduction*	Completed	03/21/2007	EA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2006-0078-EA
	Southwest Vegetation Treatments	In progress		DNA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2016-0013-DNA
Lands/Realty	Midstate Electric OROR 069561	In progress		CX	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2019-0007-CX
	Road Renewal_Woodward	In progress		CX	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2017-0036-CX
	ROW Assignment Legacy to Full Health	In progress		CX	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2017-0057-CX
	Someday Way Right-of-Way (ROW)	In progress		CX	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2019-0008-CX
	T16S R18E S8 Resolution	In progress		EA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2017-0046-EA
	Voorhies ROW	Completed	12/06/2018	CX	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2019-0002-CX
Livestock grazing	Grazing Lease Transfer-Battle Creek Allotment #04049	Completed	02/14/2019	CX	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2019-0010-CX
	Grazing Lease Transfer-Dayville Allotment #04038	Completed	02/14/2019	CX	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2018-0016-CX

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	Grazing Lease Transfer-North Fork Allotment #04029	Completed	02/14/2019	CX	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2019-0009-CX
	Grazing Permit Renewal for Indian Creek, Paulina Creek and Rabbit Valley Grazing Allotments	In progress		EA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2017-0023-EA
	Grazing Preference Transfer – Clinton O. Harris Allotment	In progress		CX	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2019-0015-CX
	Grazing Preference Transfer – Ferry Canyon and Oak Canyon Allotments	Completed	03/05/2019	CX	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2019-0012-CX
	Grazing Preference Transfer – Holmes Allotment	In progress		CX	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2019-0014-CX
	Livestock Grazing Lease Renewal for Ellsworth Allotment (#3605404)	In progress		CX	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2017-0050-CX
	Livestock Grazing Lease Renewal for North Eighty Allotment (#3605391)	In progress		CX	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2017-0051-CX
	West Basin and Scott Wells	In progress		EA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2018-0047-EA
Mining	Crook County Road Department Free Use Mineral Materials	In progress: scoping		EA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2019-0011-EA
Recreation	Cline Buttes Recreation Area Design*	Completed	08/26/2010	EA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2006-0014-EA
	Cottonwood Canyon State Park*	Completed	09/06/2018	EA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2013-0016-EA
	Lower Deschutes River Management Plan*	Completed	02/01/1993	EIS	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-1988-0100-EIS
	North Fork Crooked River Wild & Scenic River Management Plan*	Completed	03/19/1993	EA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-1992-0027-EA
	Oregon Badlands Wilderness Management Plan*	Completed	02/06/2014	EA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P060-2011-0030-EA
	Steelhead Falls Trail Maintenance	In progress		DNA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2019-0005-DNA
Vegetation	Integrated Invasive Plant Management for the Prineville District*	Completed	05/05/2016	EA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2011-0019-EA
	Vegetation Treatments Using Herbicides on BLM Lands in Oregon	Completed	10/01/2010	EIS	DOI-BLM-ORWA-0000-2008-0001-EIS

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Wild Horses	Murderer's Creek Wild Horse Management Area plan revision	In progress		EIS	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P040-2015-0033-EIS
Wildlife	High Desert Shrub Steppe Restoration*	Completed	05/12/2011	EA	DOI-BLM-ORWA-P000-2008-0157-EA

*Older EAs the district continues to implement on a regular basis.