

new recommendations for wilderness and other designated areas.

This decision will not authorize project-level activities on the three forests. The authorization of project-level activities on each forest occurs through subsequent project-specific decision making. The designation of routes, trails and areas for motorized vehicle travel is not considered during plan revision but addressed in separate analysis processes on each forest. Certain issues (e.g., hunting regulations), although important, are beyond the authority or control of the three forests and will not be considered. In addition, some decisions and determinations, such as wild and scenic river suitability determinations, may not be undertaken at this time but will be addressed in separate processes.

#### Public Involvement

The Inyo, Sequoia and Sierra National Forest plan revision team has provided multiple ways for the public, other agencies and tribes to contribute ideas about how current forest plans need to change or be improved. Public involvement began in earnest in 2012. Formal and informal meetings, letters, emails, phone calls, newspaper announcements and postings to the Pacific Southwest Region and forest Web sites were used to share and gather information and encourage participation. Plan revision team members gave presentations, went to the field and met with individuals and groups. Information collected from the public was used to identify needed changes in the current forest plans and desired conditions.

The forests will continue regular and meaningful consultation and collaboration with tribal nations on a government-to-government basis to address issues that significantly or uniquely affect their communities.

The forests will continue to collaborate with interested members of the public, as well as federal and state agencies, local governments and other organizations.

#### Applicable Planning Rule

Preparation of the revised forest plans for the Inyo, Sequoia and Sierra National Forests began with the publication of the Notice of Initiation in the **Federal Register** on December 26, 2013 [78 FR 78326] and was initiated under the planning procedures contained in the 2012 Planning Rule (36 CFR 219 (2012)).

#### Scoping Process

This notice of intent initiates the 30-day scoping process which guides the

development of the EIS. The purpose of this process is to determine the scope of issues to be addressed and to identify the significant issues related to the proposed action. Public meetings and tribal forums to gather input on the proposed action will be held in September 2014. Additional materials, as well as the dates, times and locations of these meetings can be found at <http://tinyurl.com/r5earlyadopters>. It is important that reviewers provide their comments in a time and manner useful to the agency's preparation of the EIS. Therefore, comments should be provided prior to the close of the scoping period and should clearly articulate the reviewer's concerns and contentions. Reviewers should clearly identify which forest or forests each of their comments applies to. The submission of timely and specific comments can affect a reviewer's ability to participate in subsequent administrative or judicial review. Comments received in response to this solicitation, including names and addresses of those who comment, will become part of the public record for this proposed action. Comments submitted anonymously will be accepted and considered, however, see the section below concerning the objection process and the requirements for filing an objection.

#### Decision Will Be Subject to Objection

The decisions to approve the revised forest plans will be subject to the objection process identified in 36 CFR Part 219 Subpart B (219.50 to 219.62). According to 36 CFR 219.53(a), those who may file an objection are individuals and entities who have submitted substantive formal comments related to a plan revision during the opportunities provided for public comment during the planning process.

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## DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

### Forest Service

#### Newspapers for Publication of Legal Notices in the Eastern Region

**AGENCY:** Forest Service, USDA.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** Forest Service administrative review procedures at 36 CFR parts 218 and 219 require agency officials to

publish legal notices in newspapers of record for certain opportunities to comment and opportunities to file pre-decisional objections. Forest Service officials in the Eastern Region will publish those legal notices in the newspapers listed in the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section of this notice. The Eastern Region consists of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, New Hampshire, Maine, Pennsylvania, Vermont, New York, West Virginia, and Wisconsin. As provided in 36 CFR 218 and 36 CFR 219, the public shall be advised through **Federal Register** notice, of the newspaper of record to be utilized for publishing legal notice of comment and objection opportunities required by those Parts and their associated procedures. This notice fulfills that requirement for the Eastern Region.

**DATES:** Use of these newspapers for purposes of publishing legal notice of opportunities to comment on proposals subject under 36 CFR part 218 and 36 CFR part 219, and notices of the opportunity to object under 36 CFR part 218 and 36 CFR part 219 shall begin the first day after the date of this publication.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Patricia Rowell; Appeals Assistant, 626 E. Wisconsin Avenue, Milwaukee, WI—414-297-3439

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Responsible Officials in the Eastern Region will publish legal notice regarding proposed land management plans as required under 36 CFR 219.16 and legal notice regarding an opportunity to comment on proposed projects as required under 36 CFR 218.24 in the newspapers that are listed in this section by Forest Service administrative unit. Additionally, Responsible Officials in the Eastern Region will publish legal notice of the opportunity to object to a proposed project under 36 CFR part 218 or to object to a land management plan developed, amended, or revised under 36 CFR part 219 in the legal notice section of the following newspapers. Additional notice regarding an opportunity to comment or object under the above mentioned regulations may be provided in other newspapers not listed below at the sole discretion of the Responsible Official. Legal notice published in a newspaper of record of an opportunity to object is in addition to direct notice to those who have requested it and to those who have participated in planning for the project or land management plan proposal.

The timeframe for comment on a proposed action shall be based on the

date of publication of the legal notice of the proposed action in the newspaper of record. The timeframe for objection shall be based on the date of publication of the legal notice of the opportunity to object in the newspaper of record. The following newspapers will be used to provide legal notice.

### Eastern Region

#### Regional Forester Decisions

Affecting National Forest System lands in the Eastern Region, in the states of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, New Hampshire, Maine, Pennsylvania, Vermont, New York, West Virginia, and Wisconsin, *The Milwaukee Journal/Sentinel*, published daily in Milwaukee, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin.

### Allegheny National Forest, Pennsylvania

#### Forest Supervisor Decisions

*Warren Times Observer*, Warren, Warren County, Pennsylvania

#### District Ranger Decisions

Bradford District: *Bradford Era*, Bradford, McKean County, Pennsylvania

Marienville District: *The Kane Republican*, Kane, McKean County, Pennsylvania

### Chequamegon/Nicolet National Forest, Wisconsin

#### Forest Supervisor Decisions

*The Northwoods River News*, published Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays Rhinelander, Oneida County, Wisconsin

#### District Ranger Decisions

Eagle River/Florence District: *The Northwoods River News*, published Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, Rhinelander, Oneida County, Wisconsin

Great Divide District: *The Daily Press*, published daily in Ashland, Ashland County, Wisconsin

Medford/Park Falls District: *The Star News*, published weekly in Medford, Taylor County, Wisconsin

Washburn District: *The Daily Press*, published daily in Ashland, Ashland County, Wisconsin

Lakewood/Laona District: *The Northwoods River News*, published Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, Rhinelander, Oneida County, Wisconsin

### Chippewa National Forest, Minnesota

#### Forest Supervisor Decisions

*Bemidji Pioneer*, published daily in Bemidji, Beltrami County, Minnesota

#### District Ranger Decisions

Blackduck District: *The American*, published weekly in Blackduck, Beltrami County, Minnesota

Deer River District: *The Western Itasca Review*, published weekly in Deer River, Itasca County, Minnesota

Walker District: *The Pilot/Independent*, published weekly in Walker, Cass County, Minnesota

### Green Mountain National Forest, Vermont

#### Forest Supervisor Decisions

*The Rutland Herald*, published daily in Rutland, Rutland County, Vermont

#### District Ranger Decisions

Manchester, Middlebury and Rochester Districts: *The Rutland Herald*, published daily in Rutland, Rutland County, Vermont

### Finger Lakes National Forest, New York

#### Forest Supervisor Decisions

*The Ithaca Journal*, published daily in Ithaca, Tompkins County, New York

#### District Ranger Decisions

Hector District: *The Ithaca Journal*, published daily in Ithaca, Tompkins County, New York

### Hiawatha National Forest, Michigan

#### Forest Supervisor Decisions

*The Daily Press*, published daily in Escanaba, Delta County, Michigan

#### District Ranger Decisions

Rapid River District: *The Daily Press*, published daily in Escanaba, Delta County, Michigan

Manistique District: *The Daily Press*, published daily in Escanaba, Delta County, Michigan

Munising District: *The Mining Journal*, published daily in Marquette, Marquette County, Michigan

St. Ignace District: *The Evening News*, published daily in Sault Ste. Marie, Chippewa County, Michigan

Sault Ste. Marie District: *The Evening News*, published daily in Sault Ste. Marie, Chippewa County, Michigan

### Hoosier National Forest, Indiana

#### Forest Supervisor Decisions

*The Hoosier Times*, published in Bloomington, Monroe County, and Bedford, Lawrence County, Indiana

#### District Ranger Decisions

Brownstown District: *The Hoosier Times*, published in Bloomington, Monroe County, and Bedford, Lawrence County, Indiana

Tell City District: *The Perry County News*, published in Tell City, Perry County, Indiana

### Huron-Manistee National Forest, Michigan

#### Forest Supervisor Decisions

*Cadillac News*, published daily in Cadillac, Wexford County, Michigan

#### District Ranger Decisions

Baldwin-White Cloud Districts: *Lake County Star*, published weekly in Baldwin, Lake County, Michigan

Cadillac-Manistee Districts: *Manistee News Advocate*, published daily in Manistee, Manistee County, Michigan

Mio District: *Oscoda County Herald*, published weekly in Mio, Oscoda County, Michigan

Huron Shores District: *Oscoda Press*, published weekly in Oscoda, Iosco County, Michigan

### Mark Twain National Forest, Missouri

#### Forest Supervisor Decisions

*The Rolla Daily News*, published Monday through Saturday in Rolla, Phelps County, Missouri

#### District Ranger Decisions

Ava/Cassville/Willow Springs District: *Springfield News-Leader*, published daily in Springfield, Greene County, Missouri

Cedar Creek District: *Fulton Sun*, published daily in Fulton, Callaway County, Missouri

Eleven Point District: *Prospect News*, published weekly (Wednesday) in Doniphan, Ripley County, Missouri

Rolla District: *Houston Herald*, published weekly (Thursdays) in Houston, Texas County, Missouri

Houston District: *Houston Herald*, published weekly (Thursdays) in Houston, Texas County, Missouri

Poplar Bluff District: *Daily American Republic*, published daily in Poplar Bluff, Butler County, Missouri

Potosi District: *The Independent-Journal*, published weekly (Thursday) in Potosi, Washington County, Missouri

Fredericktown District: *The Democrat-News*, published weekly (Wednesday) in Fredericktown, Madison County, Missouri

Salem District: *The Salem News*, published weekly (Tuesday) in Salem, Dent County, Missouri

### Midewin Tallgrass Prairie, Illinois

#### Prairie Supervisor Decisions

*The Herald News*, published daily in Joliet, Will County, Illinois

**Monongahela National Forest, West Virginia***Forest Supervisor Decisions*

*The Inter-Mountain*, published daily in Elkins, Randolph County, West Virginia

*District Ranger Decisions*

Cheat-Potomac District: *The Grant County Press*, published weekly in Petersburg, Grant County, West Virginia  
 Gauley District: *The Nicholas Chronicle*, published weekly in Summersville, Nicholas County, West Virginia

Greenbrier District: *The Pocahontas Times*, published weekly in Marlinton, Pocahontas County, West Virginia

Marlinton-White Sulphur District: *The Pocahontas Times*, published weekly in Marlinton, Pocahontas County, West Virginia

**Ottawa National Forest, Michigan***Forest Supervisor Decisions*

*The Ironwood Daily Globe*, published in Ironwood, Gogebic County, Michigan; except, for those projects located solely within the Iron River District, *The Reporter*, published in Iron River, Iron County, Michigan

*District Ranger Decisions*

Bergland, Bessemer, Kenton, Ontonagon and Watersmeet Districts: *The Ironwood Daily Globe*, published in Ironwood, Gogebic County, Michigan

Iron River District: *The Reporter*, published in Iron River, Iron County, Michigan

**Shawnee National Forest, Illinois***Forest Supervisor Decisions*

*Southern Illinoisan*, published daily in Carbondale, Jackson County, Illinois

*District Ranger Decisions*

Hidden Springs and Mississippi Bluffs Districts: *Southern Illinoisan*, published daily in Carbondale, Jackson County, Illinois

**Superior National Forest, Minnesota***Forest Supervisor Decisions*

*Duluth News-Tribune*, published daily in Duluth, St. Louis County, Minnesota

*District Ranger Decisions*

Gunflint District: *Cook County News-Herald*, published weekly in Grand Marais, Cook County, Minnesota  
 Kawishiwi District: *Ely Echo*, published weekly in Ely, St. Louis County, Minnesota

LaCroix District: *Mesabi Daily News*, published daily in Virginia, St. Louis County, Minnesota

Laurentian District: *Mesabi Daily News*, published daily in Virginia, St. Louis County, Minnesota

Tofte District: *Duluth News-Tribune*, published daily in Duluth, St. Louis County, Minnesota

**Wayne National Forest, Ohio***Forest Supervisor Decisions*

*Athens Messenger*, published daily in Athens, Athens County, Ohio

*District Ranger Decisions*

Athens District-Marietta Unit: *Athens Messenger*, published daily in Athens, Athens County, Ohio

Ironton District: *The Ironton Tribune*, published daily in Ironton, Lawrence County, Ohio

**White Mountain National Forest, New Hampshire and Maine***Forest Supervisor Decisions*

*The New Hampshire Union Leader*, published daily in Manchester, County of Hillsborough, New Hampshire.

*District Ranger Decisions*

Androscoggin District: *The New Hampshire Union Leader*, published daily in Manchester, County of Hillsborough, New Hampshire; except, for those projects located solely within the State of Maine, the *Lewiston Sun-Journal*, published daily in Lewiston, County of Androscoggin, Maine

Pemigewasset District: *The New Hampshire Union Leader*, published daily in Manchester, County of Hillsborough, New Hampshire

Saco District: *The New Hampshire Union Leader*, published daily in Manchester, County of Hillsborough, New Hampshire; except, for those projects located solely within the State of Maine, the *Lewiston Sun-Journal*, published daily in Lewiston, County of Androscoggin, Maine

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**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE****Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request**

The Department of Commerce will submit to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the

following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35).

*Agency:* National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).

*Title:* Implantation and Recovery of Archival Tags.

*OMB Control Number:* 0648-0338.

*Form Number(s):* NA.

*Type of Request:* Regular submission (extension of a current information collection).

*Number of Respondents:* 35.

*Average Hours per Response:* Tag recovery, 30 minutes; tag implantation notification and annual reports, 40 minutes each; interim reports, 1 hour each.

*Burden Hours:* 47.

*Needs and Uses:* This request is for extension of a currently approved information collection.

The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) allows scientists to implant archival tags in, or affix archival tags to, selected Atlantic Highly Migratory Species (tunas, sharks, swordfish, and billfish). Archival tags collect location, temperature, and water depth data that is useful for scientists researching the movements and behavior of individual fish. It is often necessary to retrieve the tags in order to collect the data. Therefore, the National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) exempts persons catching tagged fish from certain otherwise applicable regulations at 50 CFR 635 (e.g., immediate release of the fish, minimum size, prohibited species, retention limits). These participants must notify NOAA, return the archival tag or make it available to NOAA personnel, and provide information about the location and method of capture if they harvest a fish that has an archival tag. The information obtained is used by NOAA for international and domestic fisheries policy and regulations.

Scientists not employed by NOAA must obtain NOAA authorization before affixing or implanting archival tags and submit subsequent reports about the tagging of fish. NOAA needs that information to evaluate the effectiveness of archival tag programs, to assess the likely impact of regulatory allowances for tag recovery, and to ensure that the research does not produce excessive mortality.

*Affected Public:* Not-for-profit institutions; individuals or households.

*Frequency:* On occasion.

*Respondent's Obligation:* Voluntary; required to retain or obtain benefits.

This information collection request may be viewed at [reginfo.gov](http://reginfo.gov). Follow