

## GRINDSTONE RANGER DISTRICT

### DECISIONS ISSUED IN FISCAL YEAR 2002

*Project Name* Divide Auger Timber Sale  
*Comments* Harvest of diseased timber stands and re-establishment of healthy stands.  
*Location* Sec 28m 29 T25N R9W, Sec 21, 27, 28 T24N R9W; Tehama County  
*Watershed* Thomes Creek  
*Status* Decision Issued, Implementation Pending  
*Contact* Flanagan, Janet  
*Deciding Official* District Ranger

*Project Name* Ford Hill Road Improvement  
*Comments*  
*Location* Sec 7&18 T21N R8W; Glenn County; Black Butte River and Grindstone Creek watersheds  
*Watershed* Multiple  
*Status* Decision Issued, Implementation Pending  
*Contact* Flanagan, Janet  
*Deciding Official* District Ranger

*Project Name* Valley View Fuel Tank Installation  
*Comments*  
*Location* Sec 26 T21N R8W; Glenn County  
*Watershed* Grindstone Creek  
*Status* Project Implemented  
*Contact* Flanagan, Janet  
*Deciding Official* District Ranger

*Project Name* Watershed Improvements (FY 2003)  
*Comments* Miscellaneous watershed improvement projects.  
*Location* Several locations in Colusa, Glenn, Tehama Counties; Thomes Cr, Grindstone Cr, Middle Fork Stony Cr  
*Watershed* Multiple  
*Status* Decision Issued, Implementation Pending  
*Contact* Flanagan, Janet  
*Deciding Official* District Ranger

***Project Name*** Whitlock Road Special Use Permit  
***Comments*** Access to private land  
***Location*** Sec 5 T23 R8W; Tehama County  
***Watershed*** Thomes Creek  
***Status*** Decision Issued, Implementation Pending  
***Contact*** Rosenquist, Jesse  
***Deciding Official*** District Ranger

### **DECISIONS ISSUED IN FISCAL YEAR 2003**

***Project Name*** Cultural Projects, Grindstone RD 2003  
***Comments*** Miscellaneous reforestation and timber stand improvement activities.  
***Location*** Several locations on Grindstone Ranger District; Thomes, Grindstone, Upper Main Eel, Briscoe watersheds.  
***Watershed*** Multiple  
***Status*** Implementing Project  
***Contact*** Flanagan, Janet  
***Deciding Official*** District Ranger

***Project Name*** Float Plane Fly-In Special Use Permit  
***Comments*** Event - participants fly and land model float planes at Lake Red Bluff. About 80 participants plus up to 100 spectators; 50 to 80 motor homes; one weekend  
***Location*** Lake Red Bluff Recreation Area; Tehama County  
***Watershed*** N/A  
***Status*** Implementing Project  
***Contact*** Flanagan, Janet  
***Deciding Official*** District Ranger

***Project Name*** Letts Lake Upgrade  
***Comments*** Upgrade recreation facilities, remove aquatic weeds from the lake.  
***Location*** Sec 24, 25 T17N R8W; Colusa County  
***Watershed*** Middle Fork Stony Creek  
***Status*** Decision Issued, Implementation Pending  
***Contact*** Flanagan, Janet  
***Deciding Official*** District Ranger

***Project Name*** Paskenta Barracks Removal  
***Comments***  
***Location*** Sec 4 T23N R6W; Tehama County  
***Watershed*** Thomes Creek  
***Status*** Implementing Project  
***Contact*** Flanagan, Janet  
***Deciding Official*** District Ranger

**Project Name** Toilet Replacement (FY 2003)  
**Comments** Replace toilets at Whitlock, Three Prong, Old Mill, and Sugarfoot camps  
**Location** Sec 19 T24N R7W, Sec 5 T23N R8W, Sec20 T24N R8W, Sec 21 T17N R7W; Colusa, Tehama Counties  
**Watershed** Multiple  
**Status** Decision Issued, Implementation Pending  
**Contact** Flanagan, Janet  
**Deciding Official** District Ranger

**Project Name** Yellow Starthistle Biotic Control  
**Comments** Release of insects for bio-control of yellow starthistle within the boundaries of the Trough Fire in proximity to Snow Mountain Wilderness.  
**Location** T17&18N R7W; Colusa and Glenn Counties  
**Watershed** Middle Fork Stony Creek  
**Status** Implementing Project  
**Contact** Nilles, Peter  
**Deciding Official** District Ranger

**DECISIONS PLANNED FOR FISCAL YEAR 2003**

**Project Name** Alder Springs Conservation Camp Improvements  
**Comments**  
**Location** Sec 26 T18N R8W; Glenn County  
**Watershed** Grindstone Creek  
**Status** Scoping and Issue Identification  
**Contact** Fiore, Hal  
**Deciding Official** District Ranger

**Project Name** Alder Springs Mechanical Fuel Treatments  
**Comments** Reduction of existing ground fuels utilizing mechanical treatments such as excavator, chipping.  
**Location** T21N R7&8W; Glenn County  
**Watershed** Grindstone Creek  
**Status** Project Initiation  
**Contact** Shippelhoute, Dale  
**Deciding Official** District Ranger

***Project Name*** Board Tree Camp Watershed Improvement  
***Comments*** Improve spillway and armor dam of tanker-fill pond; stabilize headcuts at bottom of wet meadow.  
***Location*** Sec 26 T21N R9W; Glenn County  
***Watershed*** Black Butte River  
***Status*** Project Initiation  
***Contact*** Fiore, Hal  
***Deciding Official*** District Ranger

***Project Name*** Cold Chimney / Spanish / Ocean Timber Sales  
***Comments*** Analysis of these projects has been combined to facilitate cumulative effects analysis  
***Location*** Sec 8-10 T21N R9W; Glenn County  
***Watershed*** Black Butte River  
***Status*** Prepare Decision  
***Contact*** Flanagan, Janet  
***Deciding Official*** District Ranger

***Project Name*** Dispersed Camp Toilet Replacement (Tehama RAC)  
***Comments*** Replace vault toilets at Sugarfoot, Three-Prong, and Dead Mule Camps. Sponsored by the Tehama County Resource Advisory Committee.  
***Location*** Sec 20 T24N R8W; Sec 13 T23N R9W; Sec 5 T23N R8W  
***Watershed*** Thomes Creek  
***Status*** Prepare Decision  
***Contact*** Flanagan, Janet  
***Deciding Official*** District Ranger

***Project Name*** Felkner Understory Burn  
***Comments*** Reduce risk of stand-replacing wildfire in conifer stands.  
***Location*** T19N R7W; Glenn County  
***Watershed*** Briscoe Creek  
***Status*** Prepare Decision  
***Contact*** Rosenquist, Jesse  
***Deciding Official*** District Ranger

***Project Name*** Fouts Water System  
***Comments*** Develop horizontal well to augment existing water supply system for recreation facilities in the Fouts Springs staging area.  
***Location*** Sec 5 T17N R7W; Colusa County  
***Watershed*** Middle Fork Stony Creek  
***Status*** Scoping and Issue Identification  
***Contact*** Fiore, Hal  
***Deciding Official*** District Ranger

***Project Name*** Lake Red Bluff 5 Year Project Plan  
***Comments*** Miscellaneous projects: native plant garden, summer camp programs for children, pond viewing stations, outdoor fish pools, rafting programs for adults.  
***Location*** Lake Red Bluff Recreation Area in Tehama County  
***Watershed*** Red Bank  
***Status*** Scoping and Issue Identification  
***Contact*** Flanagan, Janet  
***Deciding Official*** District Ranger

***Project Name*** Lake Red Bluff Noxious Weed Removal  
***Comments*** Reduce several species of noxious weeds on about 20 acres at the Lake Red Bluff Recreation Area.  
***Location*** Lake Red Bluff Recreation Area; Tehama County  
***Watershed*** N/A  
***Status*** Scoping and Issue Identification  
***Contact*** Flanagan, Janet  
***Deciding Official*** District Ranger

***Project Name*** Lake Red Bluff Storage Shed  
***Comments*** Provide increased storage for maintenance equipment and supplies.  
***Location*** Lake Red Bluff Recreation Area; Tehama County  
***Watershed*** N/A  
***Status*** Scoping and Issue Identification  
***Contact*** Flanagan, Janet  
***Deciding Official*** District Ranger

***Project Name*** Late Successional Reserve Thinning  
***Comments*** Precommercial thinning of conifer stands in Refuge LSR RC311 to reduce competition and decrease time needed to grow into large trees.  
***Location*** Sec 16, 17 T18N R8W; Glenn County  
***Watershed*** Upper Main Eel River  
***Status*** Prepare Decision  
***Contact*** Flanagan, Janet  
***Deciding Official*** District Ranger

**Project Name** Little Stony Brush Burning and Underburning  
**Comments** Brush burning in chaparral and knobcone pine stands, and underburning of forest vegetation, to reduce fuel hazard and support ecosystem function.

**Location** T15N R7W, T17N R6&7W; Colusa County

**Watershed** Little Stony Creek

**Status** Prepare Decision

**Contact** Rosenquist, Jesse

**Deciding Official** District Ranger

**Project Name** Mechanical Type Conversion maintenance  
**Comments** Reduce brush encroachment to maintain effectiveness of type conversions for wildfire control.

**Location** Various locations in Glenn County; Grindstone Cr, Briscoe Cr

**Watershed** Multiple

**Status** Prepare Decision

**Contact** Rosenquist, Jesse

**Deciding Official** District Ranger

**Project Name** North Board Tree Dispersed Camp Watershed  
**Comments** Remove eroding material from old breached tanker-fill dam from stream channel.

**Location** Sec 23 T21N R9W; Glenn County

**Watershed** Black Butte River

**Status** Project Initiation

**Contact** Fiore, Hal

**Deciding Official** District Ranger

**Project Name** Powderhouse Memorial  
**Comments** Placement of memorial markers and interpretive features in honor of the firefighters lost in the Rattlesnake fire of 1953.

**Location** Sec 23 T21N R7W; Glenn County

**Watershed** Briscoe Creek

**Status** Scoping and Issue Identification

**Contact** Flanagan, Janet

**Deciding Official** District Ranger

<b><i>Project Name</i></b>	Trust Family Special Use Permit
<b><i>Comments</i></b>	Group event with up to 800 participants; socializing, dancing, music to 100+ decibels, generator to power sound system.
<b><i>Location</i></b>	Sec 22 T23N R10W; Glenn County
<b><i>Watershed</i></b>	Grindstone Creek
<b><i>Status</i></b>	Project Dropped
<b><i>Contact</i></b>	Flanagan, Janet
<b><i>Deciding Official</i></b>	District Ranger
<b><i>Project Name</i></b>	Valentine Ridge Fuelbreak
<b><i>Comments</i></b>	Cooperative project with local community to improve ability to control wildfire. Involves crushing brush and prescribed burning. Formerly 'Sunflower CRMP Fuel Break'.
<b><i>Location</i></b>	Sec 6,7,8 T25N R7W, Sec 30, 31 T26N R7W; Tehama County; Elder, Red Bank, S. Fk. Cottonwood Watersheds
<b><i>Watershed</i></b>	Multiple
<b><i>Status</i></b>	Prepare Decision
<b><i>Contact</i></b>	Fiore, Hal
<b><i>Deciding Official</i></b>	District Ranger
<b><i>Project Name</i></b>	Wells Cabin Campground Improvements
<b><i>Comments</i></b>	Miscellaneous improvements and deferred maintenance items
<b><i>Location</i></b>	Sec 22 T23N R10W; Glenn County
<b><i>Watershed</i></b>	Grindstone Creek
<b><i>Status</i></b>	Scoping and Issue Identification
<b><i>Contact</i></b>	Flanagan, Janet
<b><i>Deciding Official</i></b>	District Ranger
<b><i>Project Name</i></b>	West Crockett Bank Reinforcement
<b><i>Comments</i></b>	Stabilize meadow stream.
<b><i>Location</i></b>	Sec 8 T18N R8W; Glenn County
<b><i>Watershed</i></b>	Middle Fork Stony Creek
<b><i>Status</i></b>	Project Initiation
<b><i>Contact</i></b>	Flanagan, Janet
<b><i>Deciding Official</i></b>	District Ranger

### **DECISIONS PLANNED FOR FISCAL YEAR 2004 OR LATER**

<b><i>Project Name</i></b>	Gulch Timber Sale
<b><i>Comments</i></b>	
<b><i>Location</i></b>	Sec 27, 28, 34 T21N R9W; Glenn County
<b><i>Watershed</i></b>	Black Butte River
<b><i>Status</i></b>	Prepare Decision
<b><i>Contact</i></b>	Rosenquist, Jesse
<b><i>Deciding Official</i></b>	District Ranger