

**Inyo National Forest Update/Revision  
Draft Focus Paper Outline – Infrastructure  
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- I. Executive Summary (1 page)
  - a. Findings Summary
  - b. Recommendations
- II. Introduction (1/2 Page)
  - a. Purpose
  - b. Roadmap
- III. Background (1 Page)
  - a. 1988 Plan Update
  - b. Planning Since 1988
  - c. 2012 Planning Rule
  - d. Current Update/Revision Effort
  - e. County priorities for Update/Revision
- IV. Setting (1 Page)
  - a. Roads and trails
  - b. Administrative facilities
  - c. Public Utilities
  - d. Private uses on National Forest Lands
- V. Issues and Trends (2 Pages)
  - a. Roads and Trails
    - i. Budget cuts for repairs and maintenance
    - ii. Stricter requirements for safety standards and resource protection guidelines
    - iii. Changing and increased usage
    - iv. Access
    - v. Natural Disasters on the forest and their impacts on County Maintained Roads and Communities
  - b. Services
    - i. Search & Rescue
    - ii. Fire Protection
    - iii. Law Enforcement
  - c. Admin Facilities / Recreational Facilities
    - i. Budget cuts and insufficient funding
    - ii. County Facilities on Forest Land
      1. Shooting Range
    - iii. Maintenance
  - d. Public Utilities
    - i. Dams / Possibility of Dam Failure and potential impacts on communities below
    - ii. Renewable Energy resources

- iii. Need for increased transmission infrastructure
  - e. Private Uses
    - i. Increased demand could require new infrastructure (i.e: fishing, packing, etc.)
- VI. Opportunities (2 Pages)
  - a. Funding sources
  - b. Coordination amongst agencies
  - c. Concessionaires
  - d. Volunteer groups
- VII. Constraints (2 Pages)
  - a. Financial resources
  - b. Environmental concerns
  - c. Designation of historic resources
  - d. Natural events (fire, earthquake, flood, mudflows)
  - e. Regulatory/Permitting
- VIII. Forest Service Approach (1 Page)
  - a. Summary of Forest Service Plan Update/Revision documentation regarding infrastructure resources to date
  - b. Critique
- IX. Conclusion (1/2 Page)