

BLM - El Centro Field Office

Comments submitted by the Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation (OHMVR) Division to individual grant applicants should in no way be construed as a guarantee of successful results for the applicant within the competitive grants process or a commitment of funding. Additionally, the lack of comments by the OHMVR Division to any specific applicant does not ensure successful results for the applicant within the competitive grant process or a commitment of funding.

All final applications will be reviewed by the OHMVR Division. The OHMVR Division may, at its sole discretion, decrease the requested amount and eliminate activities pursuant with regulation Section 4970.07.2 (f)(1-5) and for law enforcement projects, regulation Section 4970.15.3(b)(1-5).

Failure by applicant to respond to any OHMVR Division comment of their preliminary application shall be cause for eliminating that item from the applicant's application.

Please note: If multiple proposed projects are requesting funding for the same deliverable, and multiple projects are successful, only one project will receive funding for the deliverable.

General Evaluation Criteria

- #2 – Applicant must verify response.
- #4 – Applicant must verify response.
- #5 – Applicant must verify response.
- #8b – Narrative does not support response “20 to 49 times per year”. Only onsite education efforts are eligible for credit. ASI training is credited in question 8d.
- #9 – Applicant must verify response.
- #14 – Narrative does not support checked item “Has secured land to be developed for OHV Recreation”. The land identified is not newly acquired property. Also, the narrative does not support response “Has created a special fund to set aside funding to sustain OHV Recreation”.

Ground Operations - ISDRA	G11-01-09-G01
Project Description	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No comment. 	
Project Cost Estimate	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Materials / Supplies – “Other-Uniforms” - The need for these items is not clear. How are the requested uniforms different from the regularly issued BLM uniforms? 	
Evaluation Criteria	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> #5 – Narrative does not support how the activities identified for the “American Sand Association” and “Glamisweather.com” are related to the project. #5 – Activities identified for the “Imperial County Sheriff’s Office” is not project related. #6 – Narrative does not support the checked item “Site design precludes the need for...”. 	

Law Enforcement	G11-01-09-L01
Needs Assessment	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No comment. 	
Law Enforcement Certification	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No comment. 	
Project Cost Estimate	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Equipment Purchases – Provide more information (e.g., time period, locations of use) for “Radar Unit” ‘Note’ section. Equipment Purchases – Provide more information (e.g., breakdown/itemize quantity and cost per item) for “Safety Equipment” in ‘Note’ section and explain need. Equipment Purchases – Cost appears high for “Laptop Computers”, provide more information in ‘Note’ section and explain need. 	

Education & Safety - ISDRA Safety	G11-01-09-S01
Project Description	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No comment. 	
Project Cost Estimate	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff – “Other-Logistics Staff” - Positions appear duplicative in three line items with same description. Provide additional information. • Others – “Training” - Provide more information for both line items relative to the breakdown of costs (e.g., how many staff will be trained, cost per staff, etc.). 	
Evaluation Criteria	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #2 – Applicant must verify response. • #4 – Explain how each partner organization will directly participate in the project. 	