

**CALIFORNIA STATE PARKS OHMVR DIVISION SITE VISIT REPORT
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1. **Grantee:** USFS Mendocino NF PD
2. **Date(s) of Visit(s):** 11/16/2016 **Grant Amount:** \$147,260.00
3. **Project Number:** G15-02-36-L1 **Grant Cycle:** 15/16
4. **Project Performance Period(original): From:** 10/01/2016 **To:** 09/30/2017
5. **Participants:**

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6. Jurisdiction:

Within the congressional boundary of the Mendocino National Forest are approximately 914,000 acres of National Forest system lands. The Law Enforcement Plan provides patrol coverage for public safety and protection for wildlife, soils and habitat while sustaining OHV recreation opportunities on 241 miles of motorcycle, ATV and 4-Wheel Drive routes. In addition to the designated OHV routes, there are 1,619 miles of roughly graded roads and 10 acres of open riding area legally accessible to OHVs within the Forest's 914,000 acres. These routes are complemented by six highly developed designated OHV staging areas, encompassing those portions of the counties of Tehama, Glenn, Colusa, Lake and Mendocino within the congressional boundary of the Mendocino National Forest.

Some of the specific and primary patrol areas for the Mendocino Forest USFS Law Enforcement Officers are Davis Flats OHV area, Fouts OHV area, Cedar Camp, Wolf Creek OHV area, Penney Pines, Middle Creek Campground, and Fast Springs Campground.

7. Primary Patrol Areas:

Patrol Areas	Sensitive Areas	Notes
Davis Flats OHV Area	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Fouts OHV Area	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Wolf Creek OHV Area	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Cedar Camp	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Penny Pines	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Middle Creeks Campground	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Yuki Wilderness Area	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Protected Wilderness
Yolla Bolly Wilderness Area	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Protected Wilderness
Snow Mountain Wilderness	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Protected Wilderness

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8. Facilities/Inspected Areas: With Grantee: YES NO

The grantee met with California State Parks OHMVR Division staff in the USFS Office, then grantee and OHMVR Division staff toured areas of the Mendocino National Forest related where OHV grant funds are utilized.

9. Equipment Inspected:

9a. Any Equipment Needed? YES NO

ITEM(S)	#	Condition	Stickers Displayed
ROV	1	Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bad <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Motorcycle	7	Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bad <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Enclosed Trailer	1	Good <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Bad <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Body Camera	1	Good <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Bad <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Dash Camera	1	Good <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Bad <input type="checkbox"/>	YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
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10. General Overview:

TOPIC	YES	NO	BRIEF EXPLANATION: (If Necessary)
Is Grantee in Good Standing?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Is the Grantee responsive to OHMVR Division staff?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Is the amount of grant funds being received appropriate?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Is the Grantee's interaction with OHMVR Division staff positive?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	The Grantee is very positive, forthcoming, and informative when interacting with OHMVR staff.
Is the Grantee cooperating with allied agencies?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	The Grantee regularly works with and cooperates with allied agencies. These agencies include Colusa County Sheriff's Office, Glenn County Sheriff's Office, Lake County Sheriff's Office, and the CA Department of Fish and Game.
Is the Grantee cooperating with local user groups?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	The Grantee cooperates with a multitude of local user groups for special events. These groups include the Oakland Riders, the Valley Climbers, and the Ramblers. These events include The Jack Hammer event, Enduro Events, and Dual Sport events.

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Does the Grantee have the appropriate number of LE staff?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Currently the Grantee has 1 supervisor, 5 Law Enforcement Officers (LEO's), and 4 Forest Protection Officers (FPO's).
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Does the Grantee have the appropriate number of LE supervisory staff?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Does the Grantee have the appropriate safety gear?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	The Grantee is in the process of purchasing new safety gear with grant funds from this grant cycle.
Does the Grantee do outreach to the local community?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Does the Grantee partner with other agencies for special event coverage?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	The Grantee partners with local Sheriffs Offices for coverage of special OHV events as well as busy weekend and holiday patrols.
Is the Grantee maintaining statistics (e.g., citations, public contacts, etc.)?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	The Grantee keeps records of all their enforcement, medical, and public safety contacts and incidents.
Does the Grantee's staff need additional training?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Some of the Grantees Law Enforcement Officers need the OHMVR Law Enforcement and Sound Testing courses.
Is the project progressing on schedule?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Are the goals attainable this grant period?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Is the Grantee on schedule to use the whole grant award?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Additional Notes:

The Grantee is currently scheduled to purchase a side by side OHV patrol vehicle (ROV) with a 1000 cc engine utilizing grant funding, they also intend to request grant funding for an additional ROV in the next grant cycle. Some of the primary issues and incidents that the USFS LEO's deal with in the OHV areas are Speeding, noise complaints, OHV accidents, and lost and overdue riders. During hunting season the USFS LEO's also deal with incursions by hunters on OHV's into wilderness and Archeological site areas. On each OHV patrol shift by USFS LEO's OHV enthusiasts are contacted and

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assisted with issues and educated on regulations and safety. The Grantee was given 5 DMV Exempt stickers for their OHV patrol vehicles.

Law Enforcement Staff: N. Gow, S. Struckman

Grants Staff: L. Fernandes

Law Enforcement Supervisor: K. Baker

Grants Manager: SJ Fernandez

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Law Enforcement Body Cam.

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Law Enforcement vehicle Dash Cam

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Enclosed trailer and Polaris Razor 800 RTV (OHV Funds at Work stickers displayed, but not visible in this image).