

Mendocino Coast Recreation and Parks District

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.

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.

For proposed projects requesting grant funding for snow and/or winter activities. Applicants must ensure the activities and/or equipment requested are not and/or cannot be funded by the OHMVR Division Winter Program (commonly referred to as the Snow Grooming Program).

For proposed projects requesting grant funding for the maintenance of roads and/or trails, note that only roads and/or trails that allow "green sticker" off-highway vehicles are allowed to receive grant funding.

Applicants are reminded that no grant funds and/or match can be expended or project activities conducted in any land owned or managed by the California Department of Parks and Recreation.

General Evaluation Criteria

- #11a – In order to receive credit for the selection made, the applicant must provide free literature describing safe and responsible OHV recreational practices to the visitors.
- #11b – In order to receive credit for the selection made, the applicant must provide onsite formal programs, educational talks, school field trips, etc... to the public on safe and responsible OHV recreational practices.
- #11c – Narrative does not support the training is currently being offer to the public 4-17 times per year.
- #12a&b – Applicant must verify responses.
- Narrative does not support the applicant has engaged in collaborative processes with agencies to manage OHV Opportunities or established an OHV Commission or stakeholder group dedicated to sustaining OHV Recreation.

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| Restoration | G14-07-12-R01 |
| Project Description | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A - Applicant must explain if this is a two-phase project. . • A - The Habitat Management Plan and the Soil Conservation Plan may not be required for Restoration projects. Applicant to address how they are related to the project. • A - If this is a two-phase project, applicant must state if the fence installation is proposed to be done prior to CEQA. | |
| Project Cost Estimate | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff – “Project Director”, the duties listed are considered indirect. Applicant must move the costs to the Indirect category. • Staff – “Tractor Operator”, the duties identified appear unrelated to the project. Applicant must provide additional details. • Staff – “Outreach Volunteer”, the duties listed are considered indirect. Applicant must move the costs to the Indirect category. • Staff – “Prepare HMP and Soil Conservation”, the activities identified may not eligible under a Restoration. Applicant must provide additional details. • Materials/Supplies – “Signs”, the need for the second sign (at CV Starr Center) appears unrelated to the project. | |
| Evaluation Criteria | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #2 – “Threatened and Endangered (T&E) species” was not identified in the narrative. Based on applicant’s selection, at least three T&E species must be identified in the narrative. • #2 – “Other special-status species”, based on applicant’s selection, three special-status species must be identified in the narrative. • #7 – Narrative does not support the selected items. Applicant must identify where the public meeting was held and how the public was notified. The stakeholder’s meeting is not eligible for points as the meeting took place after the preliminary due date. | |