

## USFS – Mendocino National Forest

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.

### General Evaluation Criteria

- #2 – Applicant must verify response.
- #3 a&b – Applicant must verify response.
- #4 – Applicant must verify response and provide a cost of their OHV program for the most recent complete fiscal year.
- #5 – Applicant must verify response.
- #8b – Must cite date of reference document(s).
- #11d – It is unclear if ASI or Motorcycle Safety Foundation training is currently being provided to the public "4-7 times per year".
- #12a&b – Applicant must verify responses.

Ground Operations – Mendocino NF	G13-02-10-G01
<b>Project Description</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No comment.</li> </ul>	
<b>Project Cost Estimate</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No comment.</li> </ul>	
<b>Evaluation Criteria</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• #4 – Applicant must provide the following information: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date(s) of meeting(s) and indicate if stakeholder meeting(s) is different date than publicly noticed meeting(s).</li> <li>• How the public/stakeholders meeting(s) were notified and where the meeting(s) were held.</li> <li>• Names of the stakeholders and how they are stakeholders.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• #5 – Applicant must identify the specific project related activities and events the Blue Ribbon Coalition, District 36 AMA will perform.</li> <li>• #5 – Applicant must list the specific project activities separately for each partner organization.</li> <li>• #6 – Explanation does not support the checked item “Providing an alternative to wet crossings...”.</li> </ul>	

Restoration – Grindstone Trail 1	G13-02-10-R01
<b>Project Description</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No comment.</li> </ul>	
<b>Project Cost Estimate</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Staff - Applicant must provide detailed information of duties being performed for each separate line item in this category.</li> </ul>	
<b>Evaluation Criteria</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• #3 – Applicant must provide a reference document date.</li> <li>• #5 – Applicant must provide a reference document date.</li> <li>• #8 – Narrative does not support the selection; applicant must list each partner organization(s) separately and provide a detailed explanation for how each partner(s) will participate in the project.</li> <li>• #10 – Applicant has not resolved the underlying problem prior to this application.</li> </ul>	

Education and Safety – Mendocino	G13-02-10-S01
<b>Project Description</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No comment.</li> </ul>	
<b>Project Cost Estimate</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Others – Training – Applicant must provide additional details regarding who is taking this course.</li> <li>• Others – Forest Protection Officer/Voluntee (first line item) – Applicant must provide additional details regarding this line item. What is this training for? ATV and First Aid training are already listed.</li> </ul>	
<b>Evaluation Criteria</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• #2 – Applicant must provide grant project numbers. Applicant must verify response.</li> <li>• #4 – Narrative does not support response. Applicant must provide additional detailed explanation as to how each partner will participate in this project.</li> <li>• #6 – Applicant must provide the following information: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Date(s) of meeting(s) and indicate if stakeholder meeting(s) is different date than publicly noticed meeting(s).</li> <li>• How the public/stakeholders meeting(s) were notified and where the meeting(s) were held.</li> <li>• Names of the stakeholders and how they are stakeholders.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• #8 – Narrative does not support advertising of message or interpretive talks, rides, events selections.</li> <li>• #9 – Project does not support response; 1,000 – 10,000 is appropriate.</li> <li>• #10 – Project supports an average of 5 minutes to an hour</li> </ul>	