

Butte County – Department of Public Works

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

- #1c – Must cite date of reference document that supports the responses in 1a and 1b.
- #2 – Applicant must verify response.
- #3a&b – Applicant must verify response.
- #4 – Applicant must verify response and provide the cost of the Land Manger's OHV Program based on the most recent complete fiscal year.
- #5 – Applicant must verify response.
- #7b – It is unclear if the majority of OHV areas are patrolled "At least 5 days per week".
- #7c – Narrative does not address "Education programs, maps and/or brochures provided to the public addresses OHV trespass, including respect for private property".
- #11a – It is unclear if the bulletin boards and signs at the trailheads provide information concerning safe and responsible OHV recreation.
- #11c – Applicant must reference current daily patrols. Narrative references 2011/2012 patrols.
- #12a&b – Applicant must verify responses.

Ground Operations	G13-03-86-G01
Project Description	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A – Restoration activities (“...used to prevent OHV access to undesignated routes.”) are not eligible. Applicant must adjust Project Description and Project Cost Estimate appropriately. 	
Project Cost Estimate	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff – “CCC Crew” – Only actual costs are eligible (the difference between actual costs and contracted rate may not be claimed). Applicant must adjust this line item for actual costs only. • Materials / Supplies – “Janitorial” – Applicant must provide more detail about this line item. • Materials / Supplies – “Tools” – Applicant must provide more detail about this line item. • Equipment Use Expenses – The two “County pickups” line items appear to be duplicates. Applicant must provide more detail about these line items. 	
Evaluation Criteria	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #3 – “Maintaining multi use...” and “Providing varied levels...” are not supported in the Project Description. • #4 – Applicant must provide the following information: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date(s) of meeting(s) and indicate if stakeholder meeting(s) is different date than publicly noticed meeting(s). • How the public/stakeholders meeting(s) were notified and where the meeting(s) were held. • Names of the stakeholders and how they are stakeholders. • #5 – Applicant must list the specific project activities separately for each partner organization. • #6 – Explanation does not support the checked item “Protecting water quality”. 	