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Dear Sirs and Madams,

We are writing this letter in support of the San Bernardino County Sheriff's Department/Victor Valley grant request for funding to purchase additional equipment and to increase education and patrolling by the Off Road Enforcement Team. Non-compliant OHV use on Juniper Flats and in Arrastre Canyon has resulted in proliferation of illegal trespass routes and hillclimbs on private lands adjoining BLM. Illegal riders have become increasingly belligerent and threatening when advised of trespass. This funding is necessary to provide safety for residents as well as to help protect property.

Round Mountain Property Owners Association (RMPOA) is a coalition of residents and property owners in the region between Apple Valley and the San Bernardino National Forest. Our properties are admixed with Limited Use BLM lands intended to provide multiple-use recreational opportunities for the Victor Valley. The Juniper Sub-region includes an OHV open route network defined by WEMO and an ACEC created for protection of cultural resources.

We appreciate that you are currently monitoring this region.

Sincerely,

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Designated Representative