

Southern California Mountains Foundation

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.

Please note: 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.

General Evaluation Criteria

- #2 – Applicant must verify response.
- #3a&b – Applicant must verify response.
- #4 – Applicant must verify response.
- #5 – Applicant must verify response.
- #8b – Narrative does not support “50 or more times per year”. Only onsite education efforts are eligible for credit. The MSF and ASI training programs are not eligible in this question. Credit for these trainings is given in question 8d.
- #8d – It is unclear based on the Applicant’s other projects if MSF and ASI trainings are offered to the public.
- #9 – Applicant must verify response.
- #14 – The narrative does not support “Has established an OHV Commission or stakeholder group...”.

Restoration - Cleghorn Unauthorized Route	G12-04-02-R01
Project Description	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A – Applicant must provide more detail how funding “to support staffing for greenhouse care” is directly related to the project. 	
Project Cost Estimate	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff – “Other-Restoration Project Coordinator” appears excessive. The ‘Note’ listed with this line item does not appear to be related to this staff position. Applicant must provide the activities this staff will perform that are directly related 	

- to the project.
- Staff – “Other-Volunteers” – Applicant must provide the activities this staff will perform that are directly related to the project.
- Materials / Supplies – “Signs” – Applicant must provide more detail about the “2 large kiosks to install”.
- Equipment Use Expenses – “Other-Mileage reimbursement” – Applicant must identify the number and type(s) of vehicle(s) included in this line item.

Evaluation Criteria

- #2 – Narrative does not support “Domestic water supply”.
- #2 – “Sensitive areas” – Applicant must enter the number of sensitive areas.
- #8 – Narrative does not support response. Applicant must provide detail how the Disney Wildlife Conservation Fund is directly related to the project.
- #10 – Narrative does not support the response.

Education & Safety	G12-04-02-S01
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Project Description

- No comment.

Project Cost Estimate

- Staff – “Other-Volunteer Match Hours” – Applicant must verify that all hours are OHV Education related.
- Materials / Supplies – “Other-Office supplies” is an indirect cost. Applicant must adjust cost estimate accordingly.
- Materials / Supplies – “Signs” – Applicant must provide additional information.
- Materials / Supplies – “Other-Dealer liaison program supplies” – Applicant must explain how this line item directly relates to the project.
- Equipment Use Expenses – “Other-Mileage reimbursement” – Applicant must verify the rate as it conflicts with ‘Notes’.

Evaluation Criteria

- #2 – Applicant must verify response.
- #6 – Narrative does not support “Publicly noticed meeting(s)...” and “Meeting(s) with stakeholders”. Applicant must provide information regarding the publicly noticed meeting and if it was actually publicly noticed. Additionally, the applicant must identify the stakeholders.
- #7 – Narrative does not support response. Selections do not appear to be for this specific project.
- #9 – Narrative does not support response.
- #10 – Narrative does not support “Hands on learning” or “Formal class setting”. These are only related to the volunteer program.
- #11 – ATV Safety Institute and/or Motorcycle Safety Foundation training for the public is not supported by either the Project Description or the Cost Estimate.