

USFS Los Padres

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 to verify response.
- #4 – Applicant to verify response.
- #5 – Applicant to verify response.
- #9 - Applicant to verify response.
- #14 – The narrative does not support “Has established an OHV Commission or stakeholder group...”.

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| Ground Operations | G11-02-09-G01 |
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Project Description

- No comment.

Project Cost Estimate

- Staff – Program Manager – This is an Indirect Cost.
- Staff – Specialist Support – The costs for minor travel are unclear.
- Staff – SLRD OHV/Rec Specialist – The costs for minor travel are unclear. Costs for the District OHV Manager, dozer operator and swamper, OHV Rec Techs, etc., need to be listed separately. The District OHV Manager appears to be an Indirect Cost.
- Staff – Mt. Pinos OHV/Rec Specialist – The costs for minor travel are unclear. Costs for the District OHV Manager, dozer operator and swamper, trail crew, OHV Rec Techs, etc., need to be listed separately. The District OHV Manager appears to be an Indirect Cost.

- Staff – Santa Lucia-Trail Hand Crew – Applicant needs to provide further detail on this item and why food is included.
- Staff – Forest Road Contract – No costs are identified. If item is unnecessary it should be deleted.
- Equipment Use Cost – Santa Lucia Vehicle Support - Need to list each vehicle and associated costs. Law Enforcement Patrol rigs are not eligible under this project type.
- Equipment Use Cost – Mt Pinos Vehicle Support - Need to list each vehicle and associated costs. Law Enforcement Patrol rigs are not eligible under this project type.
- Equipment Use Cost – Equipment Maintenance and Repair – This item appears to duplicate the Santa Lucia and Mt Pinos Vehicle Support items.
- Equipment Use Cost – Ojai Vehicle Support - Need to list each vehicle and associated costs. Law Enforcement Patrol rigs are not eligible under this project type.

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| Evaluation Criteria | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #8 – The narrative does not support a “Yes” response. | |

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| Planning – SLRD - Planning | G11-02-09-G01 |
| Project Description | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No comment. | |
| Project Cost Estimate | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff – “District Ranger” is an Indirect Cost. | |
| Evaluation Criteria | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #2 – Narrative appears to conflict with project description which does not support the checked items. • #4 – Identify stakeholders. • #6 – Explain how the partner organizations will participate in the project. • #7 – Narrative does not support checked items: “Project will complete environmental review...”, “Project supports development of OHV Opportunities adjacent...”, and “Project supports development of OHV Opportunities in areas that lack legal...”. • #8 – Narrative and reference document do not support response. • #9 – Narrative does not support response. • #10 – Narrative does not support response. | |