

2026 (G26) Grants and Cooperative Agreements Program Butte County Sheriff's Search and Rescue, Inc.'s Preliminary Application Comments

Comments submitted by the Department of Parks and Recreation (Department) 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.

Failure by the Applicant to respond to any OHMVR Division comment of their preliminary Application may be cause for eliminating that item from the Applicant's final Application.

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).

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/Heavy Equipment/Trailer requested are not and/or cannot be funded by the Department's 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.

Applicants are reminded that no Grant funds and/or match can be expended, or Project activities conducted in any land owned or managed by the Department except as allowed in the Grants and Cooperative Agreements Program regulations section 4970.09 (b)(11).

Education and Safety: G26-04-30-S01

Project Description – Background

- No comment.

Project Description – Project Description

- No comment.

Project Description – List of Project Deliverables

- No comment.

Project Description – All Others

- Project Deliverables do not include “Field trainings” or “Classroom training”. Applicant must remove this language from the section.

Project Cost Estimate

- Materials / Supplies #2 & 3 – Applicant shall clarify the number of staff members requiring helmets.
- Materials #3 “Offroad DOT helmets” – Cost appears excessive, Applicant must provide additional details to justify the cost.
- Others #1 “Haulmark 8.5x30' Enclosed Trailer” – Cost appears excessive. Applicant must provide additional details to justify the cost. In addition, Applicant must clarify the percent the trailer will be used on OHV search and rescue missions and adjust line-item cost based on the percentage of OHV use.