**Placer County Sheriff's Office**

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.

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 may 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/Heavy Equipment 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)(10).

**Law Enforcement – Auburn G23-03-72-L01**

***Needs Assessment***

* No comment.

***Project Certification***

* #5 – Applicant indicates it will not implement a public education program that includes information on safety programs available in the area and how to report OHV violations. Applicant must substantiate why they are unable to implement a public education program.

***Project Cost Estimate***

* Staff – All line items – Applicant must provide OHV duty descriptors showing how duties relate to OHV enforcement.
* Staff #3 “Deputy training time” – Except for new personnel, perishable skills training is considered an indirect expense. Applicant must identify the number of new personnel and adjust the line item accordingly. In addition, Applicant must clarify why the hourly training rate ($123.21) for this line item is higher than Staff #1 “Deputy Patrol Overtime” ($104.44).
* Staff #4 “Sergeant Training Time” – Instructor time for training is considered an indirect expense as it does not directly relate to the completion of the Project. Applicant must move the verbiage for this item and the cost associated with it to the Indirect Cost category.
* Materials / Supplies #1, 2, & 10 – Line items are considered indirect as they do not directly relate to the completion of the Project. Applicant must move these line items to Indirect Cost category.
* Materials / Supplies #11 “Wheels and tires for ROVs” – Applicant is reminded Equipment only purchased through the Grants Program is eligible for regular maintenance expenses. Applicant must clarify if Equipment requiring regular maintenance was acquired through the Grants Program. In addition, backup wheels/tires are considered an indirect expense as they do not directly relate to the completion of the Project. Applicant must move the verbiage for these items and the cost associated with them to the Indirect Cost category.

**Law Enforcement – Tahoe G23-03-72-L02**

***Needs Assessment***

* No comment.

***Project Certification***

* No comment.

***Project Cost Estimate***

* Staff #4 “Sergeant Training Overtime” – Instructor time for training is considered an indirect expense as it does not directly relate to the completion of the Project. Applicant must move the verbiage for this item and the cost associated with it to the Indirect Cost category.
* Equipment Use Expenses #10 “Tires for 2017 Jeep” – Spare tires are considered an indirect expense as they do not directly relate to the completion of the Project. Applicant must move the verbiage for these items and the cost associated with them to the Indirect Cost category.
* Equipment Purchases #1 “Front Suspension Gusset Kit” – Rear storage box, lockable storage box, rear storage bags, and upper storage bags are considered an indirect expense as they do not directly relate to the completion of the Project. Applicant must move the verbiage for these items and the cost associated with them to the Indirect Cost category. In addition, Applicant must move this line item to Others category.