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NOTICE OF MEETING
of
THE ARIZONA OUTDOOR RECREATION COORDINATING COMMISSION
of
THE ARIZONA STATE PARKS AND TRAILS

Pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.02 and A.R.S. § 41-511.25 notice is hereby given to members of the Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (“AORCC” or “Commission”) and the public that AORCC will hold a meeting on April 12, 2023 beginning at 10:00AM). **AORCC members may attend the meeting in person or participate telephonically. The public may attend and listen to the meeting at the Arizona State Parks Trails office located at 1110 W Washington, Suite 100, Phoenix, AZ 85007. Members of the public may also listen/view the meeting via telephone by calling +1(414) 909-6849 and entering the passcode 279 409 740# or via Google Meet: (<https://meet.google.com/qrg-prri-ckk>)**

In person or telephonic public comment will be taken. If choosing to speak in person, the speaker will be asked to complete a form which will be made available at the Arizona State Parks and Trails office on the meeting day and submit to staff. If choosing to speak via telephone, persons who wish to make statements to AORCC will be asked to identify themselves each time they are speaking. Please ensure phones are muted when not speaking.

This meeting is open to the public; however, the Commission may elect to hold an Executive Session for any agenda items at any time during the meeting to discuss or consult with its legal counsel for legal advice on matters listed on this agenda pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.03(A)(3). Items on the agenda may be discussed out of order unless they have been specifically noted to be set for a certain time. Public comment will be taken.

AGENDA
(The Chair reserves the right to set the order of the agenda.)

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

C. MEMBER ROLL CALL

D. AGENDA ITEMS

- 1. Consideration of Action to Approve Minutes of the February 8, 2023, AORCC Meeting –** The Commission will review and may consider action to approve the AORCC meeting minutes from **February 8, 2023.**
- 2. The Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC) Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, Or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2023 Motorized Grant Application(s). (Presenter: Matt Eberhart, Off-Highway Vehicle Coordinator)** The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$1,712,855.00.

2023 Motorized Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff/Off-Highway Vehicle Advisory Group (OHVAG) Recommendation	Score

BLM: Lake Havasu Field Office	OHV Program Development	\$117,000.00	\$117,000.00	39
Havasu Side by Side Trail Association	Trail Maintenance	\$13,000.00	\$13,000.00	22
Natural Restorations	OHV Area Cleanups	\$288,327.00	\$288,327.00	21
Bullhead City	Trailhead Development	\$1,294,528.00	\$1,294,528.00	18
TOTAL		\$1,712,855.00	\$1,712,855.00	

- 3. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2023 Off-Highway Vehicle Supplemental Grant Application(s). (Presenter: Matt Eberhart, Off-Highway Vehicle Coordinator)**
The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$247,500.00.

2023 Supplemental Motorized Grant Application(s)			
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff/OHVAG Recommendation
Apache Sitgreaves National Forest: Alpine Ranger District	Snow Patrol Enforcement	\$68,000.00	\$68,000.00
Patagonia Lake State Park	OHV LE Equipment	\$80,600.00	\$80,600.00
Tonto National Forest: Globe Ranger District	OHV Patrollers	\$98,900.00	\$98,900.00
TOTAL		\$247,500.00	\$247,500.00

- 4. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding an Amendment to The Budget for the Trail Riders of Southern Arizona Red Spring Trail Improvements. (Presenter: Matt Eberhart, Off-Highway Vehicle Coordinator)** AORCC will review and may provide recommendation(s) on the following proposal to increase the previously approved grant award amount due to increased expenses.

Amendment Request(s)				
Project/Sponsor	Original Award	Amended Increase Request	New Award	Staff/OHVAG Recommendation
Trail Riders of Southern Arizona Amendment Request	\$9,025.00	\$2,500.00	\$11,525.00	\$11,525.00

- 5. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2023 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Trails Grant Application(s). (Presenter: Jeff Schmidt, Program Manager)** The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$100,000.00.

2023 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Trails Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff/Arizona State Committee on Trails (ASCOT) Recommendation	Score
City of Yuma	West Wetlands Playground Trail	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00	19
Pascua Yaqui Tribe	Ewame Voo'o Cultural Trail	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00	11
TOTAL		\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00	

6. **AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2023 Recreational Trails Program (RTP) Non-Motorized Trails Grant Application(s).** (Presenter: Jeff Schmidt, Program Manager) The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$200,000.00.

2023 Recreational Trails Program Non-Motorized Trails Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff/ASCOT Recommendations	Score
City of Yuma	East Mesa Park Loop Trail	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00	15
Pascua Yaqui Tribe	Ewame Voo'o Cultural Trail	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00	11
TOTAL		\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	

7. **AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2023 Recreational Trails Program (RTP) Trail Maintenance Grant Application(s).** (Presenter: Jeff Schmidt, Program Manager) The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$48,000.00.

2023 Recreational Trails Program (RTP) Trail Maintenance Grant Application(s)			
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff/ASCOT Recommendation
Pine/Strawberry Fuel Reduction Inc.	Pine/Strawberry Trail System Maintenance	\$48,000.00	\$48,000.00
TOTAL		\$48,000.00	\$48,000.00

8. **AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2023 State Lake Improvement Fund Grant Application(s).** (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails) The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$1,070,000.00.

2023 State Lake Improvement Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
Mohave County	Mohave County Sheriff's Office LE Equipment	\$800,000.00	\$800,000.00	83.5
Coconino County	Coconino County Sheriff's Office LE Equipment	\$270,000.00	\$270,000.00	66.5
TOTAL		\$1,070,000.00	\$1,070,000.00	

9. **AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2023 Heritage Fund Local, Regional and State Park (LRSP) Grant Application(s).** (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails) The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$150,049.00.

2023 Heritage Fund Local, Regional and State Parks Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
City of Somerton	Perricone Park Upgrades	\$150,049.00	\$150,049.00	80.25
TOTAL		\$150,049.00	\$150,049.00	

10. **AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2023 Heritage Fund Environmental**

Education Grant Application(s). (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails) The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$50,845.00.

2023 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
K-12 Foundation For LHUSD	Kids On the Colorado River	\$42,050.00	\$42,050.00	84.4
Yavapai Trails Association	Yavapai Youth Trail Challenge	\$5,025.00	\$5,025.00	88.75
Wickenburg Cultural and Conservation Foundation	Community Clean and Beautiful	\$3,770.00	\$3,770.00	83.75
TOTAL		\$50,845.00	\$50,845.00	

11. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2023 Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) Grant Application(s). (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails) The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$1,150,000.00.

2023 Land and Water Conservation Fund Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
City of Yuma	East Mesa Park Phase 1 Expansion	\$1,000,000.00	\$1,000,000.00	69.8
Arizona State Parks and Trails	2025 Trails Plan	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00	60.3
TOTAL		\$1,150,000.00	\$1,150,000.00	

12. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2023 Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) Outdoor Recreation Legacy Program (ORLP) Grant Application(s). (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails) The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$5,143,413.00.

2023 LWCF Outdoor Recreation Legacy Program Application(s)			
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation
City of Tucson	Jacobs Park Revitalization and Expansion	\$2,995,448.00	\$2,995,448.00
City of Yuma	Carver Park Revitalization	\$2,147,965.00	\$2,147,965.00
TOTAL		\$5,143,413.00	\$5,143,413.00

13. Emergency and Mitigation Supplemental Grant Application Update. (Presenter: Matthew Eberhart, State Off-Highway Vehicle Coordinator)

Members will be updated on the Arizona Elk Society Emergency and Mitigation project for the Mogollon Rim Meadow Fencing Project. This agenda item is for information only.

E. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

AORCC members may identify items or issues they wish to be considered for inclusion on a future agenda.

F. CURRENT EVENTS

AORCC members may present a summary of current events and /or recent experiences of interest to the outdoor recreation community and/or the status of any projects with which they may be involved. AORCC will not discuss or take any action on any current event summary.

G. CALL TO THE PUBLIC

The Chair will recognize those wishing to address the Commission. It is probable that each presentation will be limited to one person per organization and the time allotted by the Chair. Action taken because of acknowledgement of comments and suggestions from the public will be limited to directing staff to study the matter, responding to any criticism, or scheduling the matter for further consideration and decision at a later date.

H. FUTURE MEETING DATES

Arizona State Parks and Trails 2023 AORCC Meeting Schedule	
Date	Location
Wednesday, May 10, 2023	Central Office
Wednesday, June 14, 2023	Central Office

I. ADJOURNMENT

A copy of this agenda and any background material provided to AORCC Members is available for public inspection at Arizona State Parks & Trails, 1110 W Washington Ave, Suite 100., Phoenix, Arizona 85007. For additional information, contact Mickey Rogers at (602) 542-6942. Pursuant to Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), Arizona State Parks & Trails does not discriminate based on a disability regarding admission to public meetings. Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation, such as a sign language interpreter, by contacting the ADA Coordinator Thomas Beranek at (602) 542-7389; or email tberanek@azstateparks.gov. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation. For technical difficulties during the teleconference meeting, please contact Mickey Rogers at 602-542-6942 or via email mrogers@azstateparks.gov.

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DRAFT MINUTES
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THE ARIZONA OUTDOOR RECREATION COORDINATING COMMISSION
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FEBRUARY 8, 2023

Meeting Location: Arizona State Parks Office, 1110 W Washington, Suite 100, Phoenix, AZ 85007.

Call in Number: 1-803-956-0923, Pin Number 551 409 410#

Google Meet Link: meet.google.com/tyx-doaw-xis

A. CALL TO ORDER

Tiffany Broberg, Chair of the Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission called the meeting to order at 10:00am.

B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Tiffany Broberg led the Commission in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

C. MEMBER ROLL CALL

Members Present: *Tiffany Broberg (Virtual), Joe Baynes (Virtual), Bob Broscheid (Virtual), Ty Gray (Virtual), John Sefton (Virtual), Kent Taylor (Virtual).*

Staff Present: *Sarah Webber (In-Person), Mark Weise (In-Person), Mickey Rogers (In-Person), Jeff Schmidt (In-Person).*

D. AGENDA ITEMS

1. Consideration of Action to Approve Minutes of the December 7, 2022, AORCC Meeting

Joe Baynes moved to approve minutes of the December 7, 2022 AORCC Meeting. Kent Taylor seconded the motion. Joe Baynes approved. Tiffany Broberg approved. Bob Broscheid approved. Ty Gray approved. John Sefton approved. Kent Taylor approved. The motion passed.

2. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2023 State Lake Improvement Fund Grant Application(s).

Kent Taylor moved that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the submitted 2023 State Lake Improvement Fund Grant Applications as follows: La Paz County; County Park Structural Repair Project in the amount of \$180,053.00, and Buckskin Fire District; Boat Launch Repair in the amount of \$215,150.00. Ty Gray seconded the motion. Joe Baynes approved. Tiffany Broberg approved. Bob Broscheid approved. Ty Gray approved. John Sefton approved. Kent Taylor approved. The motion passed.

3. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2023 Heritage Fund Local, Regional and State Park Grant Application(s).

Tiffany Broberg moved that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the submitted 2023 Heritage Local, Regional, and State Parks Grant Application as follows: City of

Show Low; City Campus Pickleball Courts Phase II in the amount of \$250,000.00. John Sefton seconded the motion. Joe Baynes approved. Tiffany Broberg approved. Bob Broscheid approved. Ty Gray approved. John Sefton approved. Kent Taylor approved. The motion passed.

4. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2023 Land and Water Conservation Fund Grant Application(s).

John Sefton moved that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the submitted 2023 Land and Water Conservation Fund Grant Applications as follows: City of Tucson; Joaquin Murrieta Park Improvements in the amount of \$958,419.00, Lake Havasu City; City Park Development in the amount of \$1,000,000.00, City of Kingman; Lewis Kingman Park Project in the amount of \$450,400.00, and City of Show Low; City Campus Pickleball Courts Phase II in the amount of \$322,050.00. Kent Taylor seconded the motion. Joe Baynes approved. Tiffany Broberg approved. Bob Broscheid approved. Ty Gray approved. John Sefton approved. Kent Taylor approved. The motion passed.

5. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2023 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Application(s).

Kent Taylor moved that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the submitted 2023 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Application as follows: Arizona Elk Society; Youth Education Program in the amount of \$50,000.00. Tiffany Broberg seconded the motion. Joe Baynes approved. Tiffany Broberg approved. Bob Broscheid approved. Ty Gray approved. John Sefton approved. Kent Taylor approved. The motion passed.

6. Pinal County' Peralta Regional Park Presentation.

Kent Taylor, Pinal County Director of Open Space and Trails provided members with an update on Peralta Regional Park. This agenda item was for information only.

E. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

No future agenda items were identified.

F. CURRENT EVENTS

Bob Broscheid discussed the recent audit of Arizona State Parks, and AORCC. Joe Baynes discussed working with Arizona State Land Department to continue developing Granite Dells and Glassford Hills for outdoor recreation.

G. CALL TO THE PUBLIC

No members of the public requested to speak.

H. FUTURE MEETING DATES

Staff and members discussed potential future meeting dates. The next AORCC meeting is scheduled for April 12, 2023.

I. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 10:49am.



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Bob Broscheid
Executive Director



Date: April 12, 2023

To: Tiffany Broberg, Chair, Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission

From: Bob Broscheid, Executive Director, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Subject: 2023 Motorized Grant Application(s)

Background:

The Off-Highway Vehicle Recreation Fund provides grant funding for Competitive and Supplemental Grant Applications. Competitive projects can include planning and development of motorized trails, trailhead facilities, signage, education, outreach, and other OHV related needs. These grants can be submitted any time throughout the fiscal year and are reviewed on a quarterly basis. There is currently \$2,400,000 in funding available for Competitive and Supplemental Grant Application(s).

Recommendation:

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff and OHVAG reviewed the following Competitive Off-Highway Vehicle Grant Application(s) and made recommendations based on priorities set in the Arizona State Parks and Trails 2020 State Trails Plan and project needs.

2023 Competitive Motorized Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff/OHVAG Recommendation	Score
BLM: Lake Havasu Field Office	OHV Program Development	\$117,000.00	\$117,000.00	39
Havasus Side by Side Trail Association	Trail Maintenance	\$13,000.00	\$13,000.00	22
Natural Restorations	OHV Area Cleanups	\$288,327.00	\$288,327.00	21
Bullhead City	Trailhead Development	\$1,294,528.00	\$1,294,528.00	18
TOTAL		\$1,712,855.00	\$1,712,855.00	

Recommended Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the Motorized Grant Applications as follows: BLM Lake Havasu Field Office, OHV Program Development Project in the amount of _____, Havasu Side by Side Trail Association, Trail Maintenance Project in the amount of \$_____, Natural Restorations, OHV Area Cleanups Project in the amount of \$_____, and Bullhead City, Trailhead Development Project in the amount of \$_____.

Prepared by:

Matthew Eberhart, State OHV Coordinator, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Approved:

Bob Broscheid, Executive Director



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Date: April 12, 2023

To: Tiffany Broberg, Chair, Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission
From: Bob Broscheid, Executive Director, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Subject: 2023 Supplemental Grant Application(s)

Background:

The Off-Highway Vehicle Recreation Fund provides grant funding for Competitive and Supplemental Grant Applications. Supplemental projects can include small projects, signage, emergency/mitigation, and law enforcement. These grants can be submitted any time throughout the fiscal year and are reviewed on a quarterly basis. There is currently \$2,400,000 in funding available for Competitive and Supplemental Grant Application(s).

Recommendation:

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff and OHVAG reviewed the following Supplemental Off-Highway Vehicle Grant Application(s) and made recommendations based on priorities set in the Arizona State Parks and Trails 2020 State Trails Plan and project needs.

2023 Supplemental Motorized Grant Application(s)			
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff/OHVAG Recommendation
Apache Sitgreaves National Forest: Alpine Ranger District	Snow Patrol Enforcement	\$68,000.00	\$68,000.00
Patagonia Lake State Park	OHV LE Equipment	\$80,600.00	\$80,600.00
Tonto National Forest: Globe Ranger District	OHV Patrollers	\$98,900.00	\$98,900.00
TOTAL		\$247,500.00	\$247,500.00

Recommended Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the Supplemental Grant Applications as follows; Alpine Ranger District, Snow Patrol Enforcement Project in the amount of \$_____, Patagonia Lake State Park, OHV LE Equipment Project in the amount of \$_____, and Globe Ranger District, OHV Patrollers Project in the amount of \$_____.

Prepared by:

Matthew Eberhart, State OHV Coordinator, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Approved:

Bob Broscheid, Executive Director



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Date: April 12, 2023

To: Tiffany Broberg, Chair, Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission
From: Bob Broscheid, Executive Director, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Subject: 552311 – Trail Riders of Southern Arizona, Red Springs Trail Improvements Project Amendment.

Background:

In fiscal year 2023, the Arizona State Parks Board awarded the Trail Riders of Southern Arizona (TRS) \$9,025.00 to fabricate and install information kiosks for the Red Springs Trail Staging Area. At the time of award, TRS was unaware of Project Sponsor insurance requirements and that they were a reimbursable expense under the Off-Highway Vehicle Recreation Fund. The Trail Riders of Southern Arizona are requesting a \$2,500.00 increase to their project award to cover these expenses.

Recommendation:

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff and OHVAG reviewed the request for amendment to project 552311 and have made recommendations based on project need and funding availability.

Trail Riders of Southern Arizona Amendment Request			
Original Award	Amendment Increase Request	New Award	Staff/OHVAG Recommendation
\$9,025.00	\$2,500.00	\$11,525.00	\$11,525.00

Recommended Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Park Board approve an amendment to the budget Trail Riders of Southern Arizona, Red Springs Trail Improvements Project, Number 552311 and increase the award amount from \$9,025.00 to \$11,525.00.

Prepared by:

Matthew Eberhart, State OHV Coordinator, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Approved:

Bob Broscheid, Executive Director



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Date: April 12, 2023

To: Tiffany Broberg, Chair, Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission

From: Bob Broscheid, Executive Director, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Subject: 2023 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Applications

Background:

The Heritage Fund Non-Motorized program provides grant funding for constructing and maintaining non-motorized trails and trailhead facilities. A total of \$250,000 was appropriated from the Arizona Legislature in 2022. A project sponsor may apply to up to 20% of these appropriated funds or \$50,000.00. Two project(s) have been submitted. The total funding request is \$100,000.00.

Recommendation:

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff and ASCOT reviewed the following Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Grant Applications and made recommendations based on priorities set in the Arizona State Parks and Trails 2020 State Trails Plan and project needs.

2023 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Program Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff/ASCOT	Score
City of Yuma	West Wetlands Playground Trail	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00	19
Pascua Yaqui Tribe	Ewame Voo'o Cultural Trail	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00	11
TOTAL		\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00	

Recommended Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2023 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Program Grant Application(s) as follows: City of Yuma; West Wetlands Playground Trail in the amount of \$_____, and the Pascua Yaqui Tribe; Ewame Voo'o Cultural Trail in the amount of \$_____.

Prepared by: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trail, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Approved:

Bob Broscheid, Executive Director



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Date: April 12, 2023

To: Tiffany Broberg, Chair, Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission
From: Bob Broscheid, Executive Director, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Subject: 2023 Recreational Trails Program Non-Motorized Grant Application(s)

Background:

The Recreational Trails Program provides grant funding for constructing and maintaining trails and trailhead facilities. Each fiscal year a minimum of 30% of appropriated Recreational Trails Funds, \$574,654.00 must be used for non-motorized projects. Two project(s) have been submitted. The total funding request is \$200,000.00.

Recommendation:

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff and ASCOT reviewed the following non-motorized applications and made recommendations based on priorities set in the Arizona State Parks and Trails 2020 State Trails Plan and project needs.

2023 Recreational Trails Program Non-Motorized Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff/ASCOT	Score
City of Yuma	East Mesa Park Loop Trail	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00	15
Pascua Yaqui Tribe	The PYT Ewame Voo'o Cultural Trail	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00	11
TOTAL		\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	

Recommended Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the submitted 2023 Recreational Trails Program Non-Motorized Grant Applications as follows: City of Yuma; East Mesa Park Loop Trail in the amount of \$_____, and Pascua Yaqui Tribe; Ewame Voo'o Cultural Trail in the amount of \$_____.

Prepared by: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trail, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Approved:

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Date: April 12, 2023

To: Tiffany Broberg, Chair, Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission
From: Bob Broscheid, Executive Director, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Subject: 2023 Recreational Trails Program Trail Maintenance Grants

Background:

The 2020 Arizona State Parks and Trails Plan has maintaining existing trails as its number one priority. For the past several years, Arizona State Parks and Trails has set-aside up to \$150,000 in recreational trails funding for maintenance of existing non-motorized trails.

A potential sponsor can:

- Apply for up to \$50,000 per project and if approved;
- Select from contracted crews pre-approved by Arizona State Parks and Trails to perform this work.
- Provide the 5.7% non-federal match
- Once the project is complete and work approved by the sponsor, Arizona State Parks and Trails pays the contractor directly.
- Work must be completed within one year of receiving funds

Recommendation:

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff and ASCOT reviewed the following Trail Maintenance applications and made recommendations based on priorities set in the Arizona State Parks and Trails 2020 State Trails Plan and project needs.

2023 Recreational Trails Program Trail Maintenance Grant Application(s)			
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff/ASCOT
Pine/Strawberry Fuel Reduction Inc.	Pine/Strawberry Trail System Maintenance	\$48,000.00	\$48,000.00
TOTAL		\$48,000.00	\$48,000.00

Recommended Motion: I move that AORCC recommend the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2023 Recreational Trails Program Trail Maintenance Grant Application as follows: Pine/Strawberry Fuel Reduction Inc.; Pine/Strawberry Trail System Maintenance in the amount of _____.

Prepared by: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Approved:

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Date: April 12, 2023

To: Tiffany Broberg, Chair, Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission
From: Bob Broscheid, Executive Director, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Subject: 2023 State Lake Improvement Fund Grant Applications

Background:

The State Lake Improvement Fund (SLIF) provides matching grants to assist state and local units of government to fund projects on waters where gasoline power boats are permitted. A total of \$4,000,000.00 was appropriated for the SLIF program during the 2021 Arizona State Legislative session.

A project sponsor may apply to up to 20% of these appropriated funds or \$800,000.00

Recommendation:

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff reviewed the following SLIF application(s) and made recommendations based on the Board approved State Lake Improvement Fund scoring.

2023 State Lake Improvement Fund Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
Mohave County	Mohave County Sheriff's Office LE Equipment	\$800,000.00	\$800,000.00	83.5
Coconino County	Coconino County Sheriff's Office LE Equipment	\$270,000.00	\$270,000.00	66.5
TOTAL		\$1,070,000.00	\$1,070,000.00	

Recommended Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2023 State Lake Improvement Fund grant application(s) as follows: Mohave County, Mohave County Sheriff's Office LE Equipment in the amount of \$ _____ and Coconino County, Coconino County Sheriff's Office LE Equipment in the amount of \$ _____.

Prepared by: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trail, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Approved:

Bob Broscheid, Executive Director



Katie Hobbs
Governor

ARIZONA STATE PARKS & TRAILS

Bob Broscheid
Executive Director



Date: April 12, 2023

To: Tiffany Broberg, Chair, Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission
From: Bob Broscheid, Executive Director, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Subject: 2023 Heritage Fund Local, Regional and State Park Grant Applications

Background:

The Heritage Fund Local, Regional and State Park (LRSP) funding provides matching grants for the development of public outdoor recreation facilities. A total of \$2,500,000 was appropriated for the LRSP program during the 2022 Arizona State Legislative session. All LRSP grants require a 50/50 match.

A project sponsor may apply to up to 20% of these appropriated funds or \$500,000.00

Recommendation:

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff reviewed the following LRSP application(s) and made recommendations based on the Board approved scoring criteria and funding available.

2023 Heritage Local, Regional, and State Park (LRSP) Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
City of Somerton	Perricone Park Upgrades	\$150,049.00	\$150,049.00	80.25
TOTAL		\$150,049.00	\$150,049.00	

Recommended Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2023 Heritage Fund Local, Regional and State Park Program grant application(s) as follows: City of Somerton, Perricone Park Upgrades in the amount of \$_____.

Prepared by: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trail, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Approved:

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Date: April 12, 2023

To: Tiffany Broberg, Chair, Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission
From: Bob Broscheid, Executive Director, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Subject: 2023 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Applications

Background:

The Heritage Fund Environmental Education funding provides matching funds to develop and promote outdoor environmental protection programs related to outdoor recreation. A total of \$250,000.00 was appropriated for the Environmental Education program during the 2023 Arizona State Legislative session.

A project sponsor may apply to up to 20% of these appropriated funds or \$50,000.00.

Recommendation:

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff reviewed the following Environmental Education application(s) and made recommendations based on the Board Approved Environmental Education scoring.

2023 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
K-12 Foundation for LHUSD	Kids On the Colorado River	\$42,050.00	\$42,050.00	84.4
Yavapai Trails Association	Yavapai Youth Trail Challenge	\$5,025.00	\$5,025.00	88.75
Wickenburg Cultural and Conservation Foundation	Community Clean and Beautiful	\$3,770.00	\$3,770.00	83.75
TOTAL		\$50,845.00	\$50,845.00	

Recommended Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2023 Heritage Fund Environmental Education grant application(s) as follows: K-12 Foundation for LHUSD, Kids On the Colorado River in the amount of \$_____. Yavapai Trails Association, Yavapai Youth Trail Challenge in the amount of \$_____. Wickenburg Cultural and Conservation Foundation, Community Clean and Beautiful in the amount of \$_____.

Prepared by: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trail, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Approved:

Bob Broscheid, Executive Director



Katie Hobbs
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Bob Broscheid
Executive Director



Date: April 12, 2023

To: Tiffany Broberg, Chair, Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission
From: Bob Broscheid, Executive Director, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Subject: 2023 Land and Water Conservation Fund Grant Applications

Background:

The Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) provides matching grants for acquisition and development of public outdoor recreation facilities. All LWCF funding requires a minimum 50/50 match. Once LWCF funding has been used, a project area must remain open to outdoor recreation in perpetuity creating a legacy of outdoor recreation opportunities for generations to come.

Recommendation:

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff reviewed the following Land and Water Conservation Fund application(s) and made recommendations based on the 2018-2023 State Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan and funding available.

2023 Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
City of Yuma	East Mesa Park Phase 1 Expansion	\$1,000,000.00	\$1,000,000.00	69.8
Arizona State Parks and Trails	2025 Trails Plan	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00	60.3
TOTAL		\$1,150,000.00	\$1,150,000.00	

Recommended Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2023 Land and Water Conservation Fund Grant Application(s) as follows: City of Yuma, East Mesa Park Phase 1 Expansion in the amount of \$_____ and Arizona State Parks and Trails, 2025 Trails Plan in the amount of \$_____.

Prepared by: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trail, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Approved:

Bob Broscheid, Executive Director



Katie Hobbs
Governor

ARIZONA STATE PARKS & TRAILS

Bob Broscheid
Executive Director



Date: April 12, 2023

To: Tiffany Broberg, Chair, Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission
From: Bob Broscheid, Executive Director, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Subject: 2023 Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership Program (ORLP) Grant Applications

Background:

The Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership Program (ORLP) is a nationally competitive program targeting grant assistance to help economically disadvantaged urban areas with no, or almost no access to publicly available, close by, outdoor recreation. Projects are submitted through the states to the Director of the National Park Service who selects projects based on the federal scoring criteria. These grants require a minimum 1 to 1 match, must have a population of at least 30,000 and a poverty rate within the affected community of 20%.

Recommendation:

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff reviewed the following Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership Program (ORLP) application(s) and made recommendations based on federal approved scoring criteria.

2023 Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership Program (ORLP) Grant Application(s)			
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation
City of Tucson	Jacobs Park Revitalization and Expansion	\$2,995,448.00	\$2,995,448.00
City of Yuma	Carver Park Revitalization	\$2,147,965.00	\$2,147,965.00
TOTAL		\$5,143,413.00	\$5,143,413.00

Recommended Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve submission to the National Park Service for funding consideration the Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership Program (ORLP) Application(s) as follows: City of Tucson, Jacobs Park Revitalization and Expansion in the amount of \$_____ and the City of Yuma, Carver Park Revitalization in the amount of \$_____.

Prepared by: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trail, Arizona State Parks and Trails

Approved:

Bob Broscheid, Executive Director



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Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC) April 12, 2023

Tiffany Broberg – Chair

Joseph Baynes, Bob Broscheid, Ty Gray

John Sefton, Kent Taylor

AGENDA – A

Call to Order



AGENDA – B

Pledge of Allegiance

AGENDA – C

Member Roll Call

Tiffany Broberg (Chair)

Joseph Baynes

Bob Broscheid

Ty Gray

John Sefton

Kent Taylor

AGENDA – D1

Approval of Minutes

AORCC will review and may consider action to approve the meeting minutes from February 8, 2023.

AGENDA – D1

Motion:

I move to approve minutes of the February 8th, 2023 AORCC Meeting.

AGENDA – D2

2023 Competitive Motorized Grant Application(s)

AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action on A Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, Or Deny Funding for the Submitted 2023 Competitive Motorized Grant Application(s).

– Matthew Eberhart, State OHV Coordinator

AGENDA – D2

2023 Competitive Motorized Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
Bureau of Land Management: Lake Havasu Field Office	OHV Program Development	\$117,000.00	\$117,000.00	39
Havasu Side by Side Trail Association	Trail Maintenance	\$13,000.00	\$13,000.00	22
Natural Restorations	OHV Area Cleanups	\$288,327.00	\$288,327.00	21
Bullhead City	Trailhead Development	\$1,294,528.00	\$1,294,528.00	18
TOTAL		\$1,712,855.00	\$1,712,855.00	

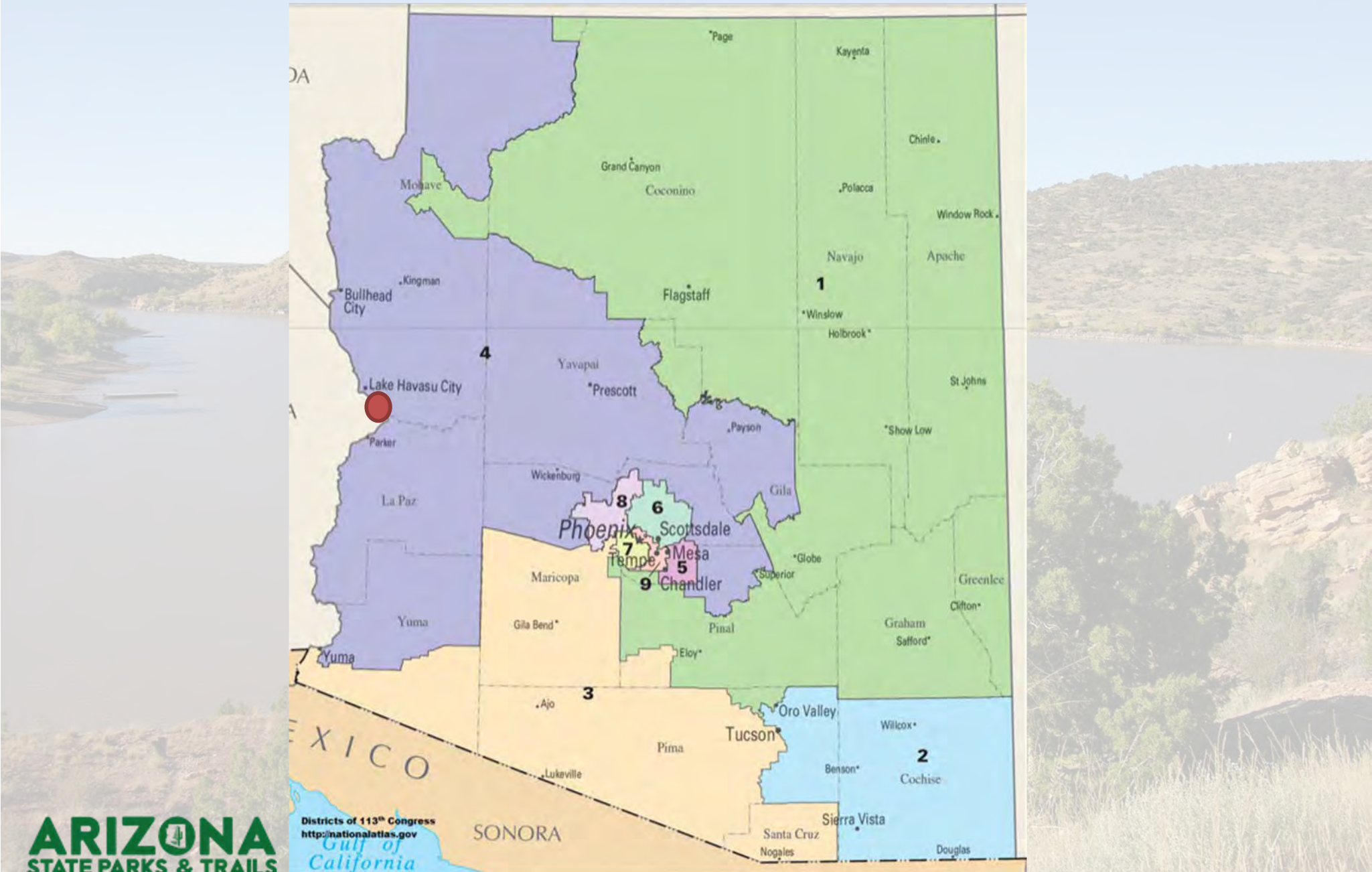
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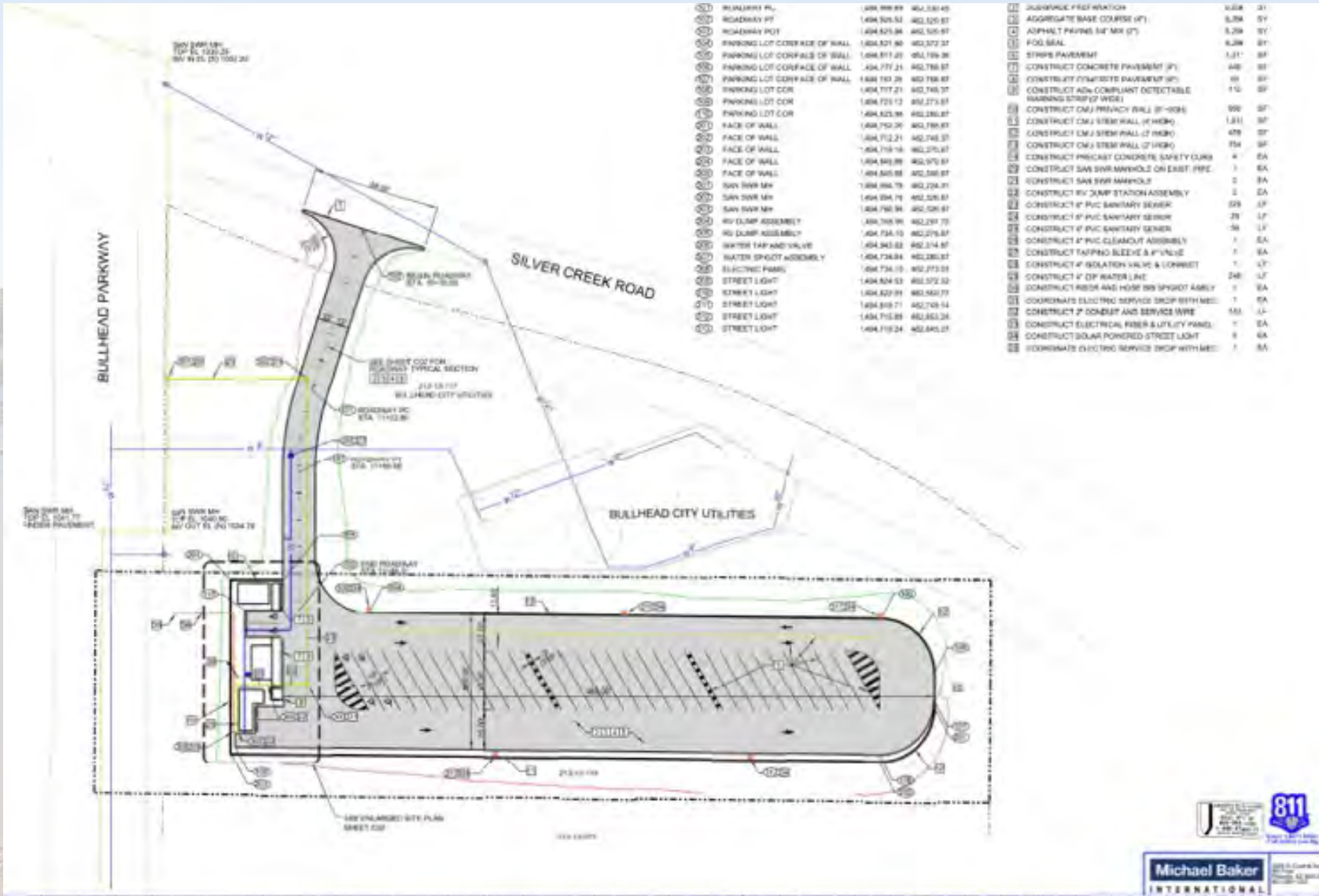
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Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the Competitive Motorized Grant Applications as follows; BLM Lake Havasu Field Office, OHV Program Development Project in the amount of _____, Havasu Side by Side Trail Association, Trail Maintenance Project in the amount of \$_____, Natural Restorations, OHV Area Cleanups Project in the amount of \$_____, and Bullhead City, Trailhead Development Project in the amount of \$_____.

AGENDA – D3

2023 Supplemental Motorized Grant Application(s)

AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action on A Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, Or Deny Funding for the Submitted 2023 Supplemental Motorized Grant Application(s).

– Matthew Eberhart, State OHV Coordinator

AGENDA – D3

2023 Supplemental Motorized Grant Application(s)			
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation
Apache Sitgreaves National Forest: Alpine Ranger District	Snow Patrol Enforcement	\$68,000.00	\$68,000.00
Patagonia Lake State Park	OHV LE Equipment	\$80,600.00	\$80,600.00
Tonto National Forest: Globe Ranger District	OHV Patrollers	\$98,900.00	\$98,900.00
TOTAL		\$247,500.00	\$247,500.00

AGENDA – D3



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Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the Supplemental Motorized Grant Applications as follows; Alpine Ranger District, Snow Patrol Enforcement Project in the amount of \$_____, Patagonia Lake State Park, OHV LE Equipment Project in the amount of \$_____, and Globe Ranger District, OHV Patrollers Project in the amount of \$_____.

AGENDA – D4

Trail Riders of Southern Arizona Amendment Request

AORCC will review and may provide recommendation(s) on the following proposal to increase the previously approved grant award amount to include insurance expenses.

- Matthew Eberhart, State OHV Coordinator

AGENDA – D4

Trail Riders of Southern Arizona Amendment Request

Original Award	Amendment Increase Request	New Award	Staff Recommendation
\$9,025.00	\$2,500.00	\$11,525.00	\$11,525.00

AGENDA – D4

Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Park Board approve an amendment to the budget Trail Riders of Southern Arizona, Red Springs Trail Improvements Project, Number 552311 and increase the award amount from \$9,025.00 to \$11,525.00.

AGENDA – D5

2023 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Trail Grant Application(s)

AORCC will consider and may take action on a recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to approve, modify, or deny funding for the submitted 2023 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Trail Grant Application(s).

– Jeffrey Schmidt, Grants Manager

AGENDA – D5

2023 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Trail Grant Application(s)

Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
City of Yuma	West Wetlands Playground Trail	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00	19
Pascua Yaqui Tribe	Ewame Voo'o Cultural Trail	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00	11
Total		\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00	

AGENDA – D5



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SENSORY PLAY SPACE



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COMMUNICATION BOARDS



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WEST WETLANDS PARK

STEWART VINCENT WOLFE CREATIVE PLAYGROUND

Legend
B Bench
D Directional Signs



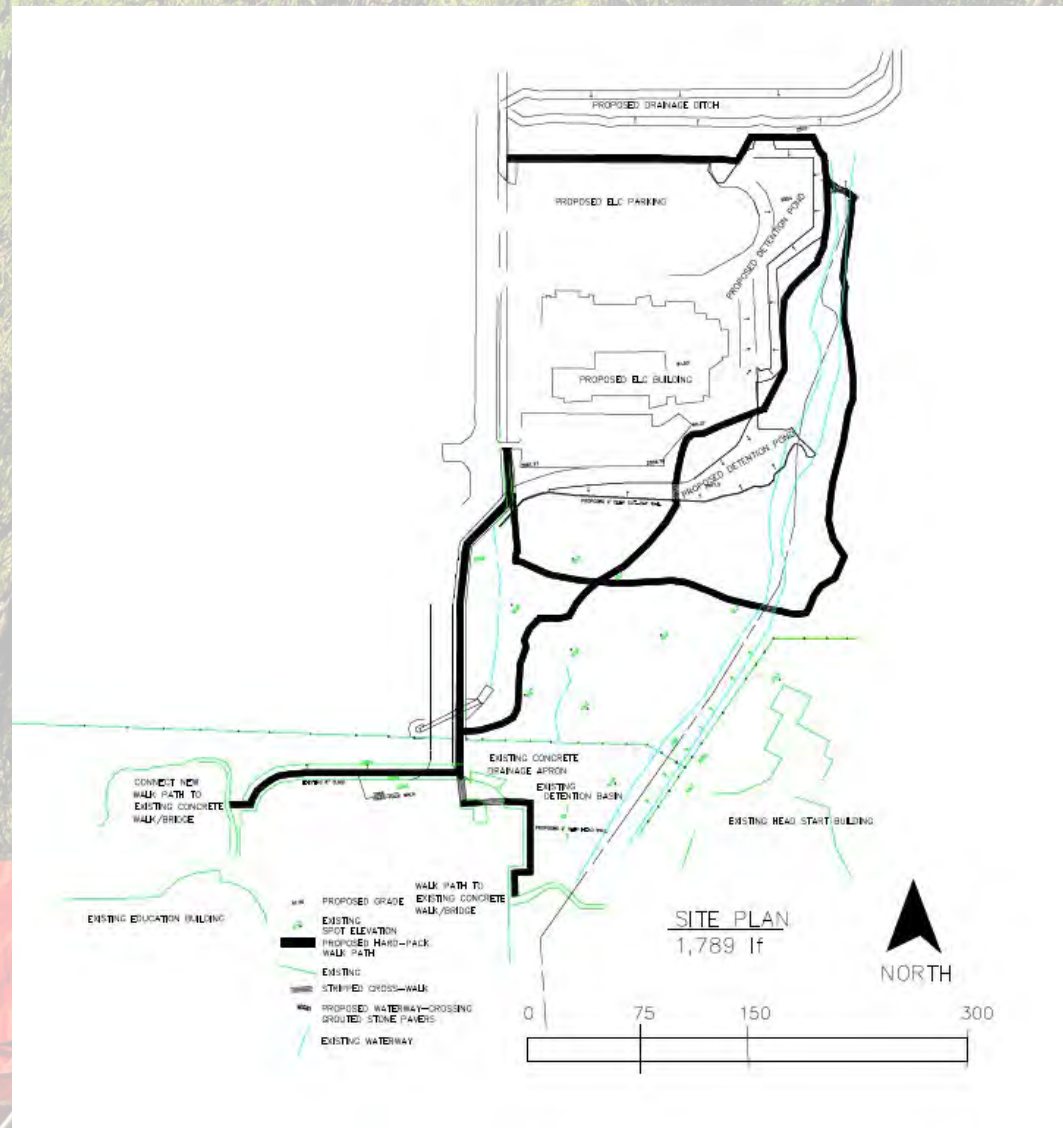
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Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the submitted 2023 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Trail grant application(s) as follows: City of Yuma; West Wetlands Playground Trail in the amount of \$_____, and the Pascua Yaqui Tribe; Ewame Voo'o Cultural Trail in the amount of \$_____.

AGENDA – D6

2023 Recreational Trails Program Non-Motorized Grant Application(s)

AORCC will consider and may take action on a recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to approve, modify, or deny funding for the submitted 2023 Recreational Trails Program Non-Motorized grant application(s).
– Jeffrey Schmidt, Program Manager

AGENDA – D6

2023 Recreational Trails Program Non-Motorized Grant Application(s)

Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
City of Yuma	East Mesa Park Loop Trail	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00	15
Pascua Yaqui Tribe	Ewame Voo'o Cultural Trail	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00	11
Total		\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	

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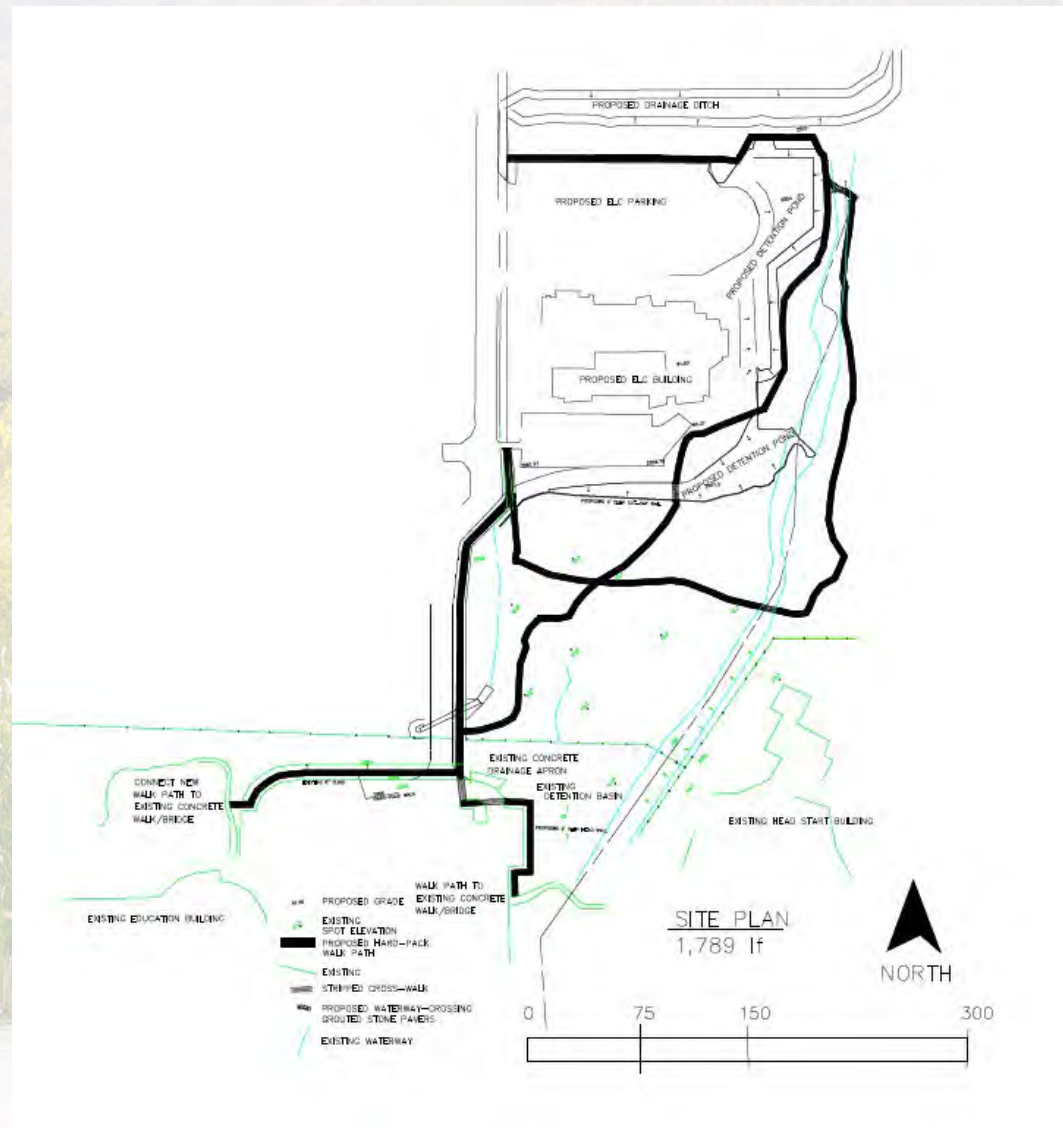
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Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the submitted 2023 Recreational Trails Program Non-Motorized Grant Application(s) as follows: City of Yuma; East Mesa Park Loop Trail in the amount of \$_____, and the Pascua Yaqui Tribe; Ewame Voo'o Cultural Trail in the amount of \$_____.

AGENDA – D7

2023 Recreational Trails Program Trail Maintenance Grant Application(s)

AORCC will consider and may take action on a recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to approve, modify, or deny funding for the submitted 2023 Recreational Trail Program's Trail Maintenance Grant Application(s).

– Jeffrey Schmidt, Program Manager

AGENDA – D7

2023 Recreational Trails Program Trail Maintenance Grant Application(s)

Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation
Pine/Strawberry Fuel Reduction Inc.	Pine/Strawberry Trail System Maintenance	\$48,000.00	\$48,000.00
Total		\$48,000.00	\$48,000.00

AGENDA – D7



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Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the submitted 2023 Recreational Trails Program Trail Maintenance Grant application(s) as follows: Pine/Strawberry Fuel Reduction Inc.; Pine/Strawberry Trail System Maintenance in the amount of \$_____.

AGENDA – D8

2023 State Lake Improvement Fund (SLIF) Grant Application(s)

AORCC will consider and may take action on a recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to approve, modify, or deny funding for the submitted 2023 State Lake Improvement Fund (SLIF) Grant Application(s).

-Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails

AGENDA – D8

2023 State Lake Improvement Grant Application(s)

Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
Mohave County	Mohave County Sheriff's Office LE Equipment	\$800,000.00	\$800,000.00	83.5
Coconino County	Coconino County Sheriff's Office LE Equipment	\$270,000.00	\$270,000.00	66.5
TOTAL		\$1,070,000.00	\$1,070,000.00	

AGENDA – D8



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MOHAVE COUNTY



AGENDA – D8



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COCONINO COUNTY



AGENDA – D8

Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2023 State Lake Improvement Fund Grant Application(s) as follows: Mohave County, Sheriff's Office LE Equipment in the amount of \$_____ and Coconino County, Sheriff's Office LE Equipment in the amount of \$_____.

AGENDA – D9

2023 Heritage Fund Local, Regional, and State Park Grant Application(s)

AORCC will consider and may take action on a recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to approve, modify, or deny funding for the submitted 2023 Heritage Fund Local, Regional and State Park Grant Application(s).

- Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails

AGENDA – D9

2023 Heritage Fund Local, Regional and State Park Grant Application(s)

Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
City of Somerton	Perricone Park Upgrades	\$150,049.00	\$150,049.00	80.25
TOTAL		\$150,049.00	\$150,049.00	

AGENDA – D9



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AGENDA – D9

Perricone Park Upgrades



AGENDA – D9

Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2023 Heritage Fund Local, Regional and State Park Grant Application(s) as follows: City of Somerton, Perricone Park Upgrades in the amount of \$_____.

AGENDA – D10

2023 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Application(s)

AORCC will consider and may take action on a recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to approve, modify, or deny funding for the submitted 2023 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Application(s).

- Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails

AGENDA – D10

2023 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
K-12 Foundation For LHUSD	Kids On the Colorado River	\$42,050.00	\$42,050.00	84.4
Yavapai Trails Association	Yavapai Youth Trail Challenge	\$5,025.00	\$5,025.00	88.75
Wickenburg Cultural and Conservation Foundation	Community Clean and Beautiful	\$3,770.00	\$3,770.00	83.75
TOTAL		\$50,845.00	\$50,845.00	

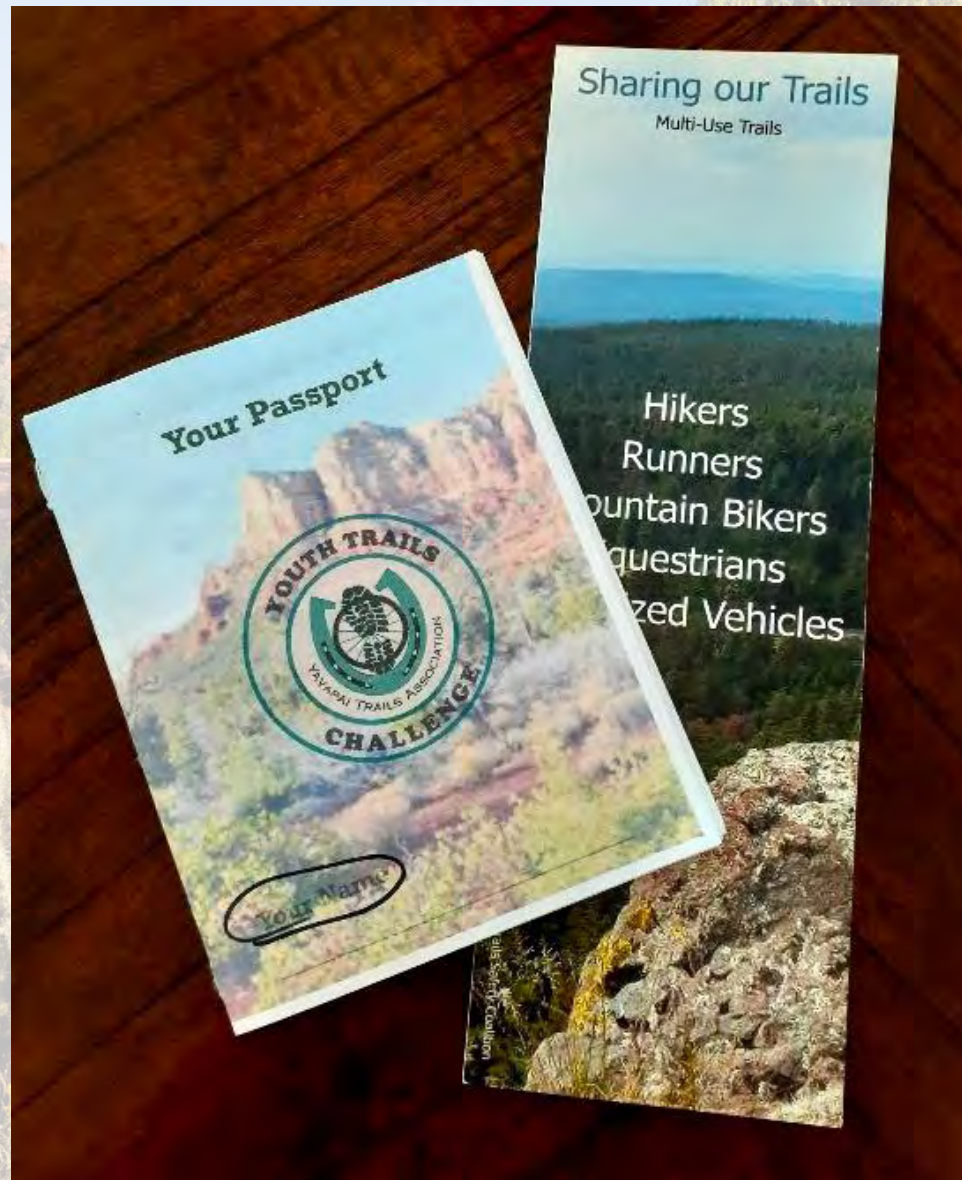
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K-12 Foundation For LHUSD



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Yavapai Trails Association



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Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2023 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Applications as follows: K-12 Foundation for LHUSD, Kids On the Colorado River in the amount of \$_____. Yavapai Trails Association, Yavapai Youth Trail Challenge in the amount of \$_____, and Wickenburg Cultural and Conservation Foundation, Community Clean and Beautiful in the amount of \$_____.

AGENDA – D11

2023 Land and Water Conservation Fund Grant Application(s)

AORCC will consider and may take action on a recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to approve, modify, or deny funding for the submitted 2023 Land and Water Conservation Fund Grant Application(s).

- Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails

AGENDA – D11

2023 Land and Water Conservation Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
City of Yuma	East Mesa Park Phase 1 Expansion	\$1,000,000.00	\$1,000,000.00	69.8
Arizona State Parks and Trails	2025 Trails Plan	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00	60.3
TOTAL		\$1,150,000.00	\$1,150,000.00	

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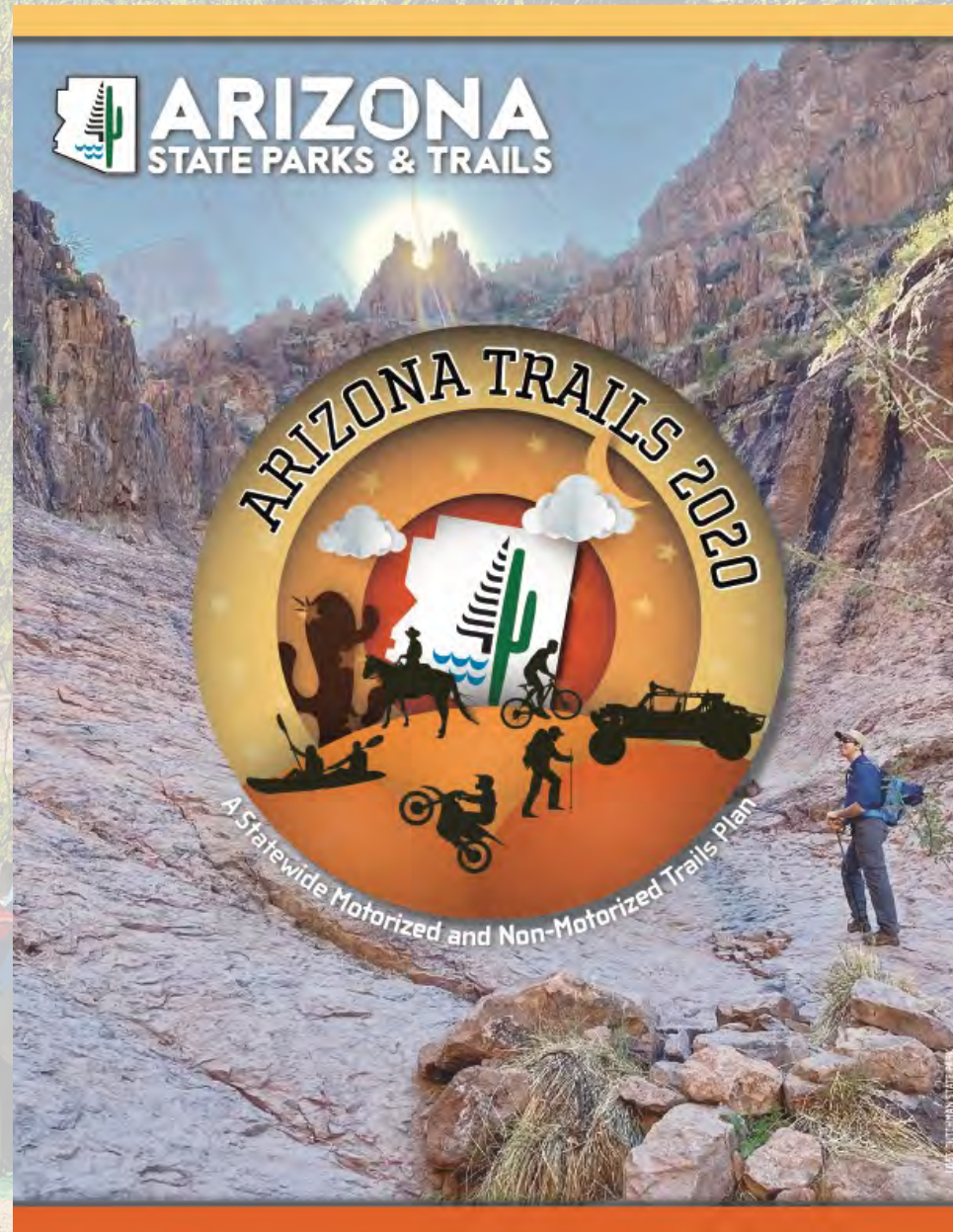
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City of Yuma



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Arizona State Parks and Trails



AGENDA – D11

Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2023 Land and Water Conservation Fund Grant Application(s) as follows: City of Yuma, East Mesa Park Phase 1 Expansion in the amount of \$_____ and Arizona State Parks and Trails, 2025 Trails Plan in the amount of \$_____.

AGENDA – D12

2023 Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership Program Grant Application(s)

AORCC will consider and may take action on a recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to approve submission to the National Park Service for funding consideration for the submitted 2023 Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership Program Grant Application(s).

- Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails

AGENDA – D12

2023 Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership Program (ORLP) Grant Application(s)

Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation
City of Tucson	Jacobs Park Revitalization and Expansion	\$2,995,448.00	\$2,995,448.00
City of Yuma	Carver Park Revitalization	\$2,147,965.00	\$2,147,965.00
TOTAL		\$5,143,413.00	\$5,143,413.00

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City of Tucson



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City of Yuma



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City of Yuma



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City of Yuma



AGENDA – D12

Motion:

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve submission to the National Park Service funding consideration for the 2023 Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership Program Grant Application(s) as follows: City of Tucson, Jacobs Park Revitalization and Expansion in the amount of \$_____ and the City of Yuma, Carver Park Revitalization in the amount of \$_____.

AGENDA – D13

Emergency and Mitigation Grant Application Update

Members will be updated on the Arizona Elk Society Emergency and Mitigation project for the Mogollon Rim Meadow Fencing Project. This agenda item is for information only.

– Matthew Eberhart, State OHV Coordinator

AGENDA – D13



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AGENDA – E

Future Agenda Items

AORCC members may identify items or issues they wish to be considered for inclusion on a future agenda.

AGENDA – F

Current Events

AORCC members may present a brief summary of current events and/or recent experiences of interest to the outdoor recreation community and/or the status of any projects with which they may be involved. This item is for information purposes only. AORCC will not discuss or take action on any current events.

AGENDA – G

Call to the Public

The chair will recognize those wishing to address the Commission.

AGENDA – H

Tentative

Meeting Dates:

Wednesday, May 10, 2023

ASPT Central Office

Wednesday, June 14, 2023

ASPT Central Office

Thank You!!!

Creek Valley Health Clinic – ***Mountain Biking Recreation***



City of Peoria – ***Leave No Trace Program***



Arizona Trail Association -
Sunflower North Realignment



Closed Out Grants

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Competitive OHV Grant Applications

Bureau of Land Management: Lake Havasu Field Office – OHV Program Development

Request	Match	Total	Score
\$117,000.00	\$77,900.00	\$194,900.00	39



The Lake Havasu Bureau of Land Management Office (LHFO) manages 1.3 million acres of public lands which have wide swaths of adjacent state managed land. Most of this land is only accessible by high clearance, off road vehicles with 4x4 capabilities. Trails on both federal and adjacent state public lands are often unmaintained and worn out due to high use and weather events. Lake Havasu is well known for its off-roading events such as races and poker runs which takes place on state and federal lands. The off-roading community is continually growing within this area. The LHFO proposes the purchase of three side by sides and two trailers to better access and provide outreach to the off-roading community as well as assisting our state agency partners with sharing their educational message on public lands. Side by side purchases will include two sport models and one utility model.

The LHFO intends to utilize these side by sides to better manage public land by:

- Help promote and spread educational awareness to the OHV community on both federal and state public lands.
- Remove trash and debris from OHV recreation areas on state and federal lands (Standard Wash, Bison Wash, Shea Road, Craggy Wash, AZPT) and provide a presence at public cleanup events.
- Access and identify OHV trails in need of maintenance
- Access and provide educational outreach at Special Recreation Permit (SRP) races and other public events (Sand and Water Expo, UTV Word Championships, Parker 400).
- To provide safety and educational courses (ROHVA) to BLM and partner agency personnel on side by side usage.
- To foster public relations with the local off-road communities.

Havasus SxS Trail Association – Trail Maintenance

Request	Match	Total	Score
\$13,000.00	\$29,950.00	\$42,950.00	22



The Havasu Side by Side Trail Association is requesting funding to continue their trail maintenance work with the Lake Havasu BLM Field Office. Funds will be used for fuel, trail drag supplies, and supplemental insurance. The project will be matched with 1,000 hours of volunteer time.

Natural Restorations – OHV Area Cleanups

Request	Match	Total	Score
\$288,327.00	\$32,826.00	\$321,153.00	21



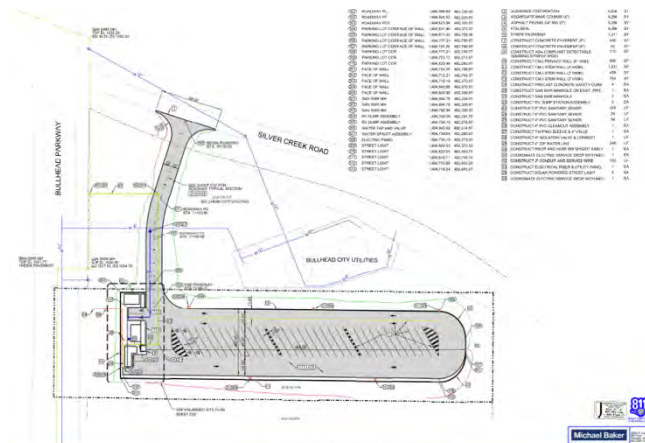
This project addresses the long-standing issues of scattered trash, illegal dumping of household & construction debris, & graffiti painted on rocks & boulders in OHV areas. Since 2020, Arizona has seen a massive increase in the number of people recreating in OHV areas, including new users, & users who are not practicing responsible recreation. As a result, there has been an increase in the amount of trash and graffiti left behind in OHV areas. We fill a need to keep existing trails free from trash & graffiti to ensure they remain open to the OHV community; if these issues aren't addressed, land management agencies will seek to close them. It takes a continuous effort to keep trails open & accessible to current & future generations.

Restorations enhance the quality of the experience OHV trails provide because clean trails are safer, attractive, & inviting. These cleanups improve the look of impacted OHV areas and the events allow an opportunity for education and connection with the recreating public.

During this project, the Dedicated Restoration Team will complete 21 trash and graffiti removal restoration projects & we will host 2 volunteer events in OHV areas. Volunteer events will provide close to home opportunities for youth, the OHV community, non-OHV community members, & State Parks employees. The hope is to add additional volunteer events as match over time as it becomes easier to host events on public lands without restrictions.

Bullhead City – OHV Trailhead Development

Request	Match	Total	Score
\$1,294,528.00	\$100,000.00	\$1,394,528.00	18



The City of Bullhead City will utilize the funds to develop an OHV Staging Area at the intersection of Silver Creek Rd and Bullhead Parkway. The site will be utilized for parking and off-loading OHV's for use on existing adjacent trail systems. The funds will also be utilized for engineering costs, grading and any other infrastructural improvements.

The proposed project will be the first OHV Staging Area in the City of Bullhead City. It will provide multiple pull through parking spaces for RV/trailers, tow vehicles and OHV's to park while utilizing existing adjacent trails. Accessible restrooms, night security lighting, and camp host area are planned. An information kiosk will be provided on the restroom building for up-to-date trail information and related. Additionally, the development will see a day-use picnic area with shade structure tables, benches, electrical outlet, and spigot amongst other amenities. The Site layout and concept plan is attached for reference.

The proposed Bullhead City OHV Staging Area is designed to accommodate the following type of motorized vehicles: Dirt Bikes, Off-Road Trucks, Quads (ATV's), Side-by-sides (UTV's), and Jeeps and similar 4-WD vehicles. This project will enable the City the opportunity to continuously provide off-road recreational opportunities to the its residents and tourists alike in a safe and dedicated environment.

Supplemental OHV Grant Applications

Apache Sitgreaves National Forest: Alpine Ranger District – Snow Patrol Enforcement

Request	Match	Total
\$68,000.00	\$7,6230.00	\$75,623.00



The Alpine and Springerville ranger districts have multiple snowmobile recreation areas that provide ample opportunity for winter recreators, but for many years we have observed intrusions with snowmobiles into wilderness areas and other closure areas on these districts. The Wilderness Act of 1964 prohibits the use of motor vehicles and motorized equipment within any wilderness area. Our purpose is to provide education to the public on OHV regulations and wilderness laws and if necessary, administer citations. The grant funding would aid in overtime and personnel costs for patrolling of these high use areas, closure areas and wilderness boundaries and give the Forest Service an opportunity to educate winter recreators. The funding would also enable the purchase of an enclosed trailer for transporting snowmobiles and to allow for safe short- and long-term storage of the snowmobiles.

Patagonia Lake State Park – Law Enforcement Equipment

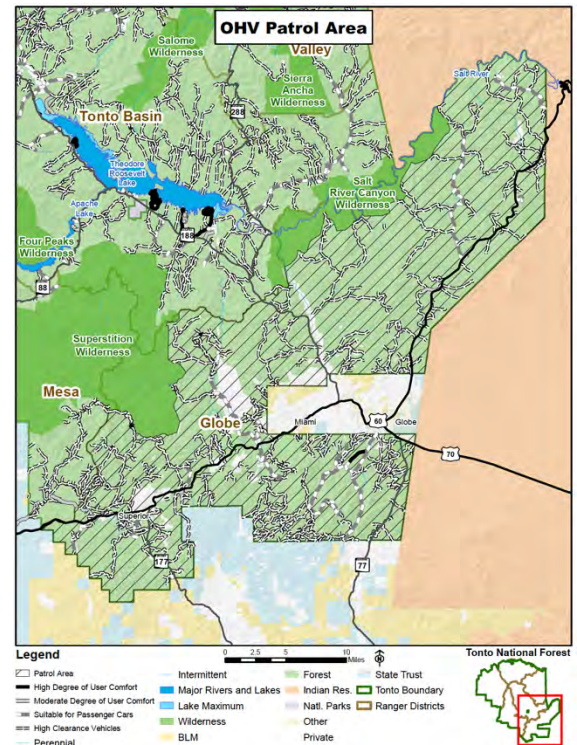
Request	Match	Total
\$80,600.00	\$8,100.00	\$88,700.00



Patagonia Lake State Park, is requesting funds for a Side-by- Side and ATV with LE package for park patrol. Patrolling will include OHV monitor, education contacts, trespassing and OHV impact mitigation. Match funding will be provided by park Law Enforcement.

Tonto National Forest: Globe Ranger District – OHV Patrollers

Request	Match	Total
\$98,900.00	\$15,488.00	\$114,388.00



Funds will pay for Law Enforcement support for Off Highway Vehicle (OHV) areas on the Globe Ranger District. The scope of work will include patrolling forest roads to educate users on responsible use of national forest lands and enforce federal and state rules and regulations. Patrollers will inspect for proper display of the required OHV sticker and spark arrestors. They will also take measures to deter the public from riding illegal user created routes which includes contacting users, signage, physical barriers. These patrols will increase public awareness of rules and regulations and will be a deterrent for illegal behavior. Patrollers will work with Forest Service, Game and Fish, County and other law enforcement agencies to assist with these educational opportunities.

2023 Recreational Trails Program Non-Motorized Grant Applications

Sponsor: City of Yuma

Project Title: East Mesa Park Loop Trail

Grant Request: \$150,000 Match: \$304,900.00 Total: \$454,900.00

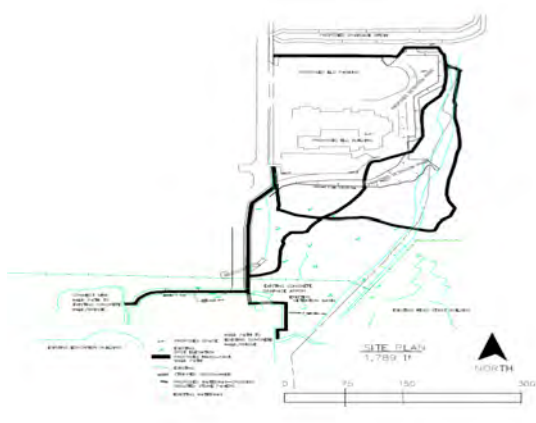


Funding is being requested to develop the East Mesa Park Loop Trail, which will provide ADA access to various amenities within East Mesa Park. Funds will also be used in producing signage that indicate distance and wayfinding. Distance markers list both miles and kilometers and wayfinding will be produced in both English and Spanish. Share the trail and courtesy use messaging and educational signage will also be developed in both Spanish and English. Funding will also be used to provide several support facilities including once park is completed. The trail and all associated amenities will be at a minimum ADA compliant. Many of the amenities will go beyond ADA to create a truly inclusive environment.

Sponsor: Pascua Yaqui Tribe

Project Title: Ewame Voo'o Cultural Trail

Grant Request: \$50,000.00 Match: \$3,023.00 Total: \$53,023.00



The Pascua Yaqui Tribe (PYT), "The Ewame Voo'o (Thinker) Cultural Trail" will provide cognitive and physical development to tribal children and members. In addition, PYT Social Services Department

will partner with Economic Development to combine trails for a unique learning opportunity of immersive curriculum and nature environment that is responsive to the Yoeme Language, history, and culture. Trail Development: 1) 212 LF or 0.04 miles services trail that directly connects the Boys & Girls Club, and PYT Head Start buildings. 2) 157 LF or 0.03 miles to connect and expand to an established trail at the Education building, 3) 139 LF or 0.03 miles for another connecting trail at Head Start, and 4) two cultural educational trail crossings one at 155 LF and the other at 599 LF totaling 0.14 miles that will both connect to the existing trail adjacent to the Education building. Nature of Work: (1) Fun Tri-Lingual signage for social development and teaching in English, Spanish and Yoeme Language, (2) Interpretive protective signage of native plants and animals with QR-Codes boxes, (3) Have cultural art, shaded benches, trails markers, and solar lighting of the pathways. Scope of Work: An 8' stabilized decomposed granite pathways to be constructed with 3" depth stabilized decomposed granite (after compacted 90%) and 95% compacted subgrade undisturbed native soil. -An 8' grouted rock erosion protection 40' long and 8' wide of rock/stone paver 6'-9' w 6x6 WWF W5.5xW5.5 Embed Flush in 2500 PSI concrete (compacted 90%). -Total trail length is .34 miles with ADA guidelines, trail maintenance, and sustainable materials to ensure the protection of the buildings and trails from weather elements.

2023 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Trail Grant Applications

Sponsor: City of Yuma

Project Title: West Wetlands Playground Trail

Grant Request: \$50,000.00 Match: \$10,940.00 Total: \$60,940.00

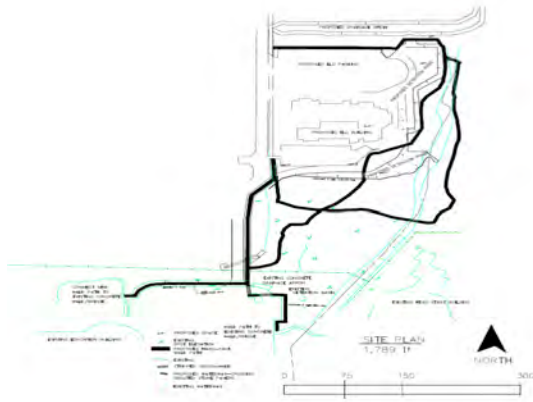


The West Wetlands Playground Trail will improve ADA parking facilities and provide ADA accessibility by way of a concrete pathway from a large destination playground which features several inclusive play pieces to an adjacent restroom facility, as well as the pond and ramadas in West Wetlands Park. . The project will be completed in-house. Due to the inclusive nature of the playground in the park, this trail will be used by persons of all abilities and ages. The amenities in the park, accessed by this trail, will also attract visitors from as far as 300 miles. Funding will also be used to install wayfinding signs on the connector trail. This grant will assist with providing two benches alongside the trail. In addition, the surface in the parking area / trail head parking will be improved by slurry sealing and new striping.

Sponsor: Pascua Yaqui Tribe

Project Title: Ewame Voo'o Cultural Trail

Grant Request: \$50,000.00 Match: \$50,000.00 Total: \$100,000.00



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2023 Recreational Trail Program Trail Maintenance Grant Applications

Sponsor: Pine/Strawberry Fuel Reduction Inc.

Project Title: Pine/Strawberry Trail System Maintenance

Grant Request: \$48,000.00

Match: \$2,750.00

Total: \$50,750.00



The Payson Ranger District of the Tonto National Forest along with Pine Strawberry Fuel Reduction group have identified several miles of trail on the Pine Creek Canyon Trail #26 that requires advanced tread maintenance and sustainable drainage improvements to increase durability of trail over time. Some washed out sections of the trail and downed trees across trail have left ruts and holes in the trail. This is a multiuse non-motorized trail by hikers/bikers/horses. For this project the Payson Ranger District and the Pine Strawberry Fuels Reduction Inc. would be seeking to partner with a trail crew for several crew hitches to provide routine trail maintenance that does not involve any new ground disturbance on roughly 5 miles of the Pine Canyon Trail #26 between the Pine Trailhead and the backside of the Camp Lo Mia property. The project area has not been maintained for more than 7 years and contains a lot of sluff area (Sand and loose dirt) that can wash away easily.

2023 State Lake Improvement Funds

Sponsor: Mohave County

Project Title: Law Enforcement Equipment

Grant Request: \$800,000.00

Match: \$0

Total: \$800,000.00



The project requests consist of 2 Metal Shark watercraft replacements, one 28' watercraft and one 26' watercraft. In addition, a side scan sonar system and a remotely operated vehicles (ROV) for search and recovery of victims and/or evidence. The side scan sonar is vital in body recovery and other items (boats, PWC's, navigation anchors, etc.) This will also assist other agencies with search and recovery. This funding is instrumental for the continued public safety on the waters of Mohave County. This equipment will also benefit other agencies patrolling the waters of the county and adjacent La Paz County.

Sponsor: Coconino County Sheriff

Project Title: Boat and Jet Ski Purchase

Grant Request: \$270,000.00

Match: \$0

Total: \$270,000.00



The Coconino Sheriff's Office is requesting funds to replace a 23' Koffler boat and trailer. In addition, the request is for 2 Jet skis that will allow quick access to shallow water. This equipment will be used on portions of the waterway along the Colorado River and Lake Powell. These will be used for education and enforcement, assist with rescues and complement its current fleet making the waters safer for all who use it.

2023 Heritage Local Regional and State Park Program

Sponsor: City of Somerton

Project Title: Perricone Park Improvements

Grant Request: \$150,040.00

Match: \$164,504.00

Total: \$314,544.00



The City of Somerton will use ARPA and LRSP funds to complete Perricone Park amenities. The project will construct standard-size soccer field(s) and amenities not currently available in Somerton. The project will increase recreational outdoor opportunities for both youth and adults. The project is located directly adjacent to the new Somerton High School campus and the direct vicinity of several elementary schools and multiple residential subdivisions. The project components include infilling an existing retention basin, constructing field infrastructure, lighting, restroom facilities and other miscellaneous items necessary to complete the scope of work.

2023 Heritage Environmental Education Projects

Sponsor: K-12 Foundation

Project Title: Kids on the Colorado

Grant Request: \$42,050.00

Match: \$10,950.00

Total: \$53,000.00

Kids On the Colorado River (KOCR) is a non-profit learning program designed to use local educators and Colorado River based agency resources to educate Middle School students from the Lake Havasu City community. In conjunction with the Lake Havasu Unified School District (LUHSD), students visit the State Park for a day of outdoor education classes. Each student is also provided a boat tour of Lake Havasu and the Bridgewater Channel. Education goals include how to become stewards of the Colorado River, the importance of the river for the community, responsible and safe outdoor recreation, the significance of the Chemehuevi Reservation and Lake Havasu history. Funding will be used for boat rentals, signs and printing, notebooks, radios, transportation, insurance and event costs.

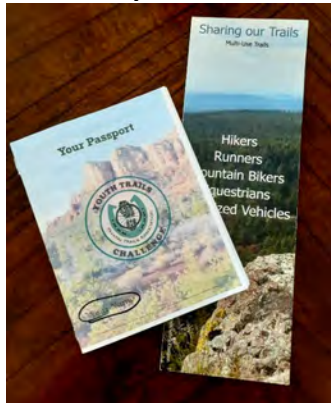
Sponsor: Yavapai Trails Association

Project Title: Yavapai Youth Trail Challenge

Grant Request: \$5,025.00

Match: \$7,555.40

Total: \$12,580.40



Funds from the grant will provide all the passports, LNT, trail etiquette materials, printing, mailing and website additions needed to offer the program to 10,700 students from the Prescott, Humboldt, and Chino Valley Unified School Districts. The Challenge Passport is designed to be a self-paced program with no time limit for completion. It is designed to engage "families" to participate with their youngsters as they become enriched in this outdoor educational program. We anticipate 100 youth to complete in the first year of the program. The Challenge includes: Completing a Leave No Trace component, trail etiquette component, select a Wilderness Trail to hike, and finally participate in one 4-hour workday. The students will receive a patch and certificate once completed.

Sponsor: Wickenburg Cultural and Conservation Foundation

Project Title: Community Clean and Beautiful

Grant Request: \$3,770.00

Match: \$3,893.00

Total: \$7,663.50

This project is an expansion of the successful 3-year Wickenburg Clean and Beautiful program. It is a state-wide call to action to get people throughout Arizona to take ownership of keeping their community recreational areas clean and safe. Specifically, funding request will be to design, print, and distribute a two-sided, bi-lingual tri-fold brochure to provide guidelines on how to organize an ongoing periodic or one-time clean up. The brochure, developed in partnership with public land management agencies and other related non-profits, will include Leave No Trace principles and information on how to contact and engage public land managers, get project supplies funded, recruit and train volunteers, and optimize publicity. Funding is needed to translate the text into Spanish and print up to 10,000 copies for distribution over the next two years by volunteer ambassadors at OHV and non-OHV recreational sites, through Chambers of Commerce, OHV rental companies, and outreach events throughout the state.

2023 Land and Water Conservation Fund

Sponsor: City of Yuma

Project Title: East Mesa Park Phase I Expansion

Grant Request: \$1,000,000.00

Match: \$1,000,000.00

Total: \$2,000,000.00



Yuma conducted a parks master plan in 2016 and the plan identified a new regional park on 40 acres that the city purchased. New park master plan with parking to include ADA fishing piers, hockey rink, playgrounds, ramadas, picnic facilities, splash pad, turf areas, basketball, tennis and pickleball courts, a lake, ninja warrior style course, fitness stations, dog park related infrastructure and maintenance facility. The first phase will include infrastructure for the park, a new playground and a splashpad with future phases that will further develop the park.

Sponsor: Arizona State Parks and Trails

Project Title: 2025 Trails Plan

Grant Request: \$150,000.00

Match: \$150,000.00 Total: \$300,000.00



Every 5 years, Arizona State Parks and Trails is required by statute to complete a non-motorized and motorized trails plan. This plan provides priority issues from the perspective of users of Arizona trails, stakeholders and land managers. This information is used to provide land managing agencies, elected decision-makers, stakeholders and citizens with valuable information about participation rates for both motorized and non-motorized trail related activities, trail management priorities and also informs the distribution of trail-related grants and other resources. This plan will also provide needed information that will be used to develop Arizona's next Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan.

2023 Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership Program

Sponsor: City of Tucson

Project Title: Jacobs Park Revitalization and Expansion

Grant Request: \$2,995,448.00

Match: \$2,995,448.00

Total: \$5,990,896.00



The Jacobs Park revitalization and expansion project is focused on redeveloping the park with modern field design, adding new recreation opportunities and creating family-oriented recreation areas. The project will incorporate green stormwater infrastructure improvements to better capture and utilize rainwater in the park, increasing tree canopy and reduce hardscape surfaces to mitigate urban heat island affect. The project also reduces turf to reduce the amount of water used for irrigation. Jacobs

Park was originally built in the 1970s with a baseball/softball focus using a shared outfield design. The revitalization creates a traditional four field clover-leaf softball complex plus two additional soccer fields built to tournament standards; relocates and expands the dog park; eliminates a parking lot that encourages people to access the park by driving through the neighborhood and creates a family use area with a playground, ramada, grills, horseshoes and cornhole; adds a new restroom/concession building; updates irrigation throughout the park; builds a new skate park, futsal and pickleball courts; and plants 310 new trees in the park

Sponsor: City of Yuma

Project Title: Carver Park Revitalization

Grant Request: \$2,147,965.00

Match: \$2,152,000.00

Total: \$4,299,965.00



Carver Park, an 18-acre community park is an aging park with failing infrastructure that has forced the closure of several amenities at the park. The planned physical improvements will revitalize the park providing new and enhanced recreation to the community. The park restoration and upgrade will include replacing 4 ramadas, two new pickleball courts, new outdoor fitness equipment, new soccer field lighting, new skate zone, tennis court replacement, pool and splash pad refurbishment, restroom facility replacement, and enhance 2 playgrounds.