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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING
of
THE OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICLE ADVISORY GROUP
of
THE ARIZONA STATE PARKS AND TRAILS

Pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.02, notice is hereby given to members of the Off-Highway Vehicle Advisory Group (“OHVAG” or “Group”) and the public that OHVAG will hold a meeting on **Tuesday, March 28, 2022, beginning at 1:00 p.m.** OHVAG 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 1.315.992.6146. and entering PIN: 133.551.508# or via Google Meet: meet.google.com/xji-gdyb-hra

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 the Group 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 Group 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.

(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 November 28, 2022, OHVAG Meeting.

The Group will review and may consider action to approve the OHVAG meeting minutes from November 28, 2022.

2. OHVAG 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: Matthew Eberhart, State Off-Highway Vehicle Coordinator)

The following grant application(s) has been submitted for funding totaling \$1,712,855.00.

2023 Competitive Motorized Grant Application(s)				
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BLM: Lake Havasu	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
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Bullhead City	Trailhead Development	\$1,294,528.00	\$1,294,528.00	18
TOTAL		\$1,712,855.00	\$1,712,855.00	

3. OHVAG 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 Grant Application(s). (Presenter: Matthew Eberhart, State Off-Highway Vehicle Coordinator)

The following grant application(s) has been submitted for funding totaling \$247,500.00.

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

4. OHVAG 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 Springs Trail Improvement Project. (Presenter: Matthew Eberhart, State Off-Highway Vehicle Coordinator)

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

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

5. 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.

6. OHV Coordinator Updates. (Presenter: Matthew Eberhart, State Off-Highway Vehicle Coordinator).

The State OHV Coordinator will provide updates on the OHV Ambassador Program, OHV Dealership Program, Website Updates, Upcoming Events. This agenda item is for information only.

E. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

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

F. CURRENT EVENTS

Group 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. The Group 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 Group. 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 or scheduling the matter for further consideration and decision at a later date.

H. FUTURE MEETING DATES

Group members will discuss potential future meeting dates.

I. ADJOURNMENT

A copy of this agenda and any background material provided to Group Members is available for public inspection at Arizona State Parks & Trails, 1110 W. Washington Street, Suite 100 Phoenix, AZ 85007. For additional information, contact Matthew Eberhart at (602) 542-2146.

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November 28, 2022

Draft Minutes

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THE OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICLE ADVISORY GROUP

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Meeting Location: *1110 W Washington, Suite 100, Phoenix, AZ 85007*

Members Present Telephonically: *Holly Irwin (Vice Chair), Geoff Chain, Jason Cobb, Pat Headington, Tom Murphy*

Members Present In-Person: *Chuck Wood*

Staff Present: *Chief of Grants and Trails - Mickey Rogers, State OHV Coordinator - Matthew Eberhart*

A. CALL TO ORDER

With the Chair absent and Vice Chair attending remotely, Vice Chair Holly Irwin requested that member Wood manage the meeting because he was in person. Member Wood called the meeting to order at 1:03p.m.

B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Member Chuck Wood lead the Group in the Pledge of Allegiance.

C. MEMBER ROLL CALL

State Off-Highway Vehicle Coordinator Matthew Eberhart completed the member roll call.

D. AGENDA ITEMS

1. Consideration of Action to Approve Minutes of the September 27, 2022, OHVAG Meeting.

Member Irwin moved to approve the meeting minutes from the September 27, 2022 OHVAG Meeting. Member Cobb Seconded the motion. None opposed. The motion passed.

2. OHVAG 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: Matthew Eberhart, State Off-Highway Vehicle Coordinator)

State OHV Coordinator, Matthew Eberhart provided an overview of the Arizona Game and Fish Department, Meadow Valley Cattle Guard Project. OHVAG had no questions or concerns regarding the project. Member Wood moved that OHVAG recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the Motorized Grant Applications as follows; Arizona Game and Fish Department, Meadow Valley Cattle Guard project in the amount of \$70,000.00. Member Headington Seconded the motion. None opposed. The motion passed.

3. OHVAG 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 Grant Application(s). (Presenter: Matthew Eberhart, State Off-Highway Vehicle Coordinator)

State OHV Coordinator, Matthew Eberhart provided an overview of Tonto National Forest Mesa Ranger District, OHV Patrols Project. OHVAG had no questions or concerns regarding the project. Member Wood moved that OHVAG recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the Supplemental Grant Applications as follows; Tonto National Forest, Mesa Ranger District, OHV Patrols Project in the Amount of \$96,250.00. Member Irwin Seconded the motion. None opposed. The motion passed.

4. Arizona Game and Fish Department OHV Education Programs Update. (Presenter: Kim Jackson, AZGFD Boating and OHV Education Program Manager)

Boating and OHV Program Manager, Kim Jackson with the Arizona Game and Fish Department presented on the education programs their agency provides including, Quail Kids, OHV Range Courses, Show Me Rides in partnership with Arizona State Parks and Trails and a recent rental company education video the agency produced. Member Cobb expressed the appreciation for the video that was put together and that it is now a huge part of the pre-ride education program. He said he'd also like to see that the video be used more by dealerships when vehicles are sold. Courses offered by AZGFD will be recognized by ROHVA and will cost \$60 where ROHVA currently charges \$400. Those costs will basically be cost recovery for dust mitigation at the range and a hard driver's license style certification card. Member Murphy asked how information on the education programs is going to be distributed to the public. Kim informed members that the plan is to have a ribbon cutting at the end of January and to start a social media campaign in January. Member Murphy also wondered if classes would be offered for UTVs only and if youth education would be provided. Kim let everyone know that side by sides would be the primary focus and that the classes are for licensed drivers only. However, the Quail Kids program does focus on youth-based education. AZGFD is also focused on working with Phoenix Children's Hospital and a tentative agreement with Banner to do OHV education. Matthew Eberhart let members know that currently there are around 30 out of 50ish rental companies that have agreed to promote the video from AZGFD. Member Headington asked who would be providing the training. Kim said that herself and two ROHVA certified instructors would be teaching courses. The in person and online courses offered by AZGFD would fill any legislative requirements for education classes in the future. Member Cobb also shared his desire for these courses to have a heavy emphasis on ethics and not just how to operate. Kim ensured him and the members that courses do discuss riding ethics and responsible behavior as well as TREAD Lightly! Principles. Kim also highlighted the water catchment and scorpion hunt rides they offer to the public.

5. Great Sedona Recreation Collaborative Update (Presenter: Southwest Decision Resources)

Jessica Archibald and Mark Loseth from Southwest Decision Resources provided an update on the progress being made to date for the Greater Sedona Recreation Collaborative. The OHV Coordinator expressed his involvement in this group and a variety of others across the state. Member Headington asked if State Parks was working on a consensus of information from the various groups ASPT is involved in and if members for the state OHV Committee from SB1596 had been identified. Matthew Eberhart expressed that while ASPT is involved in a variety of groups focused on OHV recreation, they are not the lead in any of them but certainly have been sharing information with each collaborative and have utilized information gathered to help promote responsible recreation statewide through social media campaigns.

6. OHV Coordinator Updates. (Presenter: Matthew Eberhart, State Off-Highway Vehicle Coordinator)

State OHV Coordinator, Matthew Eberhart provided members updates on the OHV Ambassador Program and the background check process, interviews, and orientation. The Dealership Backpack program has partnered with TREAD Lightly! to provide \$250 gift cards for providing feedback on the program's success. The hope is to have the first batch of backpacks distributed in January and the first drawing in July of 2023. Mr. Eberhart also provided an overview of the website updates that are on the horizon including new trailhead information for across the state. Matthew also updated members on the Natural Restorations, Tread Lightly, and Sand and Water events he recently attended. Members had no questions or concerns regarding the updates.

E. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

Member Cobb would like to see more discussion on the accountability and responsibility of mapping application providers for user created trails and how to educate the public on using privately uploaded trails to mapping applications. Member Wood would like to discuss the Utah education legislation change and how Arizona may follow in their footsteps.

F. CURRENT EVENTS

Member Cobb shared that his team Trophy Lite won the Baja 1,000 and that he plans to do a non-stop Arizona Peace Trail Ride in April for those that are interested. No other members had updates.

G. CALL TO THE PUBLIC

Matt Caldwell with TREAD Lightly! expressed that the accountability for the public and mapping application providers is an extremely good idea as more folks get involved with OHV use and attempt to learn about where to ride.

H. FUTURE MEETING DATES

The next OHVAG meeting will be in late January or early February.

I. ADJOURNMENT

Member wood adjourned the meeting at 2:20p.m.



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Date: March 28, 2023
To: Todd Davis, Chair, Off-Highway Vehicle Advisory Group
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 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 need.

2023 Competitive Motorized Grant Application(s)				
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BLM: Lake Havasu	OHV Program Development	\$117,000.00	\$117,000.00	39
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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 OHVAG recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the Motorized Grant Applications as follows; BLM Lake Havasu, 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: March 28, 2023

To: Todd Davis, Chair, Off-Highway Vehicle Advisory Group
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 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 need.

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

Recommended Motion:

I move that OHVAG 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:

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Date: March 28, 2023

To: Todd Davis, Chair, Off-Highway Vehicle Advisory Group
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 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 Recommendation
\$9,025.00	\$2,500.00	\$11,525.00	\$11,525.00

Recommended Motion:

I move that OHVAG 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

2023 Motorized Grant Application Summaries

2020-2025 Motorized Grant Scoring Criteria	
Criteria	Points Possible:
1st Level:	
Connect trails to other trails, parks, and communities	12
Maintain Existing Trails	12
Prevent or repair damage to environmental and cultural sites near trails	12
Provide trail maps and information	12
2nd Level:	
Complete environmental clearance and compliance	7
Promote safe and responsible recreation programs	7
Provide facilities like restrooms, parking, and campsites near trails and develop trails and facilities to increase accessibility for people with disabilities	7
Provide trail signs	7
3rd Level:	
Construct new trails	3
Enforce existing rules and regulations in trail areas	3
Obtain land for trails and trail access	3
Bonus:	
First Time Project Sponsors/New Areas	2
Expansion, Phase, or Connection to an Existing OHV Grant Funded Project	2
Multiple Motorized Uses 3 or more	2
Promote OHV Recreation within Arizona	2
Digital/Electronic Mapping for end users	2
Motorized non-motor cooperation	1
Dust Abatement	1
Local need per Properties Identified in the SCORP, Local/Regional Plan, or County Report of TP2020	1
Community Support/Public Support	1
Previous project completed within 2 years or less	1
TOTAL POINTS POSSIBLE	100

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.

Havasu 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



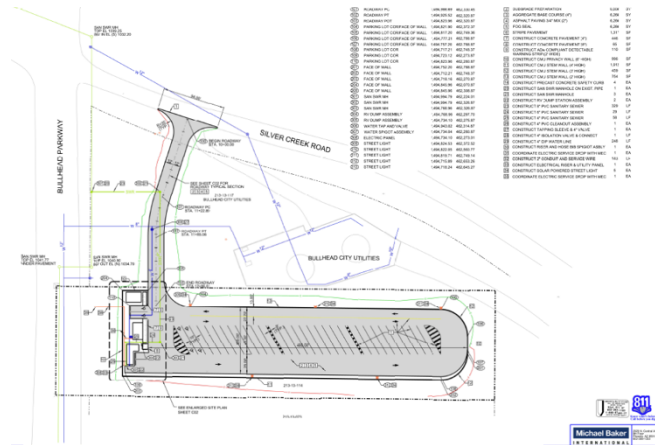
This project addresses the long-standing issues of scattered trash, illegal dumping of household & construction debris, & graffiti painted on rocks & boulders in OHV areas. Since 2020, Arizona has seen a massive increase in the number of people recreating in OHV areas, including new users, & users who 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

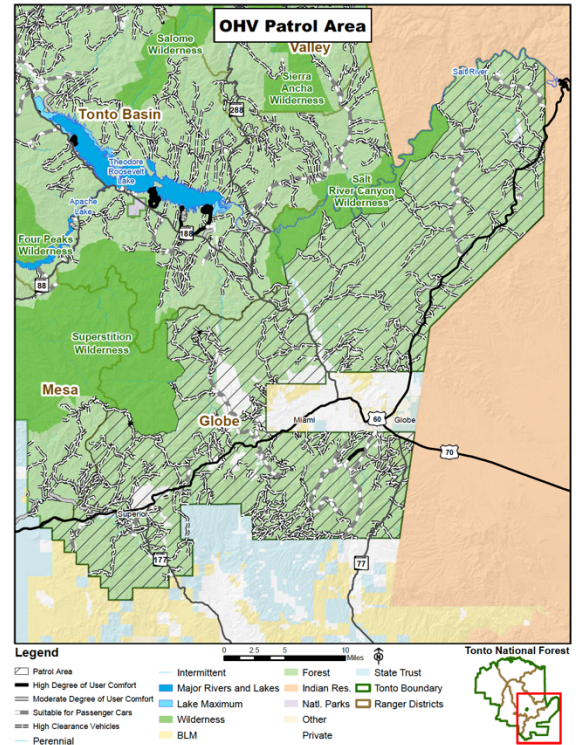
Request	Match	Total
\$80,600.00	\$8,100.00	\$88,700.00



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.