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# ARIZONA STATE PARKS & TRAILS

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NOTICE OF MEETING  
of  
THE ARIZONA STATE PARKS BOARD  
of  
THE ARIZONA STATE PARKS AND TRAILS

Pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.02, notice is hereby given to members of the Arizona State Parks Board ("Board") and the public that the Board will hold a meeting on **Thursday, May 19, 2022 beginning at 10:00a.m.** Board 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 1.877.820.7831 and entering the passcode 613038 or via YouTube live stream <https://youtu.be/bSqTPxPDJ-g>

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 Board 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 Board 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 March 17, 2022 Board Meeting** – The Board will review and may consider action to approve the Board meeting minutes from March 17, 2022.
2. **Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, Or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 Motorized Grant Applications.** (Presenter: Matthew Eberhart, Off-Highway Vehicle Coordinator) The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$2,528,442.00.

2022 Motorized Grant Application(s)

Project Information			Recommendations			
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff	Off-Highway Vehicle Advisory Group OHVAG	Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC)	Score
Tonto National Forest: Cave Creek Ranger District	Travel Management Heritage Inventories	\$525,000.00	\$525,000.00	\$525,000.00	\$525,000.00	19

Arizona State Parks and Trails	River Island Staging Area	\$2,003,442.00	\$2,003,442.00	\$2,003,442.00	\$2,003,442.00	15
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$2,528,442.00</b>	<b>\$2,528,442.00</b>	<b>\$2,528,442.00</b>	<b>\$2,528,442.00</b>	

3. **Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 Off-Highway Vehicle Supplemental Grant Application.** (Presenter: Matthew Eberhart, Off-Highway Vehicle Coordinator) The following grant application have been submitted for funding totaling \$60,000.00.

<b>2022 Supplemental Grant Application(s)</b>					
				<b>Recommendations</b>	
<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Project</b>	<b>Request</b>	<b>Staff</b>	<b>Off-Highway Vehicle Advisory Group (OHVAG)</b>	<b>Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC)</b>
Cottonwood Police Department	Law Enforcement Equipment	\$60,000.00	\$60,000.00	\$60,000.00	\$60,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$60,000.00</b>	<b>\$60,000.00</b>	<b>\$60,000.00</b>	<b>\$60,000.00</b>

4. **Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 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 \$1,884,780.00.

<b>2022 State Lake Improvement Fund Grant Application(s)</b>					
<b>Project Information</b>			<b>Recommendations</b>		
<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Project</b>	<b>Request</b>	<b>Staff</b>	<b>Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC)</b>	<b>Score</b>
Bullhead City Police Department	Water Safety Expansion	\$285,900.00	\$285,900.00	\$285,900.00	90
Maricopa County	Lake Pleasant Wind Warning System	\$620,791.00	\$620,791.00	\$620,791.00	80
Arizona Game and Fish Department	Parker Canyon Lake Boat Launch Improvements	\$978,089.00	\$978,089.00	\$978,089.00	74
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$1,884,780.00</b>	<b>\$1,884,780.00</b>	<b>\$1,884,780.00</b>	

5. **Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Trails Grant Application(s).** (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails) The following grant application have been submitted for funding totaling \$80,515.00.

<b>2022 Heritage Fund Non-motorized Trails Grant Application(s)</b>						
<b>Project Information</b>				<b>Recommendations</b>		
<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Project</b>	<b>Request</b>	<b>Staff</b>	<b>Arizona State Committee on Trails (ASCOT)</b>	<b>Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC)</b>	<b>Score</b>

Town of Snowflake	Cottonwood Wash Trail	\$80,515.00	\$80,515.00	\$80,515.00	\$80,515.00	30.5
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$80,515.00</b>	<b>\$80,515.00</b>	<b>\$80,515.00</b>	<b>\$80,515.00</b>	

6. **Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 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 \$48,600.00.

<b>2022 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Application(s)</b>					
<b>Project Information</b>			<b>Recommendations</b>		
<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Project</b>	<b>Request</b>	<b>Staff</b>	<b>Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC)</b>	<b>Score</b>
Arizona Trail Association	Seeds of Stewardship	\$46,350.00	\$46,350.00	\$46,350.00	93
Sonoran Desert Mountain Bicyclists	Bike Ambassador Program	\$2,250.00	\$2,250.00	\$2,250.00	81
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$48,600.00</b>	<b>\$48,600.00</b>	<b>\$48,600.00</b>	

7. **Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 Historic Preservation American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Grant Application(s).** (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails) The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$298,600.00.

<b>2022 Heritage Fund Historic Preservation ARPA Grant Application(s)</b>					
<b>Project Information</b>			<b>Recommendation</b>		
<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Project</b>	<b>Request</b>	<b>Staff</b>	<b>Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC)</b>	<b>Score</b>
Fort Apache Foundation of the White Mountain Apache Tribe	Masonry Preservation for Nzhoonihí Benkegohen'áání Gow (Home of Harmony Project)	\$298,600.00	\$298,600.00	\$298,600.00	84
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$298,600.00</b>	<b>\$298,600.00</b>	<b>\$298,600.00</b>	

8. **Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 Heating, Ventilation, and Cooling (HVAC) American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Grant Application(s).** (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails) The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$461,590.00.

<b>2022 Heating, Ventilation, and Cooling (HVAC) American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Grant Applications</b>					
<b>Project Information</b>			<b>Recommendations</b>		
<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Project</b>	<b>Request</b>	<b>Staff</b>	<b>Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC)</b>	<b>Score</b>



Yuma Crossing National Heritage Area Corporation	Corral House HVAC Upgrades	\$12,660.00	\$12,660.00	\$12,660.00	73
Fort Apache Heritage Foundation of the White Mountain Apache Tribe	House of Harmony HVAC Project	\$199,380.00	\$199,380.00	\$199,380.00	91
Stratford Art Works, Inc.	Teatro Carmen HVAC System	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	63
City of Willcox	Willcox Community Center HVAC System	\$49,550.00	\$49,550.00	\$49,550.00	72
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$461,590.00</b>	<b>\$461,590.00</b>	<b>\$461,590.00</b>	

- 9. Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 Recreational Trails Program (RTP) Non-Motorized Trails Grant Application(s). (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails)** The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$592,860.00

<b>2022 Recreational Trails Program Non-Motorized Trails Grant Application(s)</b>						
<b>Project Information</b>			<b>Recommendations</b>			
<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Project</b>	<b>Request</b>	<b>Staff</b>	<b>Arizona State Committee on Trails (ASCOT)</b>	<b>Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC)</b>	<b>Score</b>
National Forest Foundation	Highline Trail Improvement Project, Phase II	\$149,982.00	\$149,982.00	\$149,982.00	\$149,982.00	16.0
Verde River Institute	Verde River Rangers and Safety Program	\$29,709.00	\$29,709.00	\$29,709.00	\$29,709.00	25.9
Rockin' River State Park	Trail Development	\$413,169.00	\$413,169.00	\$413,169.00	\$413,169.00	34.3
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$592,860.00</b>	<b>\$592,860.00</b>	<b>\$592,860.00</b>	<b>\$592,860.00</b>	

- 10. Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 Recreational Trails Program (RTP) Safety and Environmental Education (SEE) Grant Application(s). (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails)** The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$7,640.00.

<b>2022 Safety and Environmental Education Grant Application(s)</b>						
<b>Project Information</b>			<b>Recommendations</b>			
<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Project</b>	<b>Request</b>	<b>Staff</b>	<b>Arizona State Committee on Trails (ASCOT)</b>	<b>Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC)</b>	
Verde Search and Rescue Posse	Rescue Supplies and Equipment	\$7,640.00	\$7,640.00	\$7,640.00	\$7,640.00	
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$7,640.00</b>	<b>\$7,640.00</b>	<b>\$7,640.00</b>	<b>\$7,640.00</b>	

- 11. Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 Recreational Trails Program (RTP) Trail Maintenance Grant Application(s). (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails)** The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$44,990.00.

2022 Recreational Trails Program (RTP) Trail Maintenance Grant Application(s)				
Project Information			Recommendations	
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff	Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC)
Mohave County	Hualapai Trail Maintenance	\$44,990.00	\$44,990.00	\$44,990.00
TOTAL		\$44,990.00	\$44,990.00	\$44,990.00

- 12. Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 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 \$1,000,000.00.

2022 Land and Water Conservation Fund Grant Application(s)					
Project Information			Recommendations		
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff	Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC)	Score
City of Benson	Lion's Park Ballfield Development	\$1,000,000.00	\$750,000.00	\$750,000.00	70
TOTAL		\$1,000,000.00	\$750,000.00	\$750,000.00	

- 13. Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding an Amendment to The Budget for following Grant Application(s).** (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails) Arizona State Parks Board will review 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 Recommendation	AORCC Recommendation
City of Prescott	\$500,000.00	\$503,930.00	\$1,003,930.00	\$503,903.00	\$503,903.00

- 14. Legislative Update.** (Presenter: Brittany Hudson, Legislative Liaison) The Board will be briefed on the current legislative bills before the 2022 Arizona State Legislature. This agenda item is for information only.

#### **E. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

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

#### **F. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT ON CURRENT EVENTS**

The Executive Director 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 Board will not discuss or take any action on any current event summary.

#### **G. CURRENT EVENTS**

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## H. CALL TO THE PUBLIC

The Chair will recognize those wishing to address the Board. 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.

## I. FUTURE MEETING DATES

Arizona State Parks & Trails 2022 Board Meeting Schedule	
Date	Location
Thursday, June 16, 2022 <b>*Budget Discussion*</b>	Central Office
*Thursday, July 21, 2022	Central Office
**Thursday, August 18, 2022	Central Office
**Thursday, September 15, 2022	Central Office
Thursday, October 20, 2022	Central Office
Thursday, November 17, 2022	Central Office
Thursday, December 15, 2022	Central Office

\* July meeting is tentative, pending business needs.

\*\*The Board may choose to conduct this meeting at a site to be determined. Advanced notice will be posted consistent with Arizona Open Meeting Law.

## J. ADJOURNMENT

A copy of this agenda and any background material provided to Board 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](mailto: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 Jeff Schmidt at (480) 340-1305 or via email [jschmidt@azstateparks.gov](mailto:jschmidt@azstateparks.gov).

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**DRAFT MINUTES**  
of  
**THE ARIZONA STATE PARKS BOARD**  
of  
**THE ARIZONA STATE PARKS AND TRAILS**  
**March 17, 2022**

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

**Members present:** Dale Larsen, John Sefton, Lisa Atkins, Jeff Buchanan, Terri Palmberg

**Members participating telephonically:** Debbie Johnson, Sarah King, Nancy Jasculca (AG)

**Staff Present:** Director Bob Broscheid, Kevin Brock, Brittany Hudson, Mickey Rogers, Kelley Santillanes, Matt Eberhart, Cathryn Richards, Eric Vondy

**YouTube live stream link:** [https://youtu.be/bMn4\\_1uyLYU](https://youtu.be/bMn4_1uyLYU)

**A. CALL TO ORDER**

Dale Larsen, Chair of the Arizona State Parks Board, called the meeting to order at 10:00am.

**B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Member Sarah King led Board Members in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

**C. MEMBER ROLL CALL**

Prior to roll call, Dale Larsen read the Arizona State Parks Board Mission and Vision Statements.

**D. AGENDA ITEMS**

**1. Consideration of Action to Approve Minutes of the February 17, 2022 Board Meeting.**

Terri Palmberg moved to approve the minutes from the February 17, 2022 meeting. Jeff Buchanan seconded the motion. Dale Larsen approved. John Sefton approved. Lisa Atkins approved. Jeff Buchanan approved. Debbie Johnson approved. Sarah King approved. Terri Palmberg approved. The motion passed.

**2. Off-Highway Vehicle Recreation Fund.** Matt Eberhart presented to the Board a broad overview of the Off-Highway Vehicle Recreation Fund history. The presentation included legislation to establish the fund, strategic partnerships/outreach and local efforts to increase appropriate off road land use conservation efforts. The Board did not take any action.

**3. Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 Motorized Grant Application.** Jeff Buchanan moved to approve funding for the 2022 Motorized grant application as follows: Town of Camp Verde's Box T Remediation in the amount \$106,017.00. John Sefton seconded the motion. Dale Larsen approved. John Sefton approved. Lisa Atkins approved. Jeff Buchanan approved. Debbie Johnson approved. Sarah King approved. Terri Palmberg approved. The motion passed.

**4. Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 State Lake Improvement Fund Grant Application.** John Sefton moved to approve funding for the 2022 State Lake Improvement Fund grant application as follows: La Paz County Sheriff's Office, Waterway Safety Center Improvement in the amount: \$30,128.00.00. Jeff Buchanan seconded the motion. Dale Larsen approved. John Sefton approved. Lisa Atkins approved. Jeff Buchanan approved. Debbie Johnson approved. Sarah King approved. Terri Palmberg approved. The motion passed.

5. **Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 Heritage Fund Historic Preservation Grant Application(s).** (1) Jeff Buchanan moved to set aside the 2022 Heritage Fund Historic Preservation Grant application Vail Preservation Society's 1908 Old Vail Post Office Rehabilitation as a separate vote for review and approval. Terri Palmberg seconded the motion. Dale Larsen approved. John Sefton approved. Lisa Atkins approved. Jeff Buchanan approved. Debbie Johnson approved. Sarah King approved. Terri Palmberg approved. The motion passed. (2) Terri Palmberg moved to approve funding for the Vail Preservation Society's 1908 Old Vail Post Office Rehabilitation as set aside for review and approval in the amount of \$260,000.00. The motion was not seconded. (3) Jeff Buchanan moved to approve funding for the Vail Preservation Society's 1908 Old Vail Post Office Rehabilitation as set aside for review and approval in the amount of \$249,600.00. Lisa Atkins seconded the motion. Dale Larsen approved. John Sefton approved. Lisa Atkins approved. Jeff Buchanan approved. Debbie Johnson approved. Sarah King approved. Terri Palmberg voted no. The motion passed. (4) John Sefton moved to approve funding for the 2022 Heritage Fund Historic Preservation grant applications as follow: Tucson Parks and Recreation Historic Fort Lowell Rehabilitation in the amount of \$300,000.00, Stratford Art Works, Inc., Teatro Carmen Rehabilitation in the amount of \$300,000.00, Pima County Office of Sustainability and Conservation's Tucson Mountain Park- Juan Santa Cruz Rehabilitation in the amount of \$190,000.00, and the City of Prescott Historic Preservation Office Update and Historic Preservation Master Plan Update in the amount of -\$0-. Jeff Buchanan seconded the motion. Dale Larsen approved. John Sefton approved. Lisa Atkins approved. Jeff Buchanan approved. Debbie Johnson approved. Sarah King approved. Terri Palmberg approved. The motion passed.
6. **Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Grant Application(s).** Jeff Buchanan moved to approve funding for the 2022 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized grant applications as follows: National Forest Foundation Santa Catalina Trails Rehabilitation after the Big Horn Fire in the amount of \$100,000.00 and the TRACKS' White Mountains Trail System (WMTS) in the amount of \$59,125.00. Terri Palmberg seconded the motion. Dale Larsen approved. John Sefton approved. Lisa Atkins approved. Jeff Buchanan approved. Debbie Johnson approved. Sarah King approved. Terri Palmberg approved. The motion passed.
7. **Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Application(s).** Jeff Buchanan moved to approve funding for the 2022 Heritage Fund Environmental Education grant applications as follows: Verde River Institute's Verde River Riparian Monitoring and Education in the amount of \$21,000.00 and the Verde Valley Cyclists Red Rock Bike Patrol (RRBP) Outfitting and Skills Training in the amount of \$9,596.00. Terri Palmberg seconded the motion. Dale Larsen approved. John Sefton approved. Lisa Atkins approved. Jeff Buchanan approved. Sarah King approved. Terri Palmberg approved. The motion passed.
8. **Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Non-Motorized Grant Application.** John Sefton moved to approve funding for the 2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Non-Motorized grant application as follows: Sierra Vista Shared Use Path at Kayetan Drive in the amount of \$100,000.00. Lisa Atkins seconded the motion. Dale Larsen approved. John Sefton approved. Jeff Buchanan approved. Sarah King approved. Terri Palmberg approved. The motion passed.
9. **American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Funds.** Mickey Rogers briefed the Board on information regarding the \$1,00,000.00 ARPA funds that have been released and the remaining funds available for heating, ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) for historic sites. The Board did not take any action.
10. **Discussion And Consideration of Action to Approve, Modify, or Deny Proposed Scoring Criteria for the 2022 American Rescue Plan Act; Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC) Grant Applications.** Jeff Buchanan moved to approve the scoring criteria for the American Rescue Plan Act HVAC grant scoring as presented. Terri Palmberg seconded the motion. Dale Larsen approved. John Sefton approved. Jeff Buchanan approved. Sarah King approved. Terri Palmberg approved. The motion passed.



Category	Score
System (New/Upgrade)	20
Location (Urban/Rural)	20
Need	15
Public Benefit	12
With A Qualified Census Tract	10
Have Detailed Budget/Design	10
Timeline	5
Administrative Performance	4
Workshop Attendance	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>

**11. Arizona State Parks and Trails Volunteer Program.** Cathryn Richards briefed the Board on the changes to the Arizona State Parks and Trails Volunteer Program. The presentation included roles and responsibilities, demographics of park volunteers, training and contributions made to Arizona State Parks. The Board did not take any action.

**12. Update on the Implementation of the New Integrated Arizona State Parks Board and Trails Reservation System.** Kevin Brock gave the Board an update on the recent acquisition of US eDirect by Tyler Technologies Inc and the recent announcement regarding future reservations. The Board did not take any action. Assistant Director Brock also updated the Board on the ongoing Sunset Audit review progress. The Board did not take any action.

**13. Legislative Update.** Brittany Hudson, Legislative Liaison, briefed the Board on the current legislative bills before the 2022 Arizona State Legislature. The Board did not take any action.

**14. March Park Highlight: Lyman Lake State Park.** The is agenda item was not presented to the Board due to the park manager being unable to attending the meeting. The presentation will be rescheduled at a later date. The Board did not take any action.

#### **E. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

Chairman Larsen discussed the possibility of conducting the July or August 2022 Board meeting at a site to be determined. The Board did not take any action.

#### **F. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT ON CURRENT EVENTS**

The Director did not provide a report at this meeting.

#### **G. CURRENT EVENTS**

The Board did not discuss any currents events.

#### **H. CALL TO THE PUBLIC**

No members of the public requested to speak.

#### **I. FUTURE MEETING DATES**

Arizona State Parks and Trails 2022 Board Meeting Schedule	
Date	Location
Thursday, April 21, 2022	Central Office
Thursday, May 19, 2022	Central Office
Thursday, June 16, 2022	Central Office
<b>*Budget Discussion*</b>	

**Thursday, July 21, 2022	Central Office
**Thursday, August 18, 2022	Central Office
**The Board may choose to conduct this meeting at a site to be determined. Advance notice will be posted consistent with Arizona Open Meeting law.	

**J. ADJOURNMENT**

*The meeting adjourned at 1:00pm.*

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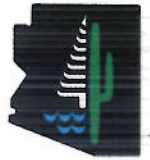


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**Date:** May 19, 2022

**To:** Dale Larsen, Chair, Arizona State Parks Board

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

**Subject:** 2022 Motorized Grant Applications

**Background:**

The Off-Highway Vehicle Recreation Fund provides grant funding for the planning and development of motorized trails, trailhead facilities, law enforcement, and education. There is currently \$4,800,000 in funding available for submitted grant applications. For the May 19, 2022 Board meeting there were two (2) projects submitted with a total funding request of \$2,528,442.00.

**Recommendation:**

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff, The Off-Highway Vehicle Advisory Group (OHVAG), and The Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC) reviewed the following Motorized application(s) and made recommendations based on priorities set in the Arizona State Parks and Trails 2020 State Trails Plan and project need.

2022 Motorized Grant Application(s)						
Project Information			Recommendations			
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff	OHVAG	AORCC	Score
Tonto National Forest: Cave Creek Ranger District	Travel Management Heritage Inventories	\$525,000.00	\$525,000.00	\$525,000.00	\$525,000.00	19
Arizona State Parks and Trails	River Island Staging Area	\$2,003,442.00	\$2,003,442.00	\$2,003,442.00	\$2,003,442.00	15
TOTAL		\$2,528,442.00	\$2,528,442.00	\$2,528,442.00	\$2,528,442.00	

**Recommended Motion:**

I move that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 Motorized Grant Application(s) as follows: Tonto National Forest: Cave Creek Ranger District, Travel Management Heritage Inventories in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_, and Arizona State Parks and Trails, River Island Staging Area in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

**Prepared by:** Matt Eberhart, State OHV Coordinator, Arizona State Parks and Trails

**Approved:**

Bob Broscheid, Executive Director





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**Date:** May 19, 2022

**To:** Dale Larsen, Chair, Arizona State Parks Board

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

**Subject:** 2022 Supplemental Grant Applications

**Background:**

The Off-Highway Vehicle Recreation Fund provides grant funding for the planning and development of motorized trails, trailhead facilities, law enforcement, and education. There is currently \$4,800,000 in funding available for submitted grant applications. For the May 19, 2022 Board meeting there was one (1) project submitted with a total funding request of \$60,000.00.

**Recommendation:**

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff, The Off-Highway Vehicle Advisory Group (OHVAG), and The Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC) reviewed the following Supplemental application(s) and made recommendations based on priorities set in the Arizona State Parks and Trails 2020 State Trails Plan and project need.

2022 Supplemental Grant Application(s)					
			Recommendations		
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff	OHVAG	AORCC
Cottonwood Police Department	Law Enforcement Equipment	\$60,000.00	\$60,000.00	\$60,000.00	\$60,000.00
TOTAL		\$60,000.00	\$60,000.00	\$60,000.00	\$60,000.00

**Recommended Motion:**

I move that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 Supplemental Grant Application(s) as follows: Cottonwood Police Department, Law Enforcement Equipment grant application in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

**Prepared by:** Matt Eberhart, State OHV Coordinator, Arizona State Parks and Trails

**Approved:**

Bob Broscheid, Executive Director



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Governor

# ARIZONA STATE PARKS & TRAILS

Bob Broscheid  
Executive Director



**Date:** May 19, 2022

**To:** Dale Larsen, Chair, Arizona State Parks Board

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

**Subject:** 2022 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. For the May 19, 2022 Board meeting there were three (3) projects submitted with a total funding request of \$1,884,960.00.

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 and the Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC) reviewed the following SLIF application(s) and made recommendations based on the Board approved State Lake Improvement Fund scoring.

2022 State Lake Improvement Fund Grant Application(s)					
Project Information			Recommendations		
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff	AORCC	Score
Bullhead City Police Department	Water Safety Expansion	\$285,900.00	\$285,900.00	\$285,900.00	90
Maricopa County	Lake Pleasant Wind Warning System	\$620,791.00	\$620,791.00	\$620,791.00	80
Arizona Game and Fish Department	Parker Canyon Lake Boat Launch Improvements	\$978,089.00	\$978,089.00	\$978,089.00	74
TOTAL		\$1,884,780.00	\$1,884,780.00	\$1,884,780.00	

**Recommended Motion:**

I move that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 State Lake Improvement Fund grant application(s) as follows: Bullhead City Police Department, Water Safety Expansion in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, Maricopa County, Lake Pleasant Wind Warning System in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, and Arizona Game and Fish Department, Parker Canyon Lake Boat Launch Improvements 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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Bob Broscheid  
Executive Director



**Date:** May 19, 2022

**To:** Dale Larsen, Chair, Arizona State Parks Board

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

**Subject:** 2022 Heritage Non-Motorized Trails Grant Applications

**Background:**

The Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Trails program provides grant funding for constructing and maintaining non-motorized trails and trailhead facilities. A total of \$500,000 was appropriated from the Arizona Legislature in 2021. A project sponsor may apply to up to 20% of these appropriated funds or \$100,000.00. For the May 19, 2022 Board meeting one (1) project has been submitted with a total funding request of \$80,515.00.

**Recommendation:**

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff, the Arizona State Committee on Trails (ASCOT) and the Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC) 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 need.

2022 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Grant Application(s)						
Project Information			Recommendations			
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff	ASCOT	AORCC	Score
Town of Snowflake	Cottonwood Wash Trail	\$80,515.00	\$80,515.00	\$80,515.00	\$80,515.00	30.5
TOTAL		\$80,515.00	\$80,515.00	\$80,515.00	\$80,515.00	

**Recommended Motion:**

I move that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized grant application(s) as follows: Town of Snowflake, Cottonwood Wash 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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Executive Director



**Date:** May 19, 2022

**To:** Dale Larsen, Chair, Arizona State Parks Board

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

**Subject:** 2022 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Applications

**Background:**

The Heritage Fund Environmental Education grant provides matching funds to develop and promote outdoor and environmental protection programs related to outdoor recreation. A total of \$500,000.00 was appropriated for the Environmental Education program during the 2021 Arizona State Legislative session. For the May 19, 2022 Board meeting two (2) projects have been submitted with a total funding request of \$48,600.00.

A project sponsor may apply to up to 20 % of these appropriated funds or \$100,000.00

**Recommendation:**

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff and the Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC) reviewed the following Heritage Fund Environmental Education applications and made recommendations based on the Board Approved Heritage Fund Environmental Education scoring.

2022 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Applications					
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff	AORCC	Score
Arizona Trail Association	Seeds of Stewardship	\$46,350.00	\$46,350.00	\$46,350.00	93
Sonoran Desert Mountain Bicyclists	Bike Ambassador Program	\$2,250.00	\$2,250.00	\$2,250.00	81
TOTAL		\$48,600.00	\$48,600.00	\$48,600.00	

**Recommended Motion:**

I move that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 Heritage Fund Environmental Education grant applications as follows: Arizona Trail Association, Seeds of Stewardship in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, and Sonoran Desert Mountain Bicyclists, Bike Ambassador Program 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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Executive Director



**Date:** May 19, 2022

**To:** Dale Larsen, Chair, Arizona State Parks Board

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

**Subject:** 2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Applications - Historic Preservation

**Background:**

The American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding provides funding to assist facilities that were impacted during COVID. They also provided essential benefits to mental and physical health which is specifically defined in the Rescue Act guidelines. The focus of these funds are historic preservation projects in neighborhoods and in areas that have been identified as underserved communities. These funds are available loosely in the same categories as the appropriated Historic Preservation Heritage Funds. A total of \$1,500,000 was made available for this program. These grants require no match and must be completed within two years of the funds being awarded.

A project sponsor may apply for up to 20% of these funds or \$300,000.00.

**Recommendation:**

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff and the Governor's office reviewed this Historic Preservation ARPA application and made recommendations based on ARPA eligibility.

2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Historic Preservation Grant Application(s)					
			Recommendations		
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff	AORCC	Score
Fort Apache Foundation of the White Mountain Apache Tribe	Masonry Preservation for Nzhooníhí Benkegohen'áání Gow (Home of Harmony Project)	\$298,600.00	\$298,600.00	\$298,600.00	84
TOTAL		\$298,600.00	\$298,600.00	\$298,600.00	

**Recommended Motion:**

I move that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Grant Application as follows: Fort Apache Foundation of the White Mountain Apache Tribe, Home of Harmony Project in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

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

**Approved:**

Bob Broscheid, Executive Director





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Bob Broscheid  
Executive Director



**Date:** May 19, 2022

**To:** Dale Larsen, Chair, Arizona State Parks Board

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

**Subject:** 2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Applications - Heating, Ventilation, and Cooling (HVAC) Systems

**Background:**

The American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding provides funding to assist facilities that were impacted during COVID. These funds are specifically related to the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund to support COVID-19 related activities in accordance with the State Fiscal Recovery Fund Expenditure Category 2.11 Aid to Tourism, Travel or Hospitality. Specifically, these funds are to be used for grants to replace or upgrade HVAC/air filtration systems to provide a safe and healthy environment for visitors during the current and post pandemic environment. A total of \$1,000,000 was made available for this program. These grants require no match and must be completed within two years of the funds being awarded.

A project sponsor may apply for up to 20% of these available funds or \$200,000.00

**Recommendation:**

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff, the Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC), and the Governor's office reviewed these non-motorized ARPA applications and made recommendations based on ARPA eligibility.

**2022 Heating, Ventilation, and Cooling (HVAC) American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Grant Applications**

Project Information			Recommendations		
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff	AORCC	Score
Yuma Crossing National Heritage Area Corporation	Corral House HVAC Upgrades	\$12,660.00	\$12,660.00	\$12,660.00	73
Fort Apache Heritage Foundation of the White Mountain Apache Tribe	House of Harmony HVAC Project	\$199,380.00	\$199,380.00	\$199,380.00	91
Stratford Art Works, Inc.	Teatro Carmen HVAC System	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00	63
City of Willcox	Willcox Community Center HVAC System	\$49,550.00	\$49,550.00	\$49,550.00	72
TOTAL		\$461,590.00	\$461,590.00	\$461,590.00	

**Recommended Motion:**

I move that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Grant Application(s) as follows: Yuma Crossing Natural Heritage Corral House HVAC Upgrades in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, Fort Apache Heritage Foundation of the White Mountain Apache Tribe's House of Harmony HVAC Project in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, Stratford Art Works' Teatro Carmen HVAC System in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, and Willcox Community Center in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.



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

Approved:

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Bob Broscheid, Executive Director



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Executive Director



**Date:** May 19, 2022

**To:** Dale Larsen, Chair, Arizona State Parks Board

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

**Subject:** 2022 Recreational Trails Program Non-Motorized Applications

**Background:**

The Recreational Trails Program provides grant funding for constructing and maintaining motorized 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 and an additional \$766,205 can be used for non-motorized diverse projects. The total funding request for the submitted projects is \$592,860.00.

**Recommendation:**

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff, The Arizona State Committee on Trails (ASCOT) and the Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC) reviewed the following Non-Motorized application(s) and made recommendations based on priorities set in the Arizona State Parks and Trails 2020 State Trails Plan and project need.

2022 Recreational Trails Program Non-Motorized Grant Application(s)						
Project Information			Recommendations			
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff	ASCOT	AORCC	Score
National Forest Foundation	Highline Trail Improvement Project, Phase II	\$149,982.00	\$149,982.00	\$149,982.00	\$149,982.00	16.0
Verde River Institute	Verde River Rangers and Safety Program	\$29,709.00	\$29,709.00	\$29,709.00	\$29,709.00	25.9
Rockin' River State Park	Trail Development	\$413,169.00	\$413,169.00	\$413,169.00	\$413,169.00	34.3
TOTAL		\$592,860.00	\$592,860.00	\$592,860.00	\$592,860.00	

**Recommended Motion:**

I move that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 Non-Motorized Grant Application(s) as follows: National Forest Foundation, Highline Trail Improvement Project, Phase II in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, Verde River Institute, Verde River Rangers and Safety Program in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, and Rockin' River State Park, Trail Development 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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Executive Director



**Date:** May 19, 2022

**To:** Dale Larsen, Chair, Arizona State Parks Board  
**From:** Bob Broscheid, Executive Director, Arizona State Parks and Trails

**Subject:** 2022 Recreational Trails Program Safety and Environmental Education (SEE) Grant Applications

**Background:**

The Recreational Trails Program provides funds for motorized, non-motorized and diverse projects. Up to 5% of apportioned funds (\$95,776.00) can be used for safety and education grants as they relate to trails.

A project sponsor can apply for up to \$10,000 per grant and must have a minimum of a 5.7% match for each project.

**Recommendation:**

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff, The Arizona State Committee on Trails (ASCOT) and the Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC) reviewed the following SEE application(s) and made recommendations based on priorities set in the Arizona State Parks and Trails 2020 State Trails Plan and project need.

2022 Safety and Environmental Education (SEE) Grant Application(s)					
Project Information			Recommendations		
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff	ASCOT	AORCC
Verde Search and Rescue Posse	Rescue Supplies and Equipment	\$7,640.00	\$7,640.00	\$7,640.00	\$7,640.00
TOTAL		\$7,640.00	\$7,640.00	\$7,640.00	\$7,640.00

**Recommended Motion:**

I move that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 Safety and Environmental Education (SEE) Program grant application(s) as follows: Verde Search and Rescue Posse, Rescue Supplies and Equipment SEE Project in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

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

**Approved:**

Bob Broscheid, Executive Director





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Bob Broscheid  
Executive Director



**Date:** May 19, 2022

**To:** Dale Larsen, Chair, Arizona State Parks Board

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

**Subject:** 2022 Recreational Trails Program Trail Maintenance Grant Applications

**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 three 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, the Arizona State Committee on Trails (ASCOT) and the Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC) reviewed the following Trail Maintenance application(s) and made recommendations based on priorities set in the Arizona State Parks and Trails 2020 State Trails Plan and project need.

2022 Recreational Trails Program (RTP) Trail Maintenance Grant Application(s)					
Project Information			Recommendations		
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff	ASCOT	AORCC
Mohave County	Hualapai Trail Maintenance	\$44,990.00	\$44,990.00	\$44,990.00	\$44,990.00
TOTAL		\$44,990.00	\$44,990.00	\$44,990.00	\$44,990.00

**Recommended Motion:**

I move that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 Trail Maintenance Program grant application(s) as follows: Mohave County, Hualapai Trail Maintenance Project in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

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

**Approved:**

Bob Broscheid, Executive Director





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Bob Broscheid  
Executive Director



**Date:** May 19, 2022

**To:** Dale Larsen, Chair, Arizona State Parks Board

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

**Subject:** 2022 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 1 to 1 match. Once LWCF funding has been used, a project area must remain open to outdoor recreation creating a legacy of outdoor recreation opportunities for generations to come.

**Recommendation:**

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff and the Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC) reviewed the following Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) grant application(s) and made recommendations based on the 2018-2022 State Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan and funding available.

2022 Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) Grant Application(s)					
Project Information			Recommendations		
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff	AORCC	Score
City of Benson	Lion's Park Ballfield Development	\$1,000,000.00	\$750,000.00	\$750,000.00	70
TOTAL		\$1,000,000.00	\$750,000.00	\$750,000.00	

**Recommended Motion:**

I move that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 Land and Water Conservation Fund Application(s) as follows: City of Benson, Lion's Park Ballfield Development in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

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

**Approved:**

Bob Broscheid, Executive Director



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Executive Director



**Date:** May 19, 2022

**To:** Dale Larsen, Chair, Arizona State Parks Board

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

**Subject:** 04-00775 – City of Prescott Granite Creek Corridor Project Amendment

**Background:**

In fiscal year 2020, the Arizona State Parks Board awarded the City of Prescott \$500,000.00 to develop a new multi-use trail, Granite Creek Trail Corridor. The award to the City of Prescott was delayed several months with the National Park Service due to their backlog of projects. This delay caused a significant increase in construction costs for this project once bids were finalized. The City of Prescott is requesting a \$503,930.00 increase to their project award to cover these expenses. The funding increase will be matched with their funds.

**Recommendation:**

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff reviewed the request for amendment to project 04-00775 and have made recommendations based on project need and funding availability.

Amendment Request(s)				Recommendations	
Project/Sponsor	Original Award	Amended Increase Request	New Award	Staff	AORCC
City of Prescott	\$500,000.00	\$503,930.00	\$1,003,930.00	\$503,903.00	\$503,903.00

**Recommended Motion:**

I move that the Arizona State Park Board approve an amendment to the budget for Arizona State Parks and Trails Project Number 04-00775 to increase the award amount from \$500,000.00 to \$1,003,930.00.

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

**Approved:**

Bob Broscheid, Executive Director





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## SUMMARY OF LEGISLATION 55<sup>TH</sup> 2<sup>ND</sup> REGULAR SESSION:

### HB 2038: state lake improvement fund:

**Summary:** Allows not more than 10% of monies to be deposited in the fund to fund staff support to plan and administer the fund. Removes the language to allow for monies to be used for administrative tasks and recreation plans of the board. Adds that monies in fund must be used also for water search and rescue operations.

The bill passed out of the House Chamber and passed out of the Senate Appropriations committee. This issue will be reserved for budget negotiations.

### HB 2052: off-highway; recreation fund; annual report: THIS BILL IS A DEAD BILL.

**Summary:** Requires the annual report to be published on the Department's website. Currently the statute requires the report to be made available to the public, this bill just specifies where.

The bill passed out of the House Chamber.

### HB 2130: recreational users; property:

**Summary:** The bill states that a user of a premises accepts the risks created by the user's activities and must exercise reasonable care in those activities. Exempts a landowner, easement holder, lessee, tenant, manager or occupant of private or public land from liability for damages in any civil action for unknown conditions on the land. States that installing a sign or other form of warning of a dangerous condition, use, structure or activity, or any modification made for the purpose of improving the safety of others, or otherwise failing to maintain or keep in place such a warning, does not create liability on the part of the owner if there is no other basis for that liability. States that statute governing landowner duties applies to the duties and liability of any governmental entity, nongovernmental organization or person that performs certain actions regarding land made available to the public for recreational or educational purposes. States that statute governing landowner duties does not create a duty of care or basis of liability for injury to persons or property. States that statute governing landowner duties does not relieve any user from any obligation that the user may have to exercise reasonable care in the user's activities on the land or from legal consequences for failing to employ such care. States that a user is liable to an owner for any damage to the land, property, livestock or crops that the user may cause while on that land.

This bill passed out of the House and Senate Chambers.

### HB 2371: state agencies; cash payment; acceptance: THIS BILL IS A DEAD BILL.





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~~**Summary:** Requires that each state agency or authorized agent of a state agency must accept cash and money orders to pay any amount due to that agency or agent or this state.~~

~~This bill passed out of the House Chamber and was referred to the Senate Finance committee.~~

### **HB 2398: dude ranches; heritage trail program:**

**Summary:** Establishes the Arizona Dude Ranch Heritage Trail Program. Authorizes the Parks Board to designate a dude ranch for inclusion in this program if it meets all specified criteria. Instructs the Board to decide on designation within 30 days of receiving an application. Directs the Board, in collaboration with the largest dude ranch or guest ranch association, to create signs and indicia a ranch can use to identify and promote its designation. Requires the applicant to pay for the cost of designing and creating the plaque. Stipulates that the Board allow additions or modifications to a designated dude ranch if its original character is preserved. Creates the Arizona Dude Ranch Heritage Trail, which consists of designated dude ranches.

The bill passed out of the House and Senate Chambers and was signed by the Governor.

### **HB 2412: open meetings; digital recordings:**

**Summary:** Requires all public bodies to provide for both the taking of written minutes and provide for an audio or audiovisual recording of all public meetings, except for executive sessions, rather than requiring either the taking of minutes or a recording. Requires minutes to be posted online 3 days following the approval of minutes, rather than within 3 working days of the meeting. Requires any posting required for a meeting of a public body to remain on the applicable website for at least 3 years.

This bill passed out of the House Chamber and passed out of the Senate Government committee and Senate caucus proceedings. This bill is moving through the Senate and passed out of Senate caucus proceedings.

### **HB 2453: governmental entities; mask requirement; prohibition:**

**Summary:** States that a governmental entity may not impose any requirement to wear a mask or face covering anywhere on the governmental entity's premises, except where long-standing workplace safety and infection control measures that are unrelated to covid-19 may be required.

This bill passed out of House Chamber and passed out of the Senate Government committee and Senate caucus proceedings. This bill is moving through the Senate and passed Senate committee of the whole proceedings.

### **HB 2498: COVID-19; vaccination requirements; prohibition:**

**Summary:** States that a government entity may not require a resident of this state to receive a vaccination for covid-19 or any variant of covid-19.

This bill passed out of the House and Senate Chambers and was signed by the Governor.





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## HB 2587: public records; point of contact:

**Summary:** States that any entity that is subject to a public records request shall provide the name, telephone number and email address of the employee who is authorized and able to provide the information requested. This information shall be made available to the public on the website maintained by the entity. An employee who is authorized and able to provide information requested shall reply within five business days acknowledging receipt of the request.

This bill passed out of the House and the Senate Chambers. The Governor signed the bill.

## HB 2611: vaccinations; masks; requirements; enforcement prohibition: THIS BILL IS A DEAD BILL.

**Summary:** ~~States that any governmental entity or any person doing business in this state may not enforce on a student without parental consent or on an employee any requirement that the person receive a vaccination for covid 19 or any variant of covid 19 or wear a mask. A person who violates this section is guilty of a class 1 misdemeanor.~~

~~This bill did not receive a committee hearing.~~

## HB 2753: executive session; public meetings: THIS BILL IS A DEAD BILL.

**Summary:** ~~States that if an executive session is scheduled, a notice of the executive session shall state the provision of law authorizing the executive session and, in the case of legal advice, shall include the specific provision of 25 section 38-431.03 to which the legal advice pertains, and the notice shall be provided to the: 1. Members of the public body. 2. General public.~~

~~This bill did not receive a committee hearing.~~

## HB 2760: historic preservation; tax credit: THIS BILL IS A DEAD BILL.

**Summary:** ~~States that the Arizona state parks board shall receive applications and evaluate and certify the substantial rehabilitation of a certified historic structure for the purpose of income tax credits. (Lengthy Bill)~~

~~This bill did not receive a committee hearing.~~

## HB 2789: Arizona trail fund; purpose:

**Summary:** Requires the Arizona state parks board shall administer the Arizona trail fund and the monies in the fund are continuously appropriated for the sole purpose purposes of constructing, maintaining and preserving the Arizona trail, including constructing, maintaining and improving water sources, signs, gates and public access.



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This bill passed out of the House Appropriations and House caucus proceedings. This issue will most likely be a part of the budget negotiations.

**HB 2831: state parks fees; exemptions: THIS BILL IS A DEAD BILL.**

**Summary:** Requires a person who is an enrolled member of a federally recognized Indian tribe located wholly or partially in this state is exempt from admission fees, camping permit fees and park service fees of any state park.

This bill did not receive a committee hearing.

**HCR 2019: Arizona's get outdoors initiative:**

**Summary:** Requires Members of the Legislature to recognize that it is critical for the physical, mental and social well-being of Arizona's residents that the state promote healthy, active lifestyles filled with outdoor experiences of all types for Arizona residents, while respecting private property rights, etc.

This bill was unanimously adopted in the House and transferred to the Senate. This HCR did not receive a hearing at the Senate.

**SB 1270: state parks; lottery; heritage fund:**

**Summary:** States that out of the money remaining in the state lottery fund each fiscal year after appropriations and deposits, beginning in fiscal year 2023-2024 and each year thereafter, \$3,000,000 shall be deposited in the Arizona state parks heritage fund.

This bill passed out of the Senate Chamber. This bill also passed the House Land, Agriculture, and Rural Affairs committee and also the House Appropriations committee. This bill will be a part of the budget negotiations.

**SB 1298: governmental mask mandate; prohibition:**

**Summary:** States that a governmental entity may not impose any requirement to wear a mask or face covering anywhere on the governmental entity's premises, except where long-standing workplace safety and infection control measures that are unrelated to covid-19 may be required.

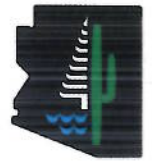
This bill passed out of the Senate Chamber. This bill was not given a hearing at the House.

**SB: 1346: state employees; vaccination inquiries; prohibited:**

**Summary:** States that any state agency or any contractor for this state may not send its employees to inquire about a person's vaccination status on a door-to-door basis.

This bill passed out of the Senate Chamber. This bill passed the House Government committee and passed the House caucus proceedings. This bill is still moving through the House.





### **SB 1377: Off-highway vehicles; fund; instruction; operation:**

**Summary:** States that the Arizona state parks board shall spend fifty percent of the monies in the off-highway vehicle recreation fund for the following purposes: Not more than ten percent to fund staff support to plan and administer the off-highway vehicle recreation fund. Any designation or acquisition of land must be approved at a public meeting of the Arizona state parks board. At least ten percent for enforcement of off-highway vehicle laws. At least ten percent for state land lessee impacts.

Adds that in determining the amount of monies for eligible projects, the Arizona state parks board shall give preference to applications for projects that address impacts to state land lessees, for nonfederal projects, for projects where federal entities work with state and local entities.

Requires each agency to report the number and status of off-highway vehicle injury claims filed in the annual report. All off-highway vehicle operators and passengers assume all risks of personal injury or death associated with recreational use on public, state or private land. landowners and their authorized lessees do not have a duty to keep lands safe for entry and use by recreational users or to warn of or maintain lands and trails against unsafe conditions.

This bill passed the Senate Chamber. This bill passed the House Transportation committee but has not moved since.

### **SB 1405: state parks board; volunteers; fingerprinting:**

**Summary:** Allows the Arizona state parks board to require volunteers who collect fees or interact with children or vulnerable adults within a state park to submit a full set of fingerprints to the board for the purpose of obtaining a state and federal criminal record check.

Allows the Department of Public Safety to exchange this fingerprint data with the FBI.

This bill passed the Senate and the House Chambers. The Governor signed the bill.

### **SB 1414: vaccine requirements; employers; prohibition: THIS BILL IS A DEAD BILL.**

**Summary:** ~~States that any government entity or any person doing business in this state may not require an employee to receive a vaccination for covid-19 or any variant of covid-19.~~

~~This bill did not receive a committee hearing.~~

### **SB 1558: appropriation; Little Colorado visitor center: THIS BILL IS A DEAD BILL.**

**Summary:** ~~Appropriates \$1,000,000 from the state general fund in fiscal year 2022-2023 to the Arizona state parks board to distribute to Navajo county to construct a Little Colorado River visitor center.~~

~~This bill did not receive a committee hearing.~~





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**SB 1559: state parks; heritage fund; lottery: THIS BILL IS A DEAD BILL.**

**Summary:** ~~States that out of the money remaining in the state lottery fund each fiscal year after appropriations and deposits, beginning in fiscal year 2023-2024 and each year thereafter, \$10,000,000 shall be deposited in the Arizona state parks heritage fund.~~

~~This bill did not receive a committee hearing.~~

**SB 1596: off-highway vehicle study committee:**

**Summary:** Establishes an off-highway vehicle study committee consisting of the Director of the state parks board or designee amongst others. The committee must meet to collect and study information from the public and stakeholders regarding ohv issues. The committee doesn't receive compensation. This committee is repealed on May 31, 2024.

This bill passed out of the Senate and House Chambers. The Governor has signed this bill.

**SB 1670: state agencies; tribal liaison: THIS BILL IS A DEAD BILL.**

**Summary:** ~~States that the Governor shall require all state agencies in this state to employ a tribal liaison from a recognized tribe in this state to represent and facilitate communications between each state agency and tribal communities in this state.~~

~~This bill did not receive a committee hearing.~~

**SCR 1010: Arizona's outdoors; recreation; supporting:**

**Summary:** Requires Members of the Legislature to recognize that it is critical for the physical, mental and social well-being of Arizona's residents that the state promote healthy, active lifestyles filled with outdoor experiences of all types for Arizona residents, while respecting private property rights, etc.

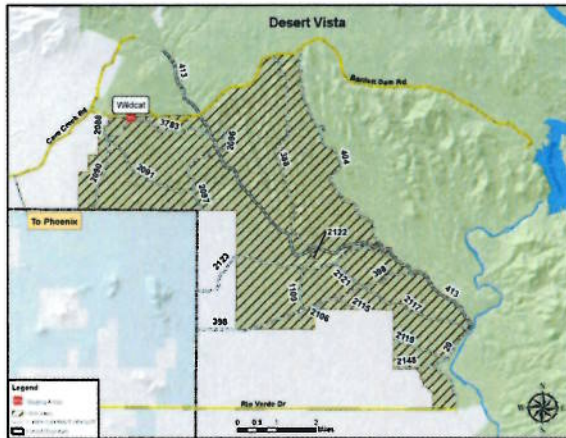
This HCR was passed by the Senate and House Chambers and transmitted to the Secretary of State.

## 2022 Motorized Grant Applications

### Tonto National Forest: Cave Creek Ranger District – Travel Management Heritage Inventories

Funding Request – \$525,000.00

Project Score – 19



The Travel Management planning effort on the Tonto National Forest (TNF) requires that prior to posting any approved new routes or OHV areas on the Motor Vehicle Use Maps, archeological inventories and evaluations must be completed in accordance with Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act to identify and address any potential effects to cultural resources from motor vehicle use in these areas.

The scope of this project is to conduct archaeological inventories of all of the proposed new routes, approved OHV areas, and Tot Lots as required by the TNF Travel Management plan.

The TNF will use the funds to contract with a private cultural resources management firm to conduct the inventories and evaluations.

The TNF staff will review the results of the evaluations and conduct all the consultation with the Arizona State Historic Preservation Office and consulting tribes in an effort to complete all of the requirements of the National Historic Preservation Act. This will then fulfil the requirements of the Travel Management Plan and allow for the inclusion of the newly approved routes on to the Motor Vehicle Use Maps (MVUM).

This MVUM will be the starting point for managing motor vehicle use on the TNF and will allow the Forest to manage motor vehicle use to balance the use with protecting the natural and cultural resources, complying with applicable laws, regulations, and policies, and thereby providing for sustainable motor vehicle recreation opportunities.

Moving forward the TNF will be working collaboratively with partners and stakeholders on identifying future program and public needs for including repairs, reroutes, decommissioning, rehabilitation, facilities through future project planning efforts.



**Arizona State Parks and Trails – River Island Staging Area**  
**Funding Request – \$2,003,442.00**  
**Project Score – 15**



RIVER ISLAND OHV TRAILHEAD MASTER PLAN



Arizona State Parks is proposing to develop a new trailhead within River Island State Park in the vicinity of Parker in La Paz County, Arizona. The goal of the project is to provide Off Highway Vehicles (OHV) access to the mountain trails south of State Route (SR) 95. The land for the proposed development is owned by Arizona State Parks; no additional land acquisition will be required. The proposed project area footprint of approximately 21 acres. Under contract to Arizona State Parks, J2 Engineering & Environmental Design (J2) will develop a master plan for the project.

Project components will include construction of a day-use area, restrooms, parking areas, drinking fountains, camping and Recreational Vehicle (RV) spaces, shower facilities, shade structures, and signage; installation of new utilities—including water, sewer, and electrical—as well as construction of an on-site treatment facility for sewage and wastewater—also are planned. The site currently has several standing storage units and a convenience store/gas station, which will be removed as part of the project. Potential roadway modifications to existing SR 95 may be required to facilitate ingress and egress to the site.



## **2022 Supplemental Grant Applications**

### **Cottonwood Police Department – Law Enforcement Equipment Funding Request – \$60,000.00**



The Cottonwood Police Department will utilize the funds to purchase a side by side Off Highway Vehicle with emergency light package, police radio, and trailer for transporting the vehicle for the purposes of educating the public on Arizona Off Highway Vehicle laws and safety as well as enforcement of Arizona off highway regulations. We currently provide law enforcement on State Trust Land in Yavapai County, Coconino/Prescott National Forests, Dead Horse State Park, in conjunction with US Forest Law Enforcement, State Trust Land Investigators, and other local agencies like the Yavapai County Sheriff's Office. These are high volume Off Highway Vehicle areas partially due to the many Off Highway Vehicle Adventure rental companies in the area. The project would also include assisting our regional partners with additional OHV enforcement operations and public educational opportunities.

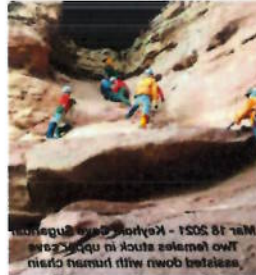
In addition to OHV enforcement, we will utilize the purchased vehicle for public education on OHV regulations and safety while on patrol and at public events like National Night Out, Dead Horse State Park Verde River Days, and Thunder Valley Rally.

The vehicle can also be utilized for environmental clean-up of trash left behind by those utilizing our public lands in conjunction with an alternative sentencing community service work crew program.

## 2022 Recreational Trails Safety and Environmental Education Grant Applications

**Sponsor: Verde Search and Rescue Posse**

**Project Title: Rescue Supplies and Equipment**



### **Grant Request: \$7,640.00**

The funds requested will be utilized to provide lifesaving AED equipment and accessories, which will be invaluable in first response situations at base where revival is a necessity. This need applies to both subjects and VSAR volunteers as well. Many visitors or residents overestimate their capabilities on the trails and wind up in this situation. Extreme temperatures, over exertion and poor judgement contribute to the need for emergency life-saving equipment and actions.

In addition to life saving equipment, funds will be used to replace supplies we use during search and rescue operations. These include but are not limited to first aid kits, ropes and other climbing accessories, clothing for subjects and responders, and disposable field supplies.

## 2022 Trail Maintenance Grant Applications

**Sponsor: Mohave County**

**Project Title: Hualapai Trail Maintenance**

**Grant Request: \$44,900.00**



The trail system, while very well built, years of wear and tear have been compounded by the 2021 Flag Fire which impacted approximately 3 miles of the trail system in April. Then, monsoon season dropped over 13" of precipitation on the burn scar resulting in severe trail destruction and some complete washouts. Mohave County Parks seeks the use of funds to not only help continue to make progress on repairs, but to augment the effort leading to a successful outcome.

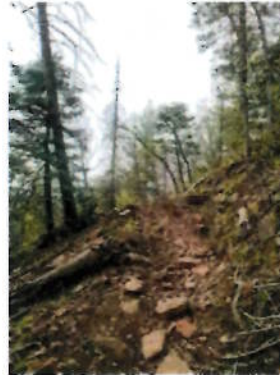


### **2022 Recreational Trails Program Non-Motorized Grant Applications**

**Sponsor: National Forest Foundation**

**Project Title: Highline Trail Rehabilitation, Phase II**

**Grant Request: \$149,982.00**



The Tonto National Forest, National Forest Foundation (NFF), and Wild Arizona (WAZ) partner on the Highline Trail Improvement Project, Phase Two that extends from Washington Park to the Tonto Fish Hatchery. The request RTP funds to support Phase 1, Part A that will address deferred maintenance needs on approximately 6 miles of trail and construct 10+ miles of new trail to realign eroding trails onto sustainable grades.

**Sponsor: Verde River Institute**

**Project Title: Verde River Rangers and Safety Program**

**Grant Request: \$29,709.00**



In its third year, the Verde River Rangers and Safety Program will provide professional on-river assistance to the boating and recreating public on the 4-mile Verde River @ Clarkdale stretch of the Verde River. The program will also organize and host events at the Verde River to promote boating and water safety.

Rangers will patrol the Verde River's most intensely-used stretch in kayaks and provide recreators with necessary assistance, information and education, and will promote PFD use and other safe practices. In general, Rangers will be on duty most weekends during the boating season (generally March through November) and other busy days, like holidays, etc.

Rangers have provided many with water, minor first aid, maps, bottle holders, etc.

**Sponsor: Arizona State Parks, Rockin River State Park**

**Project Title: Trail Development**

**Grant Request: \$413,169.00**



Rockin River Ranch State Park will be Arizona's next state park. Project funding will be used to develop trailheads, new connector trails upgrade existing trails and new trailhead facilities within the park. The park will be open to non-motorized users and will provide access to the Verde River. Work would be done with contractors and the hope is to phase this work in with the park scheduled to open in 2023.

#### **2022 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Grant Applications**

**Sponsor: Town of Snowflake**

**Project Title: Cottonwood Wash Trail**

**Grant Request: \$80,515.00**



This trail will connect with a trail that the Town of Taylor is developing. Taylor and Snowflake share a border between the Towns and we have made progress in collaborating with one another. If the Town were awarded the funds, Snowflake will match it with more than 25% of their funds. The grant funds will be used to develop and improve the land already acquired. Staff or contractors would be used to establish non-motorized trails and complimentary improvements.



## 2022 State Lake Improvement Fund Grant Applications

**Sponsor: Bullhead City Police Dept.**  
**Project Title: Water Safety Expansion**



**Grant Request: \$ 285,900.00**

**Project Description:**

Bullhead City Police Department is looking to expand its Water Safety Program on the 13 miles of Colorado River that it patrols. Bullhead City Police Department is looking to purchase two (2) Rogue Jet boats and four (4) Yamaha Jet Skis (or equivalent jet skis). The two boats and four jet skis will be used to patrol the Colorado River during the months of May-September every year. (Vessels can also be utilized during the off season for similar functions.) The boats are a 21' jet boat that is fully marked and equipped police boat used for enforcement, safety checks, disabled vessels, and a variety of other duties.

**Sponsor: Maricopa County**  
**Project Title: Lake Pleasant Wind Warning System**



**Grant Request: \$620,791.00**

**Project Description:**

The current wind warning system equipment has become outdated (25+ years old), Newer, more up to date technology is available to enhance and improve the overall warning system. Funding will be used to replace the existing wind warning equipment to current technology standards and improve the overall system by adding electronic signage to further provide warning information to the boating public.

**Sponsor: Arizona Game and Fish**  
**Project Title: Parker Canyon Lake Boat Launch Improvements**



**Grant Request: \$978,089.00**

**Project Description:**

Construct a new concrete boat launch at Parker Canyon Lake. This will include the boat launch, turn around at the top of the ramp, make ready area, ADA parking (current facility is not ADA compliant), access road to the new launch, a courtesy dock and lighting for the boat launch area. Additionally, some of the funds will be utilized to assist in completing the environmental compliance. It is anticipated that this project will alleviate the current congestion at this facility resulting in an increase in the use of the facility. Additionally, this will provide needed ADA access to this facility.

**2022 Historic Preservation American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Grant Application**

**Sponsor: Fort Apache Foundation of the White Mountain Apache Tribe**

**Project Title: Harmony House Improvements**



**Grant Request: \$298,600.00**

**Project Description:**

Project requires exterior masonry repointing and window sill preservation treatments, which will result in HOHP, an integrated residential-commercial-conference space hub for boosting the Tribes workforce and private enterprise. Masonry preservation is required to contribute to community health and resilience by adding housing and boosting incomes, both needed to help boost community health, wellness, and resistance to disease and pandemic recurrence.

**2022 Heritage Fund Historic Preservation HVAC Grant Applications**

**Sponsor: Fort Apache Foundation of the White Mountain Apache Tribe**

**Project Title: Harmony House HVAC**





**Grant Request: \$199,380.00**

**Project Description:**

The HVAC component of these shovel-ready plans include an all-new 4-pipe system connected to an existing heating-cooling plant and MERV-8 level filtration in the fan-coil distribution units. The resulting HOHP residential-commercial-conference spaces require high-quality HVAC to contribute to community health and resilience and to help prevent disease spread and pandemic recurrence.

**Sponsor: Stratford Art Works**

**Project Title: Teatro Carmen HVAC System**



**Grant Request: \$200,000.00**

**Project Description:**

At present there is no HVAC system in the building. The new system will include state of the art equipment with new UV and air filter elements. Specific breakdown includes:

**Teatro:** Estimated 25 ton cooling load, (2) 12.5 ton rooftop packaged units located over the restaurant

**Restaurant:** Estimated 10 ton cooling load, use (2) 5 ton rooftop packaged units located over the restaurant

**Kitchen:** Estimated 5 ton load, use 5 ton rooftop packaged unit located over the kitchen. + grease hood, grease exhaust fan and evap cooler make-up air unit.

**Lobby:** Estimated 4 ton unit, use 4 ton rooftop packaged unit located over the restaurant.

**Stage:** Estimated 15 ton cooling load, use a 15 ton rooftop packaged unit over the stage.

**Upper Floor:** Estimated 3 ton cooling, 3 ton split heat pump.

**Sponsor: Yuma Crossing Natural Heritage Area**

**Project Title: Corral House HVAC System**

**Grant Request: \$12,660.00**

**Project Description:**

The HVAC project for the historic Corral House building at the Colorado River State Historic Park

(CRSHP) will include the installation of one new HVAC unit, the replacement and upgrade of an existing HVAC unit, and modifications to the building's primary HVAC system to increase efficiency and safety. The Corral House building (AKA "Granary" building) is a historic building listed on the Yuma Crossing and Associated Sites National Register of Historic Places.

**Sponsor: City of Willcox**

**Project Title: Community Center HVAC**



**Grant Request: \$49,550.00**

**Project Description:**

The City of Willcox is requesting a grant to replace the existing HVAC system at the Willcox Community Center, a historic property located in the entertainment district of Willcox. It is a focal point of the City where residents gather for celebrations and where event organizers host events and promote visitation through tourism.

**2022 Land and Water Conservation Fund Grant Application**

**Sponsor: City of Benson**

**Project Title: Lion's Park Ballfield Development**



**Grant Request: \$1,000,000.00**

**Staff Recommendation: \$750,000.00**

**Project Description:**

This project enhances outdoor recreational opportunities at Lions Park with the addition of pickleball courts, the replacement of the heavily utilized large ramada with electrical upgrades and the construction of the first phase of a softball/baseball field complex including two lighted fields, a restroom with concessions and parking.

The project will supplement the variety and safety of available activities and amenities with the intent of increasing community engagement at the park, promoting healthy lifestyles and exercise, as well as alleviating overcrowding issues at existing softball/baseball fields.



## **2022 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Applications**

**Sponsor: Arizona Trail Association**

**Project Title: Seeds of Stewardship**

**Grant Request: \$46,350.00**

**Project Description:**

Funds will be used to provide programming to communities to supplement public school systems across socioeconomic lines at no-cost to schools or participants. Ultimately Seeds of Stewardship creates a strong relationship between each participant and these outdoor spaces to create a lifelong love of outdoor recreation and stewardship.

**Sponsor: Sonoran Desert Mountain Bicyclists**

**Project Title: Bike Ambassador Program**



**Grant Request: \$2,250.00**

**Project Description:**

Funds will be used to outfit the ambassadors with jerseys, supplies for their packs for information as well as safety and bike repair. It is anticipated that some training like first aid, bike repair or bike/trail ambassador specific training for volunteer ambassadors, as well as start-up costs including travel and promotion expenses.