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Governor

# ARIZONA STATE PARKS & TRAILS

Bob Broscheid  
Executive Director



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

Pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.02 and A.R.S. § 41-511.25 notice is hereby given to members of the Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (“AORCC” or “Commission”) and the public that AORCC will hold a meeting on **Tuesday, March 8th, 2022, beginning at 10:00am. AORCC members may attend the meeting in person or participate telephonically. The public may attend and listen to the meeting at the Arizona State Parks Trails office located at 1110 W Washington, Suite 100, Phoenix, AZ 85007. Members of the public may also listen/view the meeting via telephone by calling 1-877-820-7831 and entering the passcode 613038 or via Zoom:**

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

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

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

**A. CALL TO ORDER**

**B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**C. MEMBER ROLL CALL**

**D. AGENDA ITEMS**

- 1. Consideration of Action to Approve Minutes of the February 8th, 2022, AORCC Meeting** – The Commission will review and may consider action to approve the AORCC meeting minutes from February 8th, 2022.
- 2. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, Or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 Motorized Grant Application. (Presenter: Matthew Eberhart, Off-Highway Vehicle Coordinator)** The following grant application has been submitted for funding totaling \$106,017.00.

2022 Motorized Grant Application(s)					
Sponsor	Project	Request	Recommendation(s)		Score
			Staff	Off-Highway Vehicle	

				<b>Advisory Group (OHVAG)</b>	
Town of Camp Verde	Box T Remediation	\$106,017.00	\$106,017.00	\$106,017.00	34
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$106,017.00</b>	<b>\$106,017.00</b>	<b>\$106,017.00</b>	

- 3. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 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 \$30,128.00.

<b>2022 State Lake Improvement Grant Applications</b>				
<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Projects</b>	<b>Request</b>	<b>Staff Recommendation</b>	<b>Score</b>
La Paz County Sheriff's Office	La Paz County Sheriff's Office Waterway Safety Center Improvement	\$30,128.00	\$30,128.00	67
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$30,128.00</b>	<b>\$30,128.00</b>	

- 4. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 Heritage Fund Historic Preservation Grant Application(s). (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails)** The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$1,099,600.00.

<b>2022 Heritage Fund Historic Preservation Grant Applications</b>					
<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Project</b>	<b>Request</b>	<b>Staff Recommendation</b>	<b>Arizona Historical Advisory Committee (AHAC)</b>	<b>Score</b>
Vail Preservation Society	1908 Old Vail Post Office Rehabilitation	\$249,600.00	\$260,000.00	\$249,600.00	89
City of Tucson Housing Department	Historic Ft. Lowell Rehabilitation	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00	88
Stratford Art Works, Inc	Teatro Carmen Rehabilitation	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00	86
Pima County Office of Sustainability and Conservation	Tucson Mountain Park – Juan Santa Cruz Campground Rehabilitation	\$190,000.00	\$190,000.00	\$190,000.00	75
City of Prescott Historic Preservation Office	Update of Historic Preservation Master Plan and Homeowner Guide	\$60,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	55
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$1,099,600.00</b>	<b>\$1,050,000.00</b>	<b>\$1,039,600.00</b>	

- 5. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized**

**Trails Grant Application(s). (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails)** The following grant applications have been submitted for funding totaling \$159,125.00.

2022 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Trails Grant Applications					
Sponsor	Project	Request	Recommendation		Score
			Staff	ASCOT	
National Forest Foundation	Santa Catalina Trails: Rehabilitation after the Bighorn Fire	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00	23
TRACKS, Inc.	White Mountains Trail System (WMTS)	\$59,125.00	\$59,125.00	\$59,125.00	15
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$159,125.00</b>	<b>\$159,125.00</b>	<b>\$159,125.00</b>	

**6. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 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 \$30,596.00.

2022 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Applications				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
Verde River Institute	Verde River Riparian Monitoring and Education	\$21,000.00	\$21,000.00	57
Verde Valley Cyclists	Red Rock Bike Patrol (RRBP) Outfitting and Skills Training	\$9,596.00	\$9,596.00	54
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$30,596.00</b>	<b>\$30,596.00</b>	

**7. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Non-Motorized Grant Application(s). (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails)** The following grant application(s) have been submitted for funding totaling \$100,000.00.

2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Non-Motorized Grant Application(s)			
Sponsor	Project	Request	Recommendation
			Staff
Sierra Vista	Shared Use Path Kayetan Drive	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$100,000.00</b>	<b>\$100,000.00</b>

**8. American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Funds. (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails).** Staff will present information on the \$1,000,000 ARPA funds released and available for heating, ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) for historic sites. This agenda item is for information only.

**9. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action on A Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board (“Board”) to Approve, Modify, Or Deny Scoring Criteria for the 2022 American Rescue Plan Act Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC) Grant Applications. (Presenter: Mickey Rogers, Chief of Grants and Trails).** Staff will present proposed scoring for the ARPA HVAC Fund applications and may recommend that the Board approve, modify, or deny scoring for these grant applications.

**10. State Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP) Update: (Presenter: Dawn Collins, Office of Continuous Improvement.)** Staff will update AORCC on the progress of Arizona's 2023-2027 SCORP. This agenda item is for information only.

**E. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

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

**F. CURRENT EVENTS**

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

**G. CALL TO THE PUBLIC**

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

**H. FUTURE MEETING DATES**

<b>Arizona State Parks and Trails 2022 AORCC Meeting Schedule</b>	
<b>Date</b>	<b>Location</b>
April 12th, 2022	Central Office
May 10th, 2022	Central Office

**I. ADJOURNMENT**

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

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**DRAFT MINUTES**  
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**FEBRUARY 8TH, 2022**

**A. CALL TO ORDER**

*Tiffany Broberg, Chair of the Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission called the meeting to order at 10:05am.*

**B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

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

**C. MEMBER ROLL CALL**

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

**Staff Present:** *Mickey Rogers, Matt Eberhart, Saterra Gibbon*

**D. AGENDA ITEMS**

**1. Consideration of Action to Approve Minutes of the January 11th , 2022, AORCC Meeting.**

*Kent Taylor moved to approve the AORCC meeting minutes from January 11th, 2022. Ty Gray seconded the motion. Tiffany Broberg approved. Bob Broscheid approved. John Sefton approved. Kent Taylor approved. Joseph Baynes approved. Ty Gray approved. The motion passed.*

**2. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, Or Deny Funding for the submitted 2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Grant Application(s).** *John Sefton moved to approve funding for Tucson's CSM Martin Gunny Barreras Park in the amount of \$500,000.00. Bob Broscheid seconded the motion. Tiffany Broberg approved. Bob Broscheid approved. John Sefton approved. Kent Taylor approved. Joseph Baynes approved. Ty Gray approved. The motion passed.*

**3. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for the Submitted 2022 Recreational Trails Program Non-Motorized Grant Applications.** *Tiffany Broberg moved to approve funding for the City of Page's Red Mesa Rim Trail in the amount of \$149,925.00. Kent Taylor seconded the motion. Bob Broscheid seconded the motion. Tiffany Broberg approved. Bob Broscheid approved. John Sefton approved. Kent Taylor approved. Joseph Baynes approved. Ty Gray approved. The motion passed.*

**4. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for the Submitted 2022 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Grant Applications.** *Kent Taylor moved to approve funding for the Arizona Trails Association's AZT Sunflower North Realignment in the amount of \$71,960.00. Ty Gray seconded the motion. Tiffany Broberg approved. Bob Broscheid approved. John Sefton approved. Kent Taylor approved. Joseph Baynes approved. Ty Gray approved. The motion passed.*

**5. AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action On a Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, or Deny Funding for the Submitted 2022 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Applications.** *Before these projects were considered for a recommendation, staff present took a few minutes to correct technical issues. Joseph Baynes moved to approve funding for the Flagstaff Youth Riders Inc.'s FLYRS Capacity Build in the amount of \$49,500.00, and the City of Flagstaff Parks Recreation & Open Space's Open Space Education in the amount of \$50,000.00. Kent Taylor seconded the motion. Tiffany Broberg approved. John Sefton approved. Bob Broscheid approved. Joseph Baynes approved. Kent Taylor approved. Ty Gray approved. The motion passed.*

**6. Chevelon Canyon Emergency and Mitigation Project Update.** *State Off-Highway Vehicle Coordinator, Matthew Eberhart provided members an update on the Emergency and Mitigation grant request.*

**E. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

*Tiffany Broberg and Bob Broscheid discussed how the proposed budget could impact future projects.*

**F. CURRENT EVENTS**

*John Sefton announced transfer from Peoria to the City of Chandler.*

**G. CALL TO THE PUBLIC**

*No members of the public requested to speak.*

**H. FUTURE MEETING DATES**

*The next meeting is tentatively scheduled for Tuesday March 8th, 2022.*

**I. ADJOURNMENT**

*The meeting adjourned at 10:42am.*



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Executive Director



**Date:** March 8, 2022

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

**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 \$6,000,000 in funding available for submitted grant applications.

**Recommendation:**

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff and The Off-Highway Vehicle Advisory Group (OHVAG) reviewed the following Motorized applications and made recommendations based on priorities set in the Arizona State Parks and Trails 2020 State Trails Plan and project need.

2022 Motorized Grant Applications					
			Recommendations		
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff	OHVAG	Score
Town of Camp Verde	Box T Remediation	\$106,017.00	\$106,017.00	\$106,017.00	34
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$106,017.00</b>	<b>\$106,017.00</b>	<b>\$106,017.00</b>	

**Recommended Motion:**

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 Motorized Grant Application(s) as follows: Town of Camp Verde’s Box T Remediation in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

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

**Approved:**

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Bob Broscheid, Executive Director



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**Date:** March 8, 2022

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

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

**Recommendation:**

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff reviewed one (1) application and made recommendations based on the Board approved State Lake Improvement Fund scoring.

2022 State Lake Improvement Fund Grant Application(s)				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
La Paz County Sheriff's Office	La Paz County Sheriff's Office Waterway Safety Center Improvement	\$30,128.00	\$30,128.00	67
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$30,128.00</b>	<b>\$30,128.00</b>	

**Recommended Motion:**

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 State Lake Improvement Fund grant application(s) as follows: La Paz County Sheriff's Office, Waterway Safety Center Improvement in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

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

**Approved:**

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Bob Broscheid, Executive Director





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**Date:** March 8, 2022

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

**Subject:** 2022 Heritage Fund Historic Preservation Grant Application

**Background:**

The Heritage Fund Historic Preservation Grant provides funding for the preservation and rehabilitation of resources listed or determined eligible for inclusion in the Arizona or National Register of Historic Places. A total of \$1,500,000 was approved during the 2021 Legislative session. A project sponsor may apply to up to 20% of these appropriated funds or \$300,000.00.

**Recommendation:**

Arizona State Parks and Trails State Historic Preservation Office Staff and the Arizona Historical Advisory Commission (AHAC) reviewed five (5) Historic Preservation application(s) and made recommendations based on the Board approved scoring criteria and funding available.

2022 Heritage Fund Historic Preservation Grant Applications					
Sponsor	Project	Request	Recommendation		Score
			Staff	Arizona Historic Advisory Committee (AHAC)	
Vail Preservation Society	1908 Old Vail Post Office Rehabilitation	\$249,600.00	\$260,000.00	\$249,600.00	89
City of Tucson Housing Department	Historic Fort Lowell Rehabilitation	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00	88
Stratford Art Works, Inc	Teatro Carmen Rehabilitation	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00	86
Pima County Office of Sustainability and Conservation	Tucson Mountain Park – Juan Santa Cruz	\$190,000.00	\$190,000.00	\$190,000.00	75
City of Prescott Historic Preservation Office	Update of Historic Preservation Master Plan and Homeowner Guide	\$60,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	55
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$1,099,600.00</b>	<b>\$1,050,000.00</b>	<b>\$1,039,600.00</b>	

**Recommended Motion:**

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 Heritage Fund Historic Preservation grant application as follows: Vail Preservation Society in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, City of Tucson Housing Department in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, Stratford Art Works, Inc in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, Pima County Office of Sustainability and

Conservation in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, and the City of Prescott Historic Preservation Office in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

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

**Approved:**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bob Broscheid", written in a cursive style.

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Bob Broscheid, Executive Director



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**Date:** March 8th, 2022

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

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

**Subject:** 2022 Heritage Non-Motorized Grant Application

**Background:**

The Heritage Fund Non-Motorized 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.

**Recommendation:**

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff and The Arizona State Committee on Trails (ASCOT) reviewed the following Heritage Fund Non-Motorized applications and made recommendations based on the 2020 Arizona State Parks Trails Plan and project need.

2022 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Grant Applications					
			Recommendations		
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff	ASCOT	Score
National Forest Foundation	Santa Catalina Trails Rehabilitation	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00	23
TRACKS, Inc.	White Mountains Trail System (WMTS)	\$59,125.00	\$59,125.00	\$59,125.00	15
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$159,125.00</b>	<b>\$159,125.00</b>	<b>\$159,125.00</b>	

**Recommended Motion:**

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized grant application(s) as follows: National Forest Foundation Santa Catalina Trails Rehabilitation in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, and TRACKS, White Mountains Trail System (WMTS) in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

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

**Approved:**

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**Date:** March 8, 2022

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

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

**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.

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 reviewed the following Environmental Education applications and made recommendations based on the Board Approved Environmental Education scoring.

2022 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Applications				
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Score
Verde River Institute	Verde River Riparian Monitoring and Education	\$21,000.00	\$21,000.00	57
Verde Valley Cyclists	Red Rock Bike Patrol (RRBP) Outfitting and Skills Training	\$9,596.00	\$9,596.00	54
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$30,596.00</b>	<b>\$30,596.00</b>	

**Recommended Motion:**

I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 Heritage Fund Environmental Education grant application as follows: Verde River Institute's Verde River Riparian Monitoring and Education in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, and Verde Valley Cyclists' Red Rock Bike Patrol (RRBP) Outfitting and Skills Training in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

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

**Approved:**

Bob Broscheid, Executive Director



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**Date:** March 8, 2022

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

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

**Subject:** 2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Applications - Non-Motorized

**Background:**

The American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding provides funding to assist facilities that were impacted during COVID. Statistically, the use of outdoor recreation nationwide increased over 20% during the peak of COVID. Outdoor facilities including local parks and trails provided safe socially distanced spaces for families and children to go during this pandemic. They also provided essential benefits to mental and physical health which is specifically defined in the Rescue Act guidelines. The focus of these funds at these facilities is for sewer/water upgrades, broadband and at facilities within neighborhoods in areas that have been identified as underserved communities. These funds are available loosely in the same categories as the appropriated Heritage Funds. A total of \$5,000,000 was made available for this program. These grants require no match and must be completed within two years of the funds being awarded. AORCC requested one project be tabled at their last meeting requesting more information at a future meeting.

**Recommendation:**

Arizona State Parks and Trails Grant Staff and the Governor’s office reviewed this non-motorized ARPA application and made recommendations based on ARPA eligibility.

2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Grant Application(s)			
			Recommendation
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff
Sierra Vista	Shared Use Path Kayetan Drive	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$100,000.00</b>	<b>\$100,000.00</b>

**Recommended Motion:** I move that AORCC recommend the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Grant Application(s) as follows: Sierra Vista Shared Use Path at Kayetan Drive in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.

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

Bob Broscheid, Executive Director

## 2022 Heritage Fund Historic Preservation Grant Applications

### **Pima County - Pima County Office of Sustainability & Conservation**

#### **Grant Request Amount: \$190,000.00**

The Juan Santa Cruz Campground is a contributing resource to the Tucson Mountain Park Historic District that was listed on the National Register in 2021 as part of a Certified Local Government grant awarded to Pima County. The campground consists of a variety of architectural features that were constructed by the Civilian Conservation Corps in the 1930s. Pima County sponsored the development of a comprehensive master plan for the campground in 2020 that inventoried and documented the condition of all campground structures. Pima County is applying for this grant in order to fund the rehabilitation of these important structures in order to preserve the legacy of the CCC and their outstanding contribution to recreation in Tucson Mountain Park.



### **Vail Preservation Society - 1908 Old Vail Post Office Rehabilitation**

#### **Grant Request Amount: \$249,600.00**

The 1908 Old Vail Post Office (OVPO) is Vail Arizona's oldest building. This site has connected residents through commerce since 1888. The OVPO's adaptability over the 20th century made it a nexus of human connections and commerce. Through rehabilitation and adaptive reuse, the OVPO will be a HUB for the greater Vail community in the 21st century as the Vail Welcome & Heritage Center, a gathering place for residents and visitors, and HQ for Vail's AZ Main Street program. It will be a visual reminder of Vail's railroad and ranching roots while filling current and future needs. Rehabilitation work will involve foundation underpinning, adobe stabilization and repair, exterior lime plastering, replacing the buildings' roof including the addition of interior structural roof supports, restoration of 8 windows, 4 doors, electrical, and ADA compliance.



## **Stratford Art Works, Inc. - Teatro Carmen Rehabilitation**

**Grant Request Amount: \$300,000.00**

The 1915 Teatro Carmen Theatre in Barrio Viejo is currently undergoing a rehabilitation to return it to its performance roots as a 250-seat cultural arts venue. The total project cost is approximately \$4.5 Million, and is being done in two phases. Building stabilization and an adjacent outdoor performance space development along with a facade restoration in phase 1, and phase 2 will be the interior rehabilitation. This grant would be for the facade work and will be matched by Pima County dollars and private foundation grants.



## **City of Prescott Historic Preservation Office - Update of Historic Preservation Master Plan and Homeowner Guide**

**Grant Request Amount: \$60,000**

Update to the Prescott Historic Preservation Master Plan including additions of new districts, public engagement, removal of outdated information and streamlining of plan document and digital formats. This project also includes a minor update of the Historic Homeowners Guide (based on the Master Plan) and a reprint of those booklets that are made available to the public.

## **City of Tucson Housing Department - Historic Ft. Lowell Rehabilitation**

**Grant Request Amount: \$300,000.00**

Over the years, the City has acquired, and fenced in, parcels relevant to the interpretation of the Fort. This Rehabilitation Project will open the important histories of Fort Lowell through: rehabilitation of the Fort Commissary-turned-apartments, interpretive signage and walking path; site markers indicating locations of Fort facilities no longer standing; preservation of, and protective cover for, the Fort Hospital; restoration of Officer's Quarters 3 Interior to make available for docent-led tours; and restoration of Cottonwood Lane. In combination with current City funding sources used in these efforts and beyond, the Historic Fort Lowell Rehabilitation Project will welcome the casual and the expert visitor with opportunities to deepen their sense of place and the scope of military operations in the Tucson area. This Grant will fund construction at the Hospital, in Officer's Quarters 3, along Cottonwood Lane, and a portion of the Infantry Barracks Ramada.



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

### **TRACKS, Inc. - White Mountain Trails System (WMTS)**

#### **Grant Request Amount: \$59,125.00**

Purchase and install 43 bike/hike ramp gates on the White Mountains Trail System (WMTS), a 200+ mile non-motorized trail system in the US Forest Service Lakeside Ranger District of the Apache-Sitgreaves National Forests. All major trails of the WMTS are loops, with connector trails forming a trail system. There are many areas across the Lakeside district that are fenced for cattle grazing, so installation of these ramp gates will improve and facilitate trail usage of hikers and mountain bikers, as well as keep cattle secure since users often forget to close gates. The ramp gates will be installed in fence lines next to existing gates that have been in place for years. Thus, hikers and mountain bikers will have an option for crossing fence lines without having to open/close a gate. Project Timeline: 4/1/2022 begin gate installation, May-Oct continue installations; 2 per week until completed.



### **National Forest Foundation - Santa Catalina Trails: Rehabilitation after the Bighorn Fire** **Grant Request: \$100,000.00**

The National Forest Foundation (NFF) proposes a 2-year project to rehabilitate 7 non-motorized, multi-use trails on the Coronado National Forest. These are popular trails in the Santa Catalina Ranger District—receiving over a million visitors each year. The trails were heavily damaged in Summer 2020 by the Bighorn Fire, which burned nearly 120,000 acres of the Santa Catalina Mountains. The following summer's extreme monsoon season resulted in flooding, washouts, and heavy vegetation growth, exacerbating damage. Using volunteer labor along with a skilled



crew, NFF will work with the Coronado National Forest to re-open these trails, many of which remain closed to protect public safety and the natural environment.



### 2022 Motorized Grant Application(s)

#### **Town of Camp Verde - Box T Remediation**

**Request Amount: \$106,017.00**

Box T is a trailhead located on Prescott National Forest land identified in the Verde Trails and Access Plan as a multi-use trail. The trailhead is not formally developed and therefore the trail access point is subject to periodic damage. Motorized use when the natural ground is wet has led to the deterioration of the natural landscape and left rutted out tire tracks. The “trailhead” is located on an unsafe blind curve on Salt Mine Road, making access to the trailhead difficult and unsafe. The project is being pursued in order to correct the continued deterioration of the trail access point and to enhance safety.



### 2022 State Lake Improvement Grant Applications

#### **La Paz County Sheriff's Office - La Paz County Sheriff's Office Waterway Safety Center Improvement**

**Request Amount: \$30,128.00**

The La Paz County Sheriff's Office Waterway Safety Center is now 26 years old and in desperate need of having its HVAC system replaced. The Waterway Safety Center is a working office for the La Paz County Sheriff's Office, Arizona Game and Fish Dept, BLM and the San Bernardino County Sheriff's Office who all share the responsibility of patrolling the Colorado River in La Paz County. Air Conditioning is vital to this office for all personnel who work the Colorado River in La Paz County and for the equipment inside this center, such as Intoxilyzers which are

not a heat tolerating instrument. This grant is to remove all HVAC equipment in the center and replace it with new.



## **2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Non-Motorized Grant Application(s)**

### **Sierra Vista ADA Shared Use Path**

**Request Amount: \$100,000.00**

The City will be awarding a contract to construct an ADA compliant 120 space parking lot, in the upcoming days. This parking lot will support activities associated with Cyr Park. In an effort to both aid in the connectivity from said parking lot to Cyr Park and an existing SUP (just south of the proposed parking lot); an ADA compliant shared use path design has been produced and is shovel ready. ARPA Funding for this shared use path the construction of this path would provide a physical area to safely recreate for pedestrians and cyclists. This Path will also serve to improve both the physical and mental health of residents in these Qualified Census Tract Areas through their newly acquired ability to access additional outdoor activities and experience less confinement due to the many restrictions imposed through the COVID pandemic.





# ARIZONA STATE PARKS & TRAILS

## **Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC)**

March 8th, 2022

**Tiffany Broberg – Chair**

Joseph Baynes, Bob Broscheid, Ty Gray

John Sefton, Kent Taylor

# AGENDA – A

## Call to Order



# AGENDA – B

## Pledge of Allegiance

## Member Roll Call

Tiffany Broberg (Chair)

Joseph Baynes

Bob Broscheid

Ty Gray

John Sefton

Kent Taylor

# AGENDA – D1

## Approval of Minutes

AORCC will review and may consider action to approve the meeting minutes from February 8th, 2022.

# AGENDA – D1

## ***Motion:***

*I move to approve minutes of the February 8th, 2022 AORCC Meeting.*



## AGENDA – D2

# 2022 Motorized Grant Application

AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action on A Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, Or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 Motorized Grant Application.

# AGENDA – D2

## 2022 Motorized Grant Application

Sponser	Project	Request	Staff Recommendation	Off-Highway Vehicle Advisory Group (OHVAG) Recommended Funding	Score
Town of Camp Verde	Box T Remediation	\$106,017.00	\$106,017.00	\$106,017.00	34
<b>Total</b>			<b>\$106,017.00</b>	<b>\$106,017.00</b>	

# AGENDA – D2

## ***Motion:***

*I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve the Town of Camp Verde, Box T Remediation Project in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.*

# 2022 State Lake Improvement Fund (SLIF) Grant Applications

AORCC will consider and may take action on a recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to approve, modify, or deny funding for the submitted 2022 State Lake Improvement Fund (SLIF) Grant Application(s).

# AGENDA – D3

## 2022 State Lake Improvement Grant Applications

			Recommendations	
Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff	Score
La Paz County Sheriff's Office	La Paz County Sheriff's Office Waterway Safety Center Improvement	\$30,128.00	\$30,128.00	67
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$30,128.00</b>	<b>\$30,128.00</b>	

# AGENDA – D3

## ***Motion:***

*I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 State Lake Improvement Fund grant application(s) as follows: La Paz County Sheriff's Office Waterway Safety Center Improvement in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.*

# 2022 Heritage Fund Historic Preservation Grant Applications

AORCC will consider and may take action on a recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to approve, modify, or deny funding for the submitted 2022 Heritage Fund Historic Preservation Grant Applications.

# AGENDA – D4

## 2022 Heritage Fund Historic Preservation Grant Applications

Sponsor	Project	Request	Recommendations		Score
			Staff	Arizona Historical Advisory Committee (AHAC)	
Vail Preservation Society	1908 Old Vail Post Office Rehabilitation	\$249,600.00	\$260,000.00	\$249,600.00	89
City of Tucson Housing Department	Historic Ft. Lowell Rehabilitation	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00	88
Stratford Art Works, Inc	Teatro Carmen Rehabilitation	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00	86
Pima County Office of Sustainability and Conservation	Tucson Mountain Park – Juan Santa Cruz Campground Rehabilitation	\$190,000.00	\$190,000.00	\$190,000.00	75
City of Prescott Historic Preservation Office	Update of Historic Preservation Master Plan and Homeowner Guide	\$60,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	55
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$1,099,600.00</b>	<b>\$1,050,000.00</b>	<b>\$1,039,600.00</b>	



# AGENDA – D4

## **Motion:**

*I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 Heritage Fund Historic Preservation grant application as follows: Vail Preservation Society in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, City of Tucson Housing Department in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, Stratford Art Works, Inc in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, Pima County Office of Sustainability and Conservation in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, and City of Prescott Historic Preservation Office in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.*

## 2022 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Trails Grant Applications

AORCC will consider and may take action on a recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to approve, modify, or deny funding for the submitted 2022 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Trails Grant Applications.

# AGENDA – D5

## 2022 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized Trails Grant Applications

Sponsor	Project	Request	Recommendations		Score
			Staff	ASCOT	
National Forest Foundation	Santa Catalina Trails: Rehabilitation after the Bighorn Fire	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00	23
TRACKS, Inc.	White Mountains Trail System (WMTS)	\$59,125.00	\$59,125.00	\$59,125.00	15
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$159,125.00</b>	<b>\$159,125.00</b>	<b>\$159,125.00</b>	

# AGENDA – D5

## ***Motion:***

*I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve funding for the 2022 Heritage Fund Non-Motorized grant application(s) as follows: National Forest Foundation Santa Catalina Trails Rehabilitation after the Bighorn Fire in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_, and TRACKS, Inc. White Mountains Trail System (WMTS) in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.*

# 2022 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Applications

AORCC will consider and may take action on a recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to approve, modify, or deny funding for the submitted 2022 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Applications.

# AGENDA – D6

## 2022 Heritage Fund Environmental Education Grant Applications

Sponsor	Project	Request	Recommendations	
			Staff	Score
Verde River Institute	Verde River Riparian Monitoring and Education	\$21,000.00	\$21,000.00	57
Verde Valley Cyclists	Red Rock Bike Patrol (RRBP) Outfitting and Skills Training	\$9,596.00	\$9,596.00	54
TOTAL		\$30,596.00	\$30,596.00	

# AGENDA – D6

## ***Motion:***

*I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board 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 \$\_\_\_\_\_, and Verde Valley Cyclists' Red Rock Bike Patrol Outfitting and Skills Training in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.*

## **2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Non-Motorized Grant Application(s)**

AORCC Will Consider and May Take Action on A Recommendation to the Arizona State Parks Board to Approve, Modify, Or Deny Funding for The Submitted 2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Non-Motorized grant application(s).



# AGENDA – D7

## 2022 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Non-Motorized Grant Application(s)

Sponsor	Project	Request	Staff
Sierra Vista	Kayetan Drive Shared Use Path	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$100,000.00</b>	<b>\$100,000.00</b>

# AGENDA – D7

## ***Motion:***

*I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve the 2022 American Rescue Plan Act grant applications as follows: Sierra Vista in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.*

## AGENDA – D8

### **American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Funds.**

Staff will present information on the \$1,000,000 ARPA funds released and available for heating, ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) for historic sites.

# AGENDA – D9

## **2022 American Rescue Plan Act Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC) Grant Applications.**

Staff will present proposed scoring for the ARPA HVAC Fund applications and may recommend that the Board approve, modify, or deny scoring for these grant applications.

# AGENDA – D9

<b>CATEGORY</b>	<b>SCORE</b>
<b>SYSTEM (NEW/UPGRADE)</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>LOCATION (RURAL/URBAN)</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>PUBLIC BENEFIT</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>WITHIN A QUALIFIED CENSUS TRACT</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>TIMELINE</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>ADMINISTRATIVE PERFORMANCE</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>WORKSHOP ATTENDANCE</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100</b>

# AGENDA – D9

## ***Motion:***

*I move that AORCC recommend that the Arizona State Parks Board approve the scoring criteria for the American Rescue Plan Act HVAC grant scoring as presented.*

## **State Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP) Update.**

Staff will update the Commission on the progress of Arizona's 2023-2027 SCORP. This agenda item is for information only.

# AGENDA – D10



## Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP) Updates

Arizona Outdoor Recreation Coordinating Commission (AORCC)

March 8, 2022

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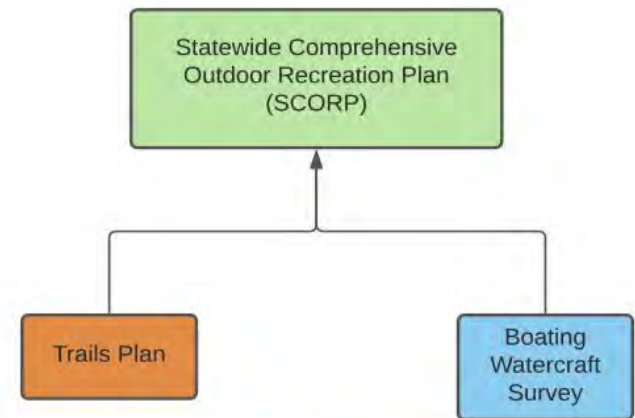
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# AGENDA – D10

## Why do we develop the Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan (SCORP)?

- Required to receive Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) dollars.
- Identifies and prioritizes outdoor recreation issues for the next 5 years.
- Addresses all types of outdoor recreation, across all types of providers, across the state.



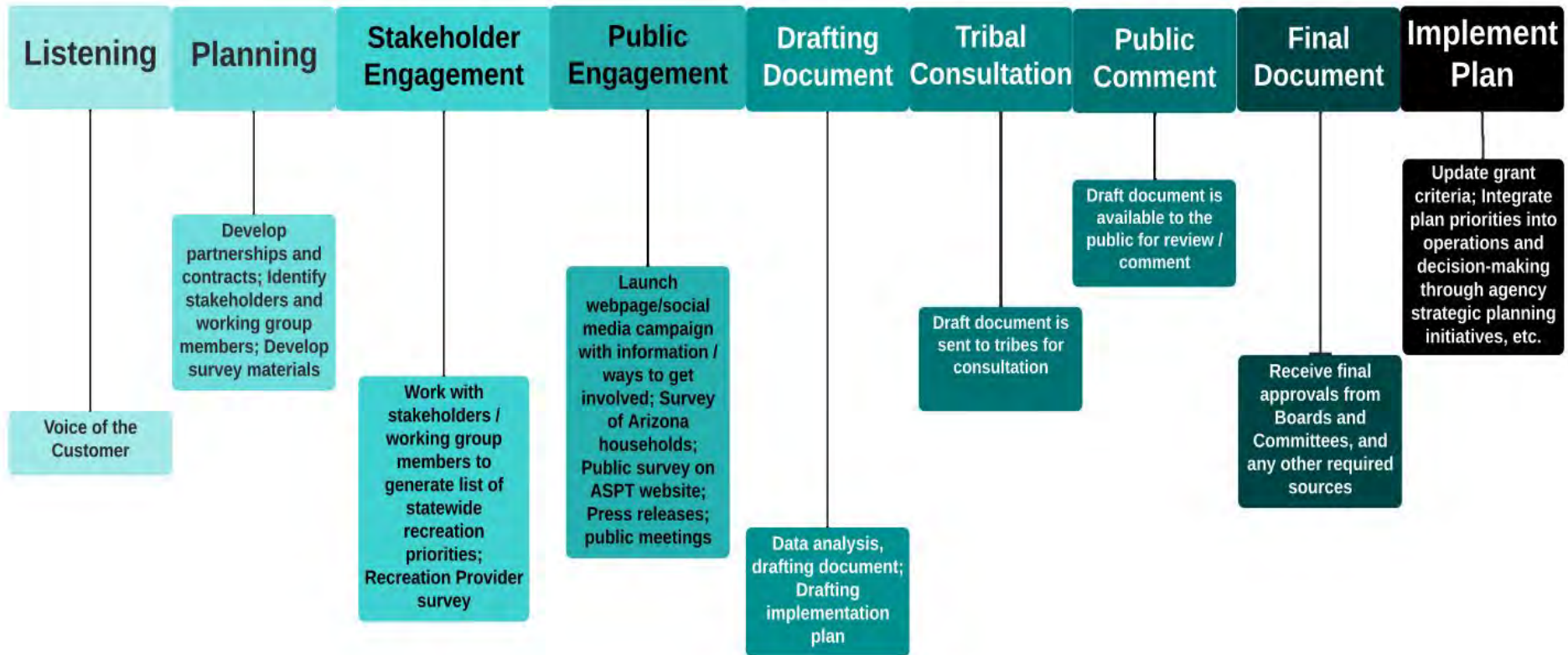
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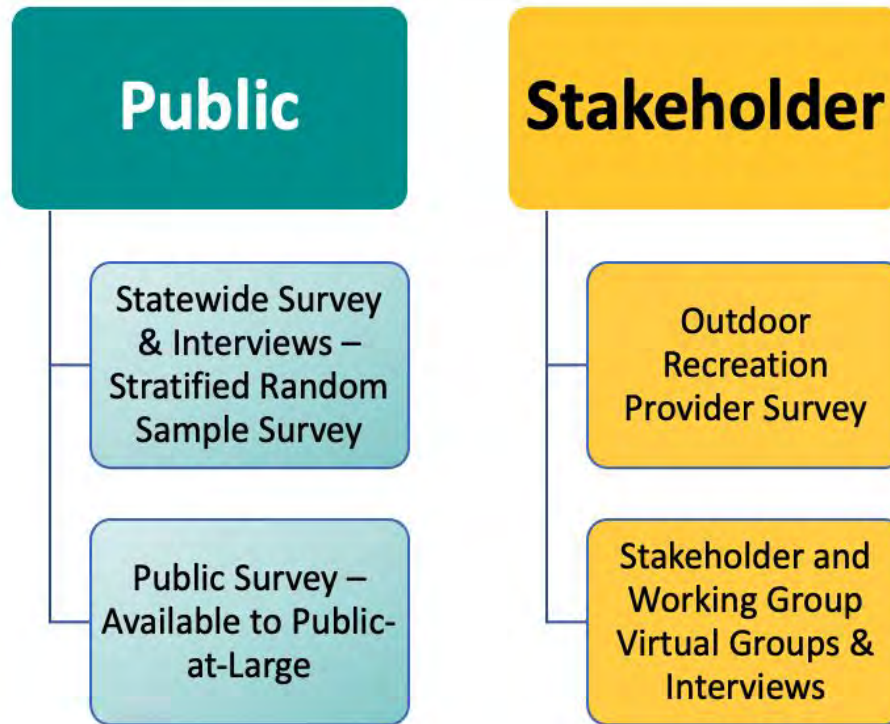
## What is process for statewide planning?



# AGENDA – D10



## Surveys & Interviews – Public and Stakeholder



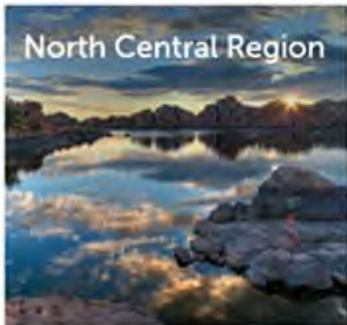
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## SCORP Surveys Explore:

- **Participation Rates** (active outdoor, water-based, snow-based, other outdoor recreation activities)
- **Usage of Outdoor Recreation Settings**
- **Benefits of Outdoor Recreation** (e.g., community, health, environment, economics)
- **Needs of Specific Groups** (e.g., from children to seniors, individuals with disabilities, ethnically diverse groups, etc.)
- **Funding Priorities**
- **Issues Affecting Outdoor Recreation** (e.g., drought, crowding, etc.)
- **Impact of COVID-19**

## SCORP Represents Arizona's Five Tourism Regions and 15 Counties



- **Northern Region:** Apache, Coconino, and Navajo Counties
- **Tucson & Southern Region:** Cochise, Graham, Greenlee, Pima, and Santa Cruz Counties
- **West Coast Region:** La Paz, Mojave, and Yuma Counties
- **North Central Region:** Gila and Yavapai Counties
- **Phoenix & Central Region:** Maricopa and Pinal Counties

# AGENDA – D10



## Stakeholder Engagement

- **Stakeholder Sessions** (77 participants): governmental, municipal, non-governmental, private sector, and conservation organizations, as well as tribal and minority groups, and individual recreationalists
  - August 19, 24, & 26
- **Focus Groups:** Community of Tribal Nations & Community with Mobility Challenges
  - September 17 & 29
- **Various surveys** for under-represented communities
- **Working Group Members** (12 members)
  - WG Sessions on October 13, 18, & 29

# AGENDA – D10



## Outdoor Recreation Priority Issues & Key Approaches (Preliminary Findings from Stakeholder Engagement)

### Priority Areas:

- Providing Quality Outdoor Experiences to the Public
- Embracing Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion
- Conservation and Minimizing Environmental Impacts

### Key Approaches:

- Funding
- Adaptive Collaboration
- Communication and Education
- Sustainable and Accessible Infrastructure

# AGENDA – D10



## What changes did COVID-19 bring to AZ Outdoor Recreation Usage and Management?





# AGENDA – D10



## What is next?

- ASU is finalizing report on findings.
- Data collection will be complete on 2/28/22.
- Data analysis – Recreation Provider, random sample survey of AZ households, public survey, stakeholder findings
- Drafting plan

# AGENDA – D10



## How can you get involved?

- What are some of your/your organization's accomplishments related to the following categories since 2018?
  - Preservation and Conservation
  - Accessibility and Inclusion
  - Collaboration and Partnerships
  - Marketing, Communications and Educational Opportunities
  - Funding
- Check in at [azstateparks.com/scorp](https://azstateparks.com/scorp) – give us your input, check on SCORP plan progress, see what others are saying, etc.
- Review the draft plan when it's available and give us your feedback.
- Contact us with any questions or information requests – [scorp@azstateparks.gov](mailto:scorp@azstateparks.gov)

# AGENDA – D10



## Thanks to the SCORP Development Team



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# AGENDA – E

## Future Agenda Items

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

# AGENDA – F

## Current Events

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

# AGENDA – G

## Call to the Public

The chair will recognize those wishing to address the Commission.

# AGENDA – H

**Tentative  
Meeting Dates:**  
Tuesday, April 12th  
Tuesday, May 10th



# THANK YOU!