

2024 (G24) Grants and Cooperative Agreements Program BLM - El Centro Field Office's Factual Findings

The information provided below is the OHMVR Division Factual Findings for this Applicant. The information provided reflects the OHMVR Division's review and determination of the Applicant's final Application.

For information regarding the appeal process, see Section 4970.17 of the [Grants and Cooperative Agreements Program regulations webpage](https://ohv.parks.ca.gov/?page_id=23747)
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General Evaluation Criteria:

- #1d – OHV Opportunity Ratio. Add 3 points.
- #6 – The Applicant has been responsive. Add 3 points.

Ground Operations: G24-01-09-G01

Project Description – Background

- No change.

Project Description – Project Description

- No change.

Project Description – List of Project Deliverables

- No change.

Project Description – All Others

- No change.

Project Cost Estimate

- Staff #2 "Biologist" – The Applicant did not respond to Division comment. The Applicant's notes need to be revised. The number of hours did not increase from the previous year's Application.

Evaluation Criteria

- No change.

Restoration: G24-01-09-R01

Project Description – Background

- No change.

Project Description – Project Description

- No change.

Project Description – List of Project Deliverables

- No change.

Project Description – All Others

- No change.

Project Cost Estimate

- Staff #2 "Restoration Project Staff" – Applicant's response and corresponding Project Deliverables do not justify a 137% increase in Staff costs from their previous G21 Restoration Project. Applicant must update the QTY to reflect 18,942 hours, which is an increase of 30% in hours from their previous G21 Restoration Project application. Deduct \$175,312 from Grant and \$0 from match. The revised total for this line item is now Grant \$810,339 and match \$0.
- Indirect Costs #1 "Indirect Cost" – Project has now exceeded the 15% maximum allowable for Indirect Costs. Deduct \$26,297 from Grant. The revised total for this line item is now Grant \$122,137 and match \$0.

Revised Totals:

Grant Request: \$936,386

Total Project Cost: \$ 1,063,496

Evaluation Criteria

- #4 – The narrative does not support the selection of "Educational signage". The Applicant did not provide additional information to support the selection, as the narrative describes activities performed in previous Projects rather than specifying what will be done with educational signage in this Project. Deduct 2 points.

Education and Safety: G24-01-09-S01

Project Description – Background

- No change.

Project Description – Project Description

- No change.

Project Description – List of Project Deliverables

- No change.

Project Description – All Others

- No change.

Project Cost Estimate

- No change.

Evaluation Criteria

- #3 – The Applicant has been responsive. Add 3 points.

Law Enforcement: G24-01-09-L01**Needs Assessment**

- No change.

Project Certification

- No change.

Project Cost Estimate

- No change.