

2026 (G26) Grants and Cooperative Agreements Program Mammoth Lakes Police Department'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.

Law Enforcement: G26-03-54-L01

Need Assessment

- Item #1 & 2 – Applicant is reminded enforcement of vehicle issues, including off-highway vehicles and e-motos, on paved roadways is an on-highway patrol issue. While the Division understands OHV use on roadways is an illegal activity, pursuant to California Vehicle Code Section 38000 et seq., the provisions of Division 16.5 apply exclusively to the operation of off-highway motor vehicles (CVC 38006) on lands other than highways (CVC 38001). Paved public roadways are legally classified as highways under the California Vehicle Code and therefore fall outside the jurisdictional scope of Division 16.5 and are not eligible for use of OHV Grant funds for patrol activities. Applicant is reminded that patrol activities should be primarily focused on vehicle recreation that occurs off highway on lands described in CVC 38001.

Needs Enforcement Certification

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Project Cost Estimate

- Equipment Purchases #1 "Toyota 4Runner"- Cost per amount of patrols is not justified. Division will approve a portion of funding. Additionally, line item was approved for this vehicle in previous grant cycle but removed line item upon award of Grant. Applicant may not reallocate funds to any other line item from this line item upon this year's award. Due to 70 patrol days, the Division will approve 19% of the line item (70 patrols/365 days). Deduct 36,963 Grant and \$12,321 match.

Revised Totals

Grant Request: \$101,593

Match: \$33,865

Total Project Cost: \$135,458