

2026 (G26) Grants and Cooperative Agreements Program Riverside County Sheriff's 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.

Law Enforcement: G26-03-14-L01

Need Assessment

- Item #1 – 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.
- Item #2 – Applicant should provide copies of any MOUs, Land Manager Letters, or other documents present for patrol on other lands outside of agency jurisdiction. Additionally, patrolling on tribal lands is not an eligible activity under this Grant program as California Vehicle Codes are not enforceable on sovereign lands.

Needs Enforcement Certification

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Project Cost Estimate

- Equipment Purchase #1 "Polaris 570 EPS ATV" - Contingent Line item. Equipment purchase may not happen until the ATVs to be replaced have been submitted for disposition. Vehicle disposition must be used as either trade in for new vehicle or sent to auction. Funds may be used to bring down the cost of the replacement but may not be included as the match monies. Additionally, Division will only fund the replacement of one ATV this Grant cycle. Should the Applicant wish to replace both

they may request approval for disposition and fund the second ATV with County funds. Applicant may not reallocate funds to any other line item from this line item upon this year's award. Deduct \$12,741 Grant.

- Indirect #15 - Line item is reduced by 1 as only 1 ATV is being approved for purchase. Deduct \$1,000 Grant indirect.

Revised Totals

Grant Request: \$94,046

Match: \$35,930

Total Project Cost: \$129,976

Law Enforcement: G26-03-14-L02

Through review it has been determined that the area of coverage by this application is duplicate of the area contained within G26-03-14-L01. Therefore this application is rejected.

Law Enforcement: G26-03-14-L03

Need Assessment

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Needs Enforcement Certification

- No change.

Project Cost Estimate

- No change.

Law Enforcement: G26-03-14-L04

Need Assessment

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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

- No change.

Project Cost Estimate

- No change.

Law Enforcement: G26-03-14-L05

Need Assessment

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Needs Enforcement Certification

- No change.

Project Cost Estimate

- Equipment Purchase #1 "Polaris Side by Side" - Applicant may not reallocate funds to any other line item from this line item upon this year's award.
- Others #1 "Trailer..." - Division will approve only one trailer. Deduct \$4,756 Grant.
- Indirect #2 "Pelican Cargo Case" - Line item is reduced to 1. Deduct \$385 Grant.

Revised Totals

Grant Request: \$70,529

Match: \$25,224

Total Project Cost: \$95,753

Law Enforcement: G26-03-14-L06

Need Assessment

- Item #1 – 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

- #3 - Applicant is reminded that any patrols conducted with California State Parks Rangers in the Lake Perris SRA area are not eligible uses for these OHV Grant funds.

Project Cost Estimate

- Equipment Purchase #1 "Polaris Side by Side" - Applicant may not reallocate funds to any other line item from this line item upon this year's award.