

2026 (G26) Grants and Cooperative Agreements Program San Bernardino County Sheriff's 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: G26-03-15-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.

Needs Enforcement Certification

- No change.

Project Cost Estimate

- Staff #1 "Sheriff's Sergeant" – Applicant must revise to show job duties as related to on the ground patrol. Current duties appear all indirect in nature. Additionally, Applicant revised line item request without Division or public comment. Line item is returned to preliminary application request. Line item returned to 90 hours. Grant reduced \$43,243 and match \$14,415.
- Staff #2 "Sheriff's Corporal" – Applicant revised line item request without Division or public comment to increase hours. Line item is returned to preliminary application request. Line item returned to 80 hours. Grant reduced \$37,951 and match \$12,651.
- Staff #3 "Sheriff's Deputy" – Applicant revised line item request without Division or public comment to increase hours. Line item is returned to preliminary application request. Line item returned to 230 hours. Grant reduced \$63,388 and match \$21,129.
- Staff #4 "Reserve Deputy Sheriff" – Applicant revised line item request without Division or public comment to increase hours. Line item is returned to preliminary application request. Line item returned to 46.5 hours. Grant reduced \$9,040 and match \$3,014.
- Equipment Use Expenses #1 "Maintenance" Applicant revised line item request without Division or public comment to increase line item request. Line item is returned to preliminary application request. Line item returned to 8000 UOM. Grant

reduced \$6,750 and match \$2,250.

- Equipment Use Expenses #2 "Fuel" Applicant was instructed to revise to show a per gallon quantity and UOM without increasing the line item total. Applicant increase line item total. Line item is returned to preliminary application request. Line item returned to 4.88 per gallon rate and total gallons of 6,960 (per prelim notes 29 vehicles, 30 days x 8 gallons UOM). Grant reduced \$21,760.5 and match \$7,253.5.
- Equipment Purchase #2 "Polaris General" - Line item is removed due to number of available side by sides in the current inventory. Deduct \$60,000 Grant and \$20,000 match.
- Equipment Purchase #3 "Husqvarana" - Applicant increased line item without Division or public comment. Line item is returned to the preliminary application request of 3 at \$15,499. Grant reduced \$50,627 and match reduced \$16,876. Additionally, Applicant may not move forward with the purchase until the equipment requested to be replaced has been submitted to the Division for disposition and that disposition has been approved.
- Equipment Purchase #4 "Ford F20" - Applicant did not provide adequate justification for need. Line item is removed. Deduct \$52,500 Grant and \$17,500 match.
- Indirect - Applicant has exceeded 15% maximum allowable indirect. Reduce \$6,728 Grant.

Revised Totals

Grant Request: \$248,013

Match: \$84,911

Total Project Cost: \$332,924