



Public Information Release

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Sergeant Ben Moore - Lake County Sheriff's Office

The Lake County Sheriff's Office is currently applying to the California State Parks Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation (OHMVR) Division for the 2022 grants program for a proposed OHV Enforcement Project. The project proposed is to include a well-equipped, well trained, OHV Enforcement and Off-Road Response Team with funding assistance from the Grants and Cooperative Agreements Program.

The purpose of the Sheriff's OHV Enforcement Project is to promote and support the safe and authorized use of public lands by OHV enthusiasts. The project includes areas such as the BLM Cow Mountain and Knoxville Recreational Areas, as well as designated OHV use areas of the Mendocino National Forest. The project will also provide for effective response and abatement efforts relating to OHV trespass problems on private undeveloped lands. Also to and encourage the use of authorized, well managed, OHV recreational areas through public education.

A public review and comment period for the 2022 Grants and Cooperative Agreement Program begins March 8th, 2022, and ends on May 2nd, 2022. This period provides an opportunity for the public to review the preliminary application submitted by the Sheriff's Office to the OHMVR Division for consideration during the grant cycle. The grant application will be posted on the OHMVR website on March 8th, 2022, and can be viewed at www.ohv.parks.ca.gov.

The public may provide comment on the proposed project to the Lake County Sheriff's Office by contacting Sergeant Ben Moore at Ben.Moore@lakecountyca.gov or to the OHMVR Division of California State Parks at OHVinfo@parks.ca.gov.