NEVADA OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICLES PROGRAM GRANT APPLICATION

Nevada Commission on Off-Highway Vehicles Nevada Department of Conservation and Natural Resources

This application has FIVE sections which are all REQUIRED to be filled out in full. To avoid disqualification, all application areas must be concise and complete; certifications must be signed and dated. Applications missing required information will be returned to applicants for correction if identified before submission deadline for resubmittal before the deadline.

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	SECTION I - PROJECT AND APPLICANT INFORMATION
1.	Project Name: Nevada Offroad Association Education Advocacy and Outreach
2.	Project Timeline: January 1, 2024, December 31, 2024.
3.	Applicant Name: Nevada Offroad Association (NVORA)
	Mailing address: PO Box 1111 - Carson City - Nevada 89702 Phone: 775-430-0000 Email: Info@nevadaoffroad.us
4.	Classification of Applicant: (check one)
	Partnership Non-Profit For-Profit Individual Federal State County Local Municipal Other (specify): add here.
v	legal entity, must include proof of good standing in the entity's state of incorporation is required. (NAC 0.1345) 5 January 2024
	pplicant Signature Date
(UI	hairperson/President/Authorized Official)

5. Project Manager: Mathew Giltner - Executive Director

Mailing address: PO Box 1111 - Carson City - Nevada 89702

Phone:775.430.0000

Email:mathew@trailnv.com

Alternate Contact: Alexis Nelson – Associate Director

Mailing address: PO Box 1111 - Carson City - Nevada 89702

Phone:775.430.0000 Email:Alexis@trailnv.com

6. Classification of Land Control: (check all that apply)

Managed Public I and (see Note* below)

Mrederally Managed I dolle Land (see 14016 below)
□City
□Private LandClick or tap here to enter text.
☐ Lease: Attach copy of lease with expiration date.
☐ R&PP: Attach copy of lease with expiration date.
⊠Other (specify):Statewide – grant component proof of concept item on BLM Public Lands Included

*NOTE: If the proposed project is to be carried out on public land, attach any applicable written agreement with any government entity having jurisdiction over that land, including permits, leases, easements, and rights-of-way.(NAC 490.135)

7. Landowner / Public Lands Manager Wells Field Office BLM

Mailing address: 3900 East Idaho St Elko NV 89801

Phone: 775-753-0200

Email: BLM_NV_ELDOwebmail@blm.gov

8. The Landowner (Public Lands Manager) Must provide a letter that includes:

a) For Public Lands - A letter of support for impacting the land from the governmental entity having jurisdiction. (NAC 490.135)

Public Lands Manager letter included for ATV cattle guard Proof of concept portion of application.

b) For Private Land – Documented Interest in the land - *Proof of ownership, lease, rental, easement, right-of-way, written agreement or other legal instrument, scope inclusive to document ability to complete the proposed project; and to operate and maintain the proposed project for a period of not less than 25 years after its completion or for the normal life of the project, whichever is longer.*

9. Project Costs:

List grant request and matching funds directly related to the project:

State OHV Grant Request:\$177,000.00

Matching Funds: \$88,000.00

Total Project Amount: \$265,000.00

10. What are the sources or Partners for your leveraged (matching) funds? ☐ Federal ☐ Private ⊠In-kind □ City □ County \boxtimes Other: Describe additional funding source(s) Leveraged matching funds are derived from donated, in-kind, and volunteer efforts. While NVORA primarily relies on NVOHV program grant funding, our efforts in 2023 with realized matching was 88% of the initial award. 51% over the forecast matching amount. Additional project funding sources are being explored, specifically with the ATV Cattle Guard Proof of Concept included in this request, where we hope to secure funding for 2025 via industry and RTP sources. 11. Contemporary letters of support are required (attach to grant proposal): a) Provide documentation from Project Partners, if not included elsewhere in this application, agreeing to provide matching funds or effort. b) TWO Letters of support from Non-profit organizations. 12. Project Type: check all that apply: (NRS 490.069 Sec.2c) ⊠Studies or planning for trails and facilities for use by owners and operators of off-highway vehicles. ⊠ Mapping and signing of trails and facilities. ⊠ Acquisition of land for trails and facilities. ⊠ Reconstruction, enhancement or maintenance of existing trails and facilities. ⊠Construction of new trails and facilities. Restoration of areas that have been damaged by the use of off-highway vehicles. ⊠ The construction of trail features and features ancillary to a trail. ⊠ Safety training and education related to the use of off highway vehicles and registration. ⊠ Efforts to improve compliance with and enforcement of the requirements relating to off-highway vehicles. (OHV Enforcement Statistics Form & NRS 490 Memo)

13. TRAIL or FACILITY USERS:

Describe how this project impacts other trail users, communities, or others in outdoor recreation, include conflict mitigation strategy if necessary.

The largest part of NVORA's mission is to collaborate with other users irrespective of discipline and protect Public Access to Public Lands. The Proof-of-Concept component should also elevate the OHV community in the eyes of the ranchers by addressing conflicts within that community.

14. SCOPE of WORK:

a) Provide description of project, with quantitative goals including applicable components e.g., studies, planning, mapping, trail & facility description, course or service provided, equipment maintenance, storage studies, if applicable

NVORA works to protect access to Nevada's Public Lands, by reinforcing a positive public posture, engaging stakeholders, and to provide advice and guidance. This includes but is not limited to providing:

Permit Support
Grant application guidance
Public Outreach events
Educational events
Challenging land use issues when appropriate

We also try and take on one capital improvement project per year and are in the planning stages for a new OHV staging area that we hope to seek funding in 2024.

Additionally we are working on a proof-of-concept plan with ATV specific cattle guards. These types of cattle guards have been embraced by the USFS, but none are known to exist in Nevada on BLM managed Public Lands, despite being used thought BLM in Utah, Idaho, and Montana.

b) What is the timeline for completing this project within 24 months of an award. (NAC 490.1375): We work 52 weeks per year and may seek to continue in 2025.

15. STANDARDS/GUIDELINES - that will be applied to your project:

a) How does your project conform to Local, County, State or Federal guidelines, plans, processes, or zoning?
 Does not apply

16. Has the applicant received funding from the OHV Program in the past?

□No
⊠Yes, if yes, complete the questions below:
Number of Projects Funded: 6
Amount of Funding Rece \$622,019.00
Number of Projects Completed:6

SECTION II – LOCATION, MAPS, PHOTOS

Project Location:

County: Statewide

Nearest Municipality/Town/City: Statewide

Center of project: Latitude & Longitude:N39 19' 15.0" W116 38' 18.9

Include Electronic Files: (.KMZ/.KML .GPX or SHP) N/A

Required Maps:

For all maps, include a legend, north arrow, scale, and map name. Topographic maps preferred and maps larger than 11"x17" will not be accepted. You may include *additional* aerial/google maps.

- 1. General location map (showing project area within the state or county)
- 2. Detail map indicating specific project elements (e.g., structures, trail alignment)

Attach the following photographs:

At least two (2) overviews of the project area from different angles and distances.

NOTE: Good photographs at trail level and google aerials help the scoring committee to understand the location, depth and breadth of your project.

SECTION III – FEDERAL LANDS OR OTHER

Federal Environmental Compliance:

A. If Federal funds or Land are a part of the project and NEPA was completed, indicate which document was produced, and attach the decision document to this application:

□Record of Decision (ROD)
☐ Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI)
□Categorical Exclusion (CX)
□SHPO 106 compliance/concurrence letter
□Other compliance documents already completed. (do not attach the EA or EIS)
⊠Not applicable

SECTION IV - BUDGET

Proposed Budget: Provide your budget details to include, at a minimum, the items in the following table. You may create your own spreadsheet and attach it to the application.

Item Description	Notes	OHV Grant Request	Matching Funds	Total Cost
Nevada Offroad Summi	t. Virgina City	1,000.00	6,700.00	7,700.00
	Event center rental	1,000.00		
	OHV support (clubmembers)		2,500.00	
	Staff volunteer Travel 2600 miles + perdem 2 days (listed in travel)		1,500.00	
	Coffee lunch etc		2,500.00	
	Presentation materials/invites (* Incl in admin*)	incl below	200.00	
Durable Purchases		16,000.00	9,450.00	25,450.00
	Trailer w/ Graphics Trailer reg/tax/ins	8,500.00 400.00	8,500.00 400.00	
	ATV Cattle Guards	7,100.00	550.00	
Travel		32,000.00	12,000.00	44,000.0
Travel with 2024 rates	Same as 2023, with IRS increase in rates + summit travel	32,000.00	12,000.00	
	n / club and event participation, social media	6,450.00	15,550.00	22,000.00
and web, Staging and C	HV signs		,	
	PPE - clean up / group ride shirts/gloves / EyePro	250.00	15,000.00	
	Diecut logo sticker- Biz cards	1,600.00 200.00	50.00	
	Clubs - membership / particiaption Website	2,400.00	50.00	
	OHV signs for Tourism / Stewardship	2,000.00	500.00	
Admin Operation: Ir	 	4,270.00	12,250.00	16,520.00
	20.2			
	PO Box rent Bussiness Licesnse	220.00 100.00		
	Summit and office supplies	600.00	150.00	
	Postage & Shipping	350.00	100.00	
	Email and I⊤ Software subsriptions	2,000.00		
	Storage rent	1,000.00		
	Office rent		12,000.00	
Fleet management Equipment		5,000.00	2000.00	7,000.0
	As directed by OHV commission title /register/insure/maint equipment in name of Nevada Offroad Association (\$1000 annual per unit)	5,000.00	2000.00	
Contractors		96,000.00	30000.00	126,000.0
Contractors	Two Part time postions based on 50% of Market rate	96,000.00	30000.00	126,000.0
Contractors Grant administration:				
	rate legal reporting requirements, staff hiring, contractor selection, travel management monthly	96,000.00		126,000.00 16,200.00 Project total
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SECTION V – PRIORITIES AND SCORING NARRATIVE

Grants will be scored based on answers to the Ten (10) criteria listed below. Each criteria carries a weight determined by the OHV Commission and voted upon during the public meeting for this application. See grant scoring sheet, with Grant announcement for weights.

1. Planning, Environmental Studies, Conservation: Describe how the environmental studies, conservation and/or planning will mitigate resources impacted by OHV recreation. How will your project contribute to the conservation of our natural resources, while enhancing OHV opportunities? (NRS 490.069 2.(c).1,6,7)

NVORA is committed to promoting positive inclusive experiences for all motorized enthusiasts throughout Nevada. By partnering with Tread Lightly!, the Forest Service and BLM, we are working together on small to large scale conservation efforts to promote responsible and respectful riding because respected access is protected access. NVORA is actively engaged in the BLM's scoping process for Nevada Multi-District Off-Highway Vehicle Special Recreation Permit Programmatic Environmental Assessment. This approach is needed and welcomed by the OHV community in response to the number of Special Recreation Permits submitted on an annual basis. NVORA is a key player in this strategy providing support, expertise, and making it easier for the applicant (and the BLM in terms of submitting a thorough and completed application) as well as looking to minimize environmental impacts from these OHV events. NVORA also created the Sierra Nevada Sustainable Recreation Partnership where stakeholders from the Walker Basin Conservancy, Forest Service, BLM, TL! and others meet monthly to discuss conservation projects and initiatives ensuring supportive collaboration when and where possible. It is expected that this recreational partnership group will go statewide in 2024. If approved, NVORA will spearhead a pilot project as a proof-of-concept for the statewide implementation of ATV Cattle Guards. The initial study area is within the boundaries of the BLM Wells field office, and their letter of approval is included under item 8 and is specific to this single portion of this grant application. The ATV cattle guards will be installed adjacent to traditional livestock 'drop gates" or similar, livestock gates. This is an effective and easy solution for riders to cross fence lines without having to open and close gates while keeping livestock within their area, and fostering goodwill across the range/ranching community and OHV users. With anticipated success of this proof-ofconcept component to our duties, NVORA remains optimistic in starting a program via RTP funding to install this system throughout the state. NVORA teamed up with local OHV clubs across the state in trail stewardship cleanup efforts and will continue to make this a priority for 2024.

2. Trail mapping and signing of existing trails and facilities: If a mapping component is included in the grant, describe how it will be integrated with the current web mapping application found on OHV.NV.GOV (NRS 490.069 2.(c).2)

Through our valued partnership with Tread Lightly!, NVORA and TL! completed several trail kiosk projects and will be looking to do more in 2024, at the minimum level, we update kiosks with approved information or replace worn or outdated signage. The Outreach component of this budget includes funding for OHV specific signs that can be used by land managers or installed by NVORA with appropriate authorizations. In 2023 NVORA installed or provided signage to Mineral County, Douglas County, Tonopah, and an inventory to the USFS Spring

Mountain ranger district for trail marker & signage updates. Efforts are currently underway to design a new staging area, and that will have significant signage, independent of those included in any application considered subsequent to this grant period. We work with mapping signage partners, Tread Lightly! and the Nevada Mapping collaborative as appropriate. The Douglas County signs were not forecast but were secured to note the OHV trail was entering the downrange area of a firearms range. The necessity and urgency of providing that information is self-evident and explains why the quote provided is a general sign budget allocation, not for a specific project.

3. Demand for New Facilities: Provide justification for **NEW** facility/program development: restrooms, trails, signs, and other amenities. (NRS 490.069 2.(c) 3,4)

NVORA is the in the preliminary discussions for planning of a brand new OHV Staging Area, likely to land before this body late in 2024 or early 2025. Replicating the strategy and process from the successful Tonopah Staging Area that was completed in the Summer of 2023. NVORA is working extensively with Farmy Inc., a Nevada non-profit and recent NV OHV grant program recipient in Lyon County where we will be holding training and public relations events from the offroad park. NVORA is also in the preliminary discussions in identifying the proper location for a staging area in Storey County, with the potential application for construction in 2024/2025. If approved, NVORA will spearhead a pilot project and is developing a proof of concept with the federal Public Lands Managers where cattleguards are installed adjacent to existing motor vehicle cattle gates for better efficient fence/gate crossings. This is an effective and easy solution for riders to cross fence lines without having to open and close a gate while keeping livestock within their area, fostering good will across the range/ranching community and OHV users. NVORA is assisting in the Pahrump to Tonopah Trail system where we plan to increase the trails length to become part of the Battle Born Trail.

4. Enhancement or Maintenance of existing trails and facilities: How will maintenance needs be prioritized and how often will your project hold a maintenance/trails enhancement event? HOW will your project be maintained and WHO has committed to the ongoing maintenance of the facility or trail (note: a minimum of 2 maintenance/trail events are required per year). (NRS 490.069 2.(c) 3,4,5,6)

NVORA is the lead facilitator and point of contact between the State of Nevada OHV Program and the end users (clubs), and often local and federal government entities. It is the mission of the organization in providing resources and expertise in project design, enhancement, and maintenance of the statewide OHV trail infrastructure. NVORA also knows the nuances and how to navigate the issues, complexities, and limitations surrounding project work on federally managed trails and routes on Public Lands. NVORA will assist in large equipment purchasing for NV OHV Grant awardees as directed by the Commission, hold the title to those purchases, register, biannual trailer maintenance and insure where appropriate. NVORA continues to assist (and holds title to trailers for clubs in Elko, Douglas, Lyon and Nye Counties purchased through the grant program. If approved, NVORA will spearhead a pilot project as a proof of concept for the statewide implementation of ATV Cattle Guards, initial study area is within the boundaries of the BLM Wells field office, and their letter of approval is included under item 8 and is specific to this single portion of this grant application. The ATV cattle guards will be installed adjacent to traditional livestock 'drop gates" or similar, livestock gates. This is an effective and easy solution for riders to cross fence lines without having to open and close a gate while keeping livestock within their area, fostering good will across the range/ranching community and OHV users. With anticipated

success of this proof-of-concept component to our duties, NVORA is remains optimistic in starting a program via RTP funding, to install this system throughout the state.

5. Connectivity/Loops: How will the project impact connectivity of OHV trails, facilities, and local communities? Include maps of areas impacted by your project and describe those impacts. (NRS 490.069 2.(c) 2,5,6)

NVORA conceptualized the Battle Born Trail, a Western Nevada connectivity route/trail in 2023. beginning in the south utilizing the Pahrump to Tonopah Trail, and then continuing north to Virginia City. This is specifically set to tie in the rural communities of Pahrump, Beatty, Gold Point, Goldfield, Tonopah, Mina, Hawthorne, Yerington, Minden, and ending in Virginia City. NVORA's vision is to create a statewide OHV trail system connecting rural communities together and providing a fun and safe way to experience what Nevada has to offer. This not only creates connectivity, but it is also a significant economic driver for these small communities. This effort is an electronic inventory and does not include any 'dirt work' and primarily follows existing historic or desert race routes, that are part of other federal studies. This efforts aids in the reduction of new 'social-trails'. When the Public Lands managers complete their required planning documents it is our expectation we will be able to leverage this electronic inventory to make the Battleborn trail designated as a national trail similar to the Silver State trail.

6. Access: Describe how your project improves OHV access in the project area. Explain what access/opportunities would be lost or restricted if the project does not occur. (NRS 490.069 2.(c) 6,7)

The foundation for NVORA is built on keeping Public Lands open to all recreation. This is a key component of the work and advocacy the organization strives to accomplish. Whether its through education opportunities and programs that teach our community how to be good stewards of public lands, working with local communities such as Tonopah, Beatty, Hawthorne and Yerington in helping them plan identify and build staging areas and parks to access thousands of miles of trails, to hosting safety events at popular trailheads and staging areas with the Nevada Outdoor School and TL!, NVORA is proactively working to sustain the current infrastructure, and taking an assertive strategic approach to keep OHV recreation a thriving part of the landscape.

7. **Training:** Describe the goals and objectives of your public safety training program. Is it a nationally recognized certification? What sets your safety training program apart from the others? (NRS 490.069, 8)

NVORA has an outstanding partnership with the Nevada Outdoor School and recently created a "Train the Trainer" Certification program with NOS. The focus for this program is to provide a training program and process for other trainers to be able to teach the basic fundamentals. Nationwide, there is a dire need for this program and NVORA is one of the initiators of this process, paving the way and providing the structure for other programs to follow. Staff from NOS, Farmy's & NVORA completed this certification process where they became certified instructors with the goal of providing a training curriculum outlining the minimum knowledge set and skill assessment for the trainers to bring back to their jurisdiction and qualify their staff on the safety and operation of OHV equipment.

8. Law Enforcement Strategy that addresses registration enforcement, including Public Education & Outreach aimed at increasing renewals and new registrations: How will your project increase the number of OHV registrations on the district. How will the equipment and time be used to increase OHV safety and awareness? Reference the Law Enforcement Statistics reporting form. (NRS 490.069 2.(c) 8, 9)

NVORA is partnering with Storey County in developing a pilot law enforcement program for OHV patrols (limited to NRS 490 enforcement). NVORA has a statewide objective in developing a consistent and standardized protocol across all agencies who conduct OHV patrols in NV. Several of these units have received grant funding through the Commission for the purchase of OHV equipment for trail patrols, safety education, and compliance. The goal of the pilot program is to solidify a formal and consistent protocol reporting back to the Commission and the OHV Program. NVORA also helped Storey County with their recent grant to purchase equipment. NVORA has and remains equipped to provide training to local, county state and federal law enforcement agencies on the nuances of NRS 490, and its practical application at the request of those agencies.

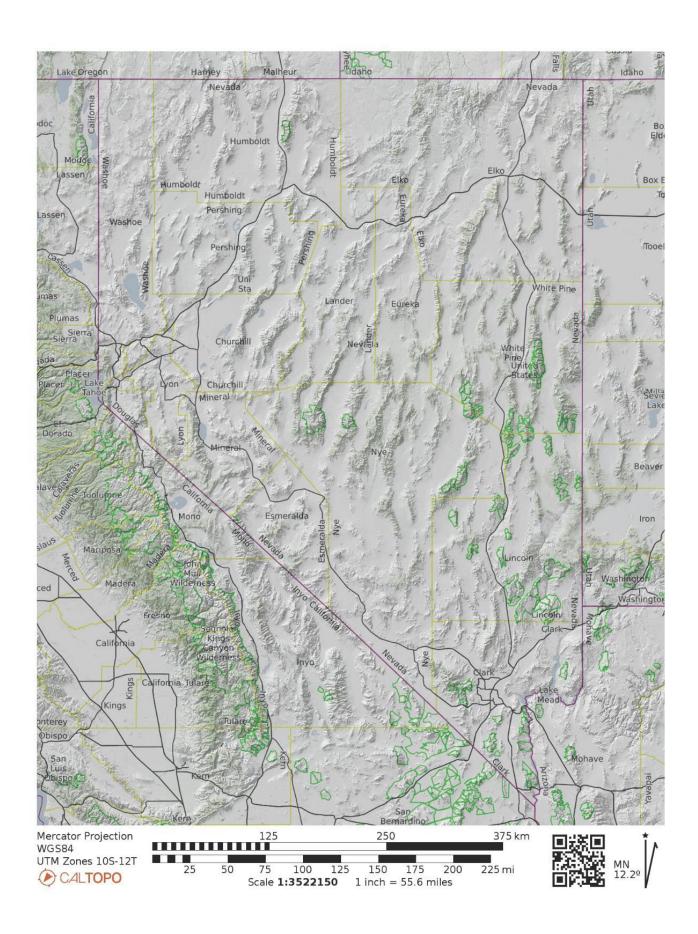
9. Partnering and Leverage: Who else is involved in this project? Describe outreach with stakeholders, partners and local governments, that you have communicated with in planning this project. (490.068, 3 (a) 2,3)

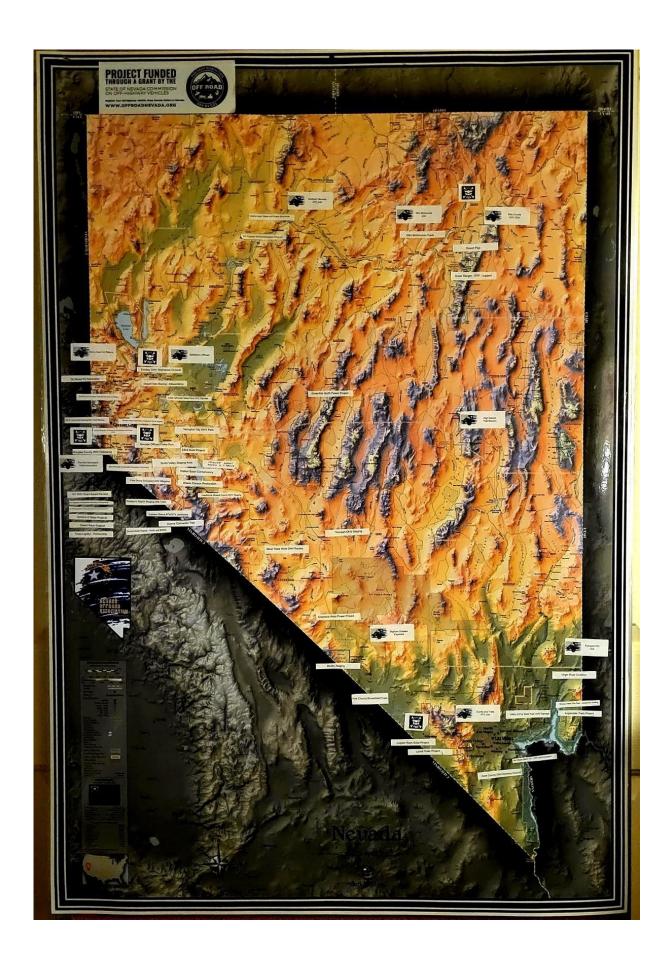
NVORA is successful because of its partnerships. From the BLM, Forest Service, Tread Lightly! Nevada Department of Outdoor Recreation, Nevadans for Cultural Preservation, Renown Medical, University Medical Center, the NV OHV Program, many 'friends of' groups and asymmetric organizations who have interest in keeping public lands open in NV for ALL recreation. Another key to building NVORA's foundation for success is through partnerships. NVORA joins all OHV related clubs and continues to foster relationships with local communities, government officials, the chamber of commerce, tourism, as well as mining, solar, and industry. NVORA is also heavily involved in national groups sharing best practices, learning, connecting, and being part of a connected community of enthusiasts, professionals and industry through One Voice, the Offroad Business Association, SEMA, Tread Lightly! and United Four-Wheel Drive Association. NVORA also maintains a positive relationship with similar level OHV associations throughout the United States.

10. Economic Integration: How will this project improve OHV recreation opportunities that help local, regional, or state economies grow? (NRS 490.069 2.(c) 7, 5)

It is NVORAs mission to work with as many stakeholders and partners as possible to promote responsible recreation and keep public lands open to all recreation. Furthermore, NVORA recognizes the significant and important economic benefit of motorized recreation in Nevada. Outdoor recreation plays a critical role for the economy, culture, and quality of life for Nevadans and visitors alike. NVORA continues to support the OHV community and their events (desert races, poker runs, cleanup days) in patronizing local businesses, encouraging other users to do the same, as all OHV activities are adding real dollar values to rural Nevada and stimulating those rural communities across the state. This creates a powerful presence connecting communities, citizens, municipalities, and the government together through offroad recreation. NVORA hosts the annual Nevada Offroad Summit where professionals, stakeholders, policy makers, enthusiasts, and businesses gather to discuss current issues, best practices, and network! The summit is not only a professional networking and community event, but it also infuses money into local communities for the event and lodging,

restaurants, fuel, and services. If approved, the 2024 Annual Summit will be held in Virginia City and plans are already underway. NVORA has also secured limited funding as a 'pass through" grant program where end user groups, like unincorporated clubs or social media groups (Friends of Moonrocks as an example) were able to be awarded funding up to \$1000.00, to be spent locally, in support of their Public Lands stewardship & safety efforts. As an association NVORA, independent of the NV OHV Grant Program, was successful in funding the purchase of a 2024 Polaris RzR, that was a direct purchase from a local dealer.



















FYI As of July 18, 2023, there will be an additional non-refundable credit card payment processing fee of 2.5% added to the filing total. If you do not wish to pay the fee, you may submit filings via mail with a check or money order. You may also pay in person at the Carson office with cash, check or money order, or at the N. Las Vegas office via check or money order in the drop-box. No cash accepted at N. Las Vegas location, as the lobby is closed to the public.



CBR Detail Report

Business Name: Nevada Offroad Association

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Current Version

Prior Versions

NV Business ID	NV20212148432
Entity Type	Domestic Nonprofit Corporation (82)
Entity Status	Active
State Business License Expiration Date	Jun 30, 2024
Last Updated By	mathew@trailnv.com
Last Updated Date	2021-06-28 07:12:12.0

Company Officers

Title	Name	Address
Treasurer	Pam Dellea-Giltner	25578 Henning Ln Minden NV
President	Mathew Giltner	2557 Henning In Minden NV
Director	Laura Hardesy	1270 STATE ROUTE 20 Yerington NV
Director	Alexis Nelson	3800 Vancouver Dr Reno NV
Director	Jeff Laughter	371 Mountain City Highway Elko NV
Secretary	Susan Baker	PO Box 167 Overton NV
Director	Michael Smith	2100 Hazelcrest Dr Reno NV

Compliance Information

State Business License:	Completed on 05/15/2023
B&I Workers' Compensation eAffirmation of Compliance (D-25)	Completed on 06/28/2021
Nevada Labor Laws eAffirmation of Compliance:	Completed on 06/28/2021
OSHA/Safety Consultation and Training (SCATS)	Completed on 07/04/2021
NV Dept of Taxation eClearance Receipt:	Completed on 05/03/2022
Department of Motor Vehicles:	Completed on 07/04/2021

Declaration

Mathew Giltner on Jun 28, 2021

Export Information

Do you have a Nevada Location or conduct sales and services in Nevada? **Yes**Do you sell goods and services outside the State of Nevada? **No**Would you be interested to learn more about opportunities to expand your business outside Nevada? **No**Federal Employer Identification Number: 87 1404863



United States Department of the Interior

NATIONAL SYSTEM OF PUBLIC LANDS U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR BURLAU OF LAND MANAGIMENT

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT Wells Field Office 3900 East Idaho Street

Elko, Nevada 89801 http://www.blm.gov/ny

In Reply Refer To: 4130 (NVE03000)

December 13, 2023

Nevada Off-Highway Vehicles Program
Department of Conservation and Natural Resources
901 S. Stewart Street, Ste 1003
Carson City, Nevada 89701

Dear Commissioners:

The Wells Field Office (WFO) supports the request by the Nevada Offroad Association (NVORA) to install one or more ATV cattle guards on public lands managed by this office. WFO understands this to be a proof-of-concept trial application limited in scope and goals to determine if the use of this equipment is practical to reduce conflicts between livestock and recreational interests. This project would be conducted under the terms of the Memorandum of Understanding between BLM's Nevada State Office and NVORA signed in May 2023.

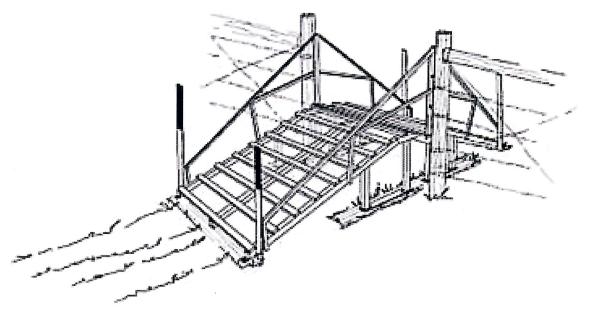
WFO will, in consideration of other projects and priorities, work towards identifying, processing, and approving potential locations where ATV cattle guards could be installed by NVORA. Should the proof of concept be determined to be of marginal benefit, or otherwise detrimental to the management of public lands, NVORA would remove the equipment, and restore any fences to their original configuration at their earliest opportunity.

Please contact this office if you have any questions or need anything else.

Sincerely yours,

MELANIE MITCHELL Digitally signed by MELANIE MITCHELL Date: 2023.12.12 15:19:07

Melanie Mitchell Field Manager Wells Field Office







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Name / Address

Nevada Offroad Association
Mindon, NV 89423
Mathew Giltner 775-430-0000
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Estimate

Project

\$7,046.28

Date	Estimate #
11/27/2023	1678

Description Qty U/M Rate Total $72\mbox{'}\mbox{W}\mbox{ x 10}\mbox{'}\mbox{L}\mbox{ ATV}\mbox{ Cattle Guard (230 LBS)}$ 6,208.00 4 1,552.00 72 ' W x 12' L ATV Cattle Guard (250 Lbs) 1,680.00 0 0.00 Freight Charges based on weight and distance (ODFL 600.00 600.00 1 1,000 LBS to 89423) We accept a check or 3.5% Credit Card Fee(disregard cc 238.28 238.28 fee if paying by another method) On ODFL We have to ship in 2 pieces which bolt together in the middle due to increased freight charges for anything over 8' length. We often ship this way. They are very sturdy and easy to bolt together on site. If you want them in one piece Easy Fence will deliver them.

Total

Fax#	E-mail
#2 208-241-8700	easy_fence@yahoo.com

January 2, 2024

Nevada Dept. of Conservation and Natural Resources Off-Highway Vehicles Program 901 S. Stewart Street, Suite 1003 Carson City, NV 89701

Dear Commissioners,

Nevada Outdoor School (NOS) supports the Nevada Offroad Association (NVORA) in their requests for funding from the Nevada Commission on Off-Highway Vehicles.

NOS and NVORA work closely though the year to maintain and promote a positive stewardship and educational message to the Nevada OHV community. Through our partnership and expertise, we have been successful in completing the new Nevada Ride Safe Ride Smart OHV Safety Program educational curriculum that was announced at the association's 2022 Offroad Summit.

Together we have solidified partnerships with Tread Lightly!, Renown Children's Hospital, University Medical Center and Arevia Power to distribute free youth offroad helmets at several events around the state. Additionally, NVORA consistently works to promote our OHV Safety education program, and they have been able to facilitate the relationships with local communities that have resulted in welcoming and successful educational events.

NOS supports, and looks forward to continuing our relationship with NVORA statewide as we all grow together to protect access, educate and train the new users, and promote a quality stewardship posture in Nevada.

Sincerely,

Melanie Erquiaga

Melanie Erquiaga Executive Director



Date: December 19, 2023

To: Nevada OHV Commission

Re: Letter of Support for Nevada Offroad Association

To Whom it May Concern,

On behalf of TREAD Lightly!, I am writing to express my support for the grant request for Nevada Offroad Association (NVORA).

Nevada has long needed a consistent functional OHV advocacy organization to work at improving and protecting the motorized offroad community, while promoting an ethic of valuable stewardship on public lands. NVORA has embraced the T.R.E.A.D. principles and taken an assertive posture in partnering with us by including our Nevada Program Manager whenever possible. Additionally, our partnership with NVORA has brought tangible, specific deliverables including but not limited to:

- Securing and protecting the access to the Pine Grove historic site, including Tread Lightly!
 messaging on the interpretative signage.
- Partnering with the Walker Basin Conservancy for their OHV remediation project along the northside of Wilson Canyon.
- Representing Tread Lightly! with the recreational race community at VORRA and Legacy Racing events, by promoting T.R.E.A.D. principles and assisting with those groups' desert clean-up projects.
- Coordinating desert clean-up and damage remediation.

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- Adhering to a strict, parallel, consistent messaging that does not depart and further enforces the T.R.E.A.D. principles.
- Ensuring all NVORA projects have included access for Tread Lightly!

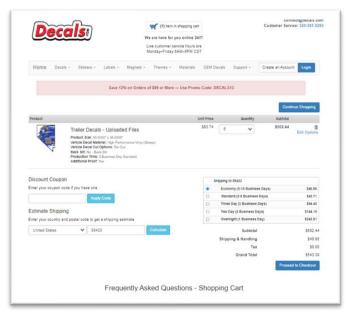
With an ever- growing and diverse population that desires outdoor recreation opportunities, it is increasingly more important to educate the public about ways to protect and conserve our public lands and we are happy to support NVORA with their efforts.

Sincerely,

Matt Caldwell
Executive Director

Tread Lightly!

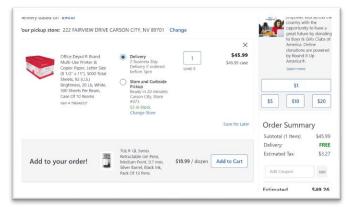
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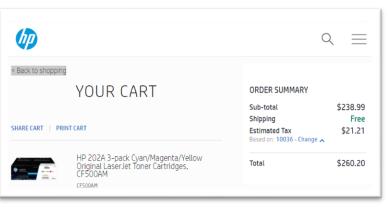


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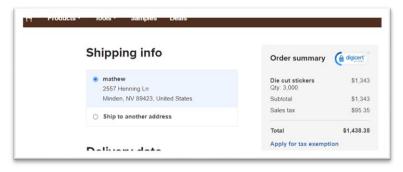
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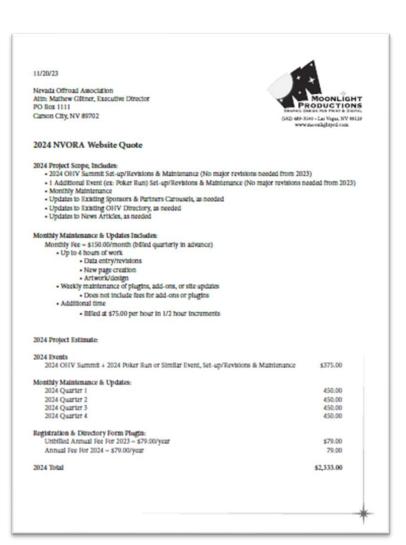












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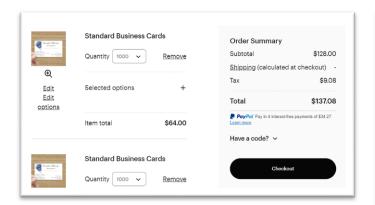
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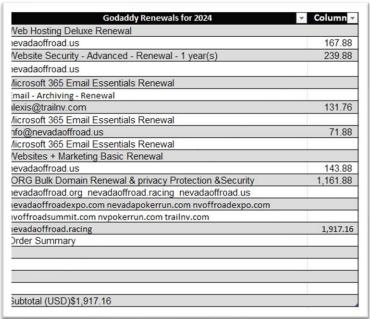
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