



COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

AGENDA ITEM NO.

C-1

For the meeting of: March 8, 2016

Date: February 29, 2016
To: Board of Supervisors
From: Supervisor Ryan Sundberg
Subject: Letter of Support for the Humboldt County Sheriff Department's Off-Highway Vehicle Law Enforcement Grant.

RECOMMENDATION(S):

That the Board of Supervisors authorize the Chair to sign the letter of support.

SOURCE OF FUNDING: N/A

DISCUSSION: The Sheriff's Department requests the Board's continued support for their Off-Highway Vehicle Law Enforcement Grant Application. The Grant allows the Department to provide regular law enforcement patrol of beach and dune areas from Clam Beach to Centerville Beach, to control illegal vehicle access for public safety as well as the protection of natural resources, vegetation and birds and animal.

FINANCIAL IMPACT: N/A

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT: N/A

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS: Board discretion.

ATTACHMENTS: Letter of Support.

Prepared by Kathy Hayes

Signature

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REVIEW:

Auditor County Counsel Personnel Risk Manager Other

TYPE OF ITEM:

- Consent
Departmental
Public Hearing
Other

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

Upon motion of Supervisor Fennell Seconded by Supervisor Bass
Ayes Sundberg, Fennell, Lovelace, Bohn, Bass
Nays
Abstain
Absent

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

Board Order No.
Meeting of:

and carried by those members present, the Board hereby approves the recommended action contained in this Board report.

Dated: March 8, 2016
By: [Handwritten signature]

Kathy Hayes, Clerk of the Board



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March 8, 2016

Lieutenant Wayne Hanson  
Humboldt County Sheriff's Office  
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RE: Humboldt County Off-Highway Vehicle Grant Application

Dear OHV Commissioners:

Humboldt County is very proud of its partnership with the Off-Highway Vehicle Commission. Public use on our beaches and rivers requires intensive management and education. These areas are popular for a number of recreational activities, OHV riding being one of significance.

With your past support, we have been able to patrol sensitive wildlife and native plant habitat while providing for OHV riding opportunities. As stated in previous letters of support, "Our ability to maintain OHV access is clearly associated with our enforcement capability and your generous support". There have been recent agency and non profit acquisitions that will require more patrol and on-site education. Through our cooperative effort we hope to maintain our existing recreational activities and help manage all the public properties.

We very much appreciate your support and thank you in advance for considering our request.

Sincerely,

Mark Lovelace, Chair  
Humboldt County Board of Supervisors

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