**MINUTES OF THE OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICLE ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING**

ROCKY MOUNTAIN ATV

1551 American Way

Payson, Utah

May 17, 2016

5:00 PM – 8:00 PM

**COUNCIL MEMBERS**

Dave Taylor Education Rep

Tanner Hardy Youth Rep

Eric Nelson Dealer Rep

Tommy George Member at Large

Clif Koontz Member at Large

Ron Tollman Four-wheel Drive Rep

Dave Jeppesen BLM Rep

Wade Allinson OHM Rep

Russ Steadman ATV Rep

Chris Faussett SITLA Rep

Kelly Leishman Snowmobile Rep (Absent)

Nick Glidden Forest Service Rep (Absent)

**DIVISION OF STATE PARKS & RECREATION**

Chris Haller OHV Program Manager

Becky McBride OHV Program Executive Secretary

**PUBLIC VISITOR**

Glen Olson

**WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS**

Dave Taylor welcomed us to the meeting and Eric welcomed us to Rocky Mountain ATV.

**APPROVAL OF DECEMBER 3, 2015 MINUTES**

Tommy motioned to approve the December 3, 2015 meeting minutes. Eric seconded the motion and all council members agreed.

**NOMINATIONS/ELECTIONS FOR CHAIR AND VICE CHAIR**

The council agreed to keep Dave Taylor as the chair and Clif Koontz as the vice chair. Tommy motioned the action, and seconded the action. All council members also agreed to the nomination.

**REVIEW OF 2016 STATE OHV GRANT PROPOSALS**

Initial Grants Requests:

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| **#** | **PROJECT** | **SPONSOR** |  **AMOUNT REQUESTED**  |
|
| 1M | Paiute Trail Maintenance | Fishlake Ntl. Forest & Richfield BLM | $99,600.00 |
| 2M | Maintaining Iconic Motorized Routes | Moab BLM Office | $35,555.00 |
| 3M | Arapeen Trail Maintenance & Education | Manti-La Sal National Forest | $69,000.00 |
| 4M | Snowmobile Trail Grooming & Maintenance | Utah State Parks & Recreation | $165,000.00 |
| 5M | Snowcat Purchase | Utah State Parks & Recreation | $87,500.00 |
| 6M | Manti Canyon OHV Trail Improvement | Sanpete County Travel | $35,000.00 |
| 7M | Know Before You Go Avalanche Awareness & Education | Utah Avalanche Center | $40,000.00 |
| 8M | OHV Program Info Brochures | Utah State Parks & Recreation | $10,000.00 |
| 9M | Dixie National Forest Swain's Creek Bridge | Dixie National Forest District | $20,000.00 |
| 10M | Utility Vehicle Purchase | City of North Salt Lake | $8,322.00 |
| 11M | Heber-Kamas RD Education of OHV Routes 2017 | Heber-Kamas RD, UWCNF | $20,000.00 |
| 12M | UWCNF-Maintenance of OHV/Single-Track Routes | UWCNF | $76,000.00 |
| 13M | American Fork Canyon Travel Management | Pleasant Grove RD, UWCNF | $12,600.00 |
| 14M | Tibble Fork Area Trail & Restroom Project | Pleasant Grove RD, UWCNF | $25,000.00 |
| 15M | Trial & Kiosk Enhancement Project | Pleasant Grove RD, UWCNF | $21,875.00 |
| 16M | Middle Canyon Trailhead Construction | Tooele County Trails | $24,500.00 |
| 17M | Utah Trail Host/OHV Volunteer Specialist | Utah State Parks & Recreation OHV Program | $30,000.00 |
| 18M | Dixie National Forest Motorized Maintenance Project | USDA Forest Service, Dixie National Forest | $50,610.00 |
| 19M | Des Bee Dove Trail | Emery County | $57,000.00 |
| 20M | Powell Ranger Dist. Motorized Trail System Maintenance & Public Contract | USDA Forest Service, Dixie National Forest, Powell RD | $15,000.00 |
| 21M | Butterfield Canyon Trailhead | Salt Lake County Park & Recreation | $35,000.00 |
| 22M | Butterfield Canyon Trailhead | Salt Lake County Park & Recreation | $100,000.00 |
| 23M | Wasatch County Law Enforcement/Search & Rescue | Wasatch County Sheriff's Search & Rescue | $8,500.00 |
| 24M | Color Country OHV Trail- Parowan Gap/Markagunt North Segment | Iron County | $63,773.00 |
| 25M | Price District OHV Coordinator | BLM-Price Utah Field Office | $30,000.00 |
| 26M | Markagunt OHV Trail Improvements | USFS / Dixie N.F. / Cedar City R.D. | $32,943.00 |

After a discussion and rating the grant applications, it was decided to follow up on some of the grants and set another meeting date. These are the results of the first round of rating:

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| **#** | **PROJECT** |  **AMOUNT REQUESTED**  | **NOTES** | **RATING** |
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| 1M | Paiute Trail Maintenance | $99,600.00 |   | HIGH |
| 2M | Maintaining Iconic Motorized Routes | $35,555.00 |   | HIGH |
| 3M | Arapeen Trail Maintenance & Education | $69,000.00 | Table it | TABLE |
| 4M | Snowmobile Trail Grooming & Maintenance | $165,000.00 |   | HIGH |
| 5M | Snowcat Purchase | $87,500.00 |   | HIGH |
| 6M | Manti Canyon OHV Trail Improvement | $35,000.00 |   | LOW |
| 7M | Know Before You Go Avalanche Awareness & Education | $40,000.00 | Move to non-motorized | LOW |
| 8M | OHV Program Info Brochures | $10,000.00 |   | HIGH |
| 9M | Dixie National Forest Swain's Creek Bridge | $20,000.00 |   | HIGH |
| 10M | Utility Vehicle Purchase | $8,322.00 | Move to non-motorized | MOVE TO NON-MOTOR |
| 11M | Heber-Kamas RD Education of OHV Routes 2017 | $20,000.00 |   | HIGH |
| 12M | UWCNF-Maintenance of OHV/Single-Track Routes | $76,000.00 |   | HIGH |
| 13M | American Fork Canyon Travel Management | $12,600.00 |   | MED/HIGH |
| 14M | Tibble Fork Area Trail & Restroom Project | $25,000.00 | mutually fund | HIGH |
| 15M | Trial & Kiosk Enhancement Project | $21,875.00 | Contingent on non-motor approv. | HIGH |
| 16M | Middle Canyon Trailhead Construction | $24,500.00 |   | LOW |
| 17M | Utah Trail Host/OHV Volunteer Specialist | $30,000.00 |   | HIGH |
| 18M | Dixie National Forest Motorized Maintenance Project | $50,610.00 |   | MEDIUM |
| 19M | Des Bee Dove Trail | $57,000.00 | Clarify on match amount | HIGH/CLARIFY |
| 20M | Powell Ranger Dist. Motorized Trail System Maintenance & Public Contract | $15,000.00 | Move to non-motorized | MOVE TO NON-MOTOR |
| 21M | Butterfield Canyon Trailhead | $35,000.00 |   | LOW/NO |
| 22M | Butterfield Canyon Trailhead | $100,000.00 |   | LOW/NO |
| 23M | Wasatch County Law Enforcement/Search & Rescue | $8,500.00 |   | LOW/NO |
| 24M | Color Country OHV Trail- Parowan Gap/Markagunt North Segment | $63,773.00 | Needs an accurate budget | NEEDS CLARIFY |
| 25M | Price District OHV Coordinator | $30,000.00 |   | HIGH |
| 26M | Markagunt OHV Trail Improvements | $32,943.00 | Is Signee authorized to expend funds?  | HIGH/SIGNATURE? |

It was decided that Becky would assign the grants that needed clarification to council members to follow up on.

Meeting Adjourned