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**OHMVR COMMISSION MEETING  
Sacramento, CA 95816**

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**STAFF REPORT:** OHV Safety Week Resolution  
**STAFF:** Don Schmidt, State Park Interpreter I (RA)  
**SUBJECT:** Proposal to Approve a Resolution Establishing OHV Safety Week

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**Summary**

Earlier this year, the Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation (OHMVR) Division created a 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Committee to develop and implement a plan to celebrate the legislation establishing the California State Parks OHMVR Division. Part of that plan includes a resolution that establishes an annual California Off-Highway Vehicle (OHV) Safety Week during the third week of May.

**Discussion**

An integral part of the management of the State Vehicular Recreation Areas (SVRA) is the active promotion of OHV safety, insuring that riders and drivers achieve a high level of competence while keeping all participants safe. These efforts have had a multi-phase approach through the efforts of California State Parks, federal and local governments, as well as other non-profit OHV partners, but there has never been a dedicated week promoting OHV safety.

Approval of this resolution will officially recognize and establish an annual OHV Safety Week, coordinating our efforts to ensure the future of OHV recreation.

**Commission Action**

1. Adopt the resolution
2. Amend the resolution
3. Take no action

**Attachments**

1. Draft – Proposed Resolution Establishing a California OHV Safety Week