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**STAFF REPORT:** Grants and Cooperative Agreements Program  
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**SUBJECT:** Grants Program Update

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**Summary**

Update on the status of the Grants and Cooperative Agreements Program (Grants Program).

**Discussion**

***G23 Grant Cycle***

The final awards for the G23 grant cycle became final on Wednesday, September 6, 2023, with the conclusion of the required appeals period. The final awards were posted on the OHMVR Division website on September 7, 2023.

Grants staff are currently working with the successful candidates to process the new project agreements. Additionally, staff is starting the preparation for the next grant cycle (G24) that begins in January 2024. We anticipate having a hybrid model workshop with an in-person and virtual component to it. The workshop will be held January 17, 2024 with a new format. The workshop will be focusing more on the writing of the application.

***Regulations***

The OHMVR Division is currently working on a regulatory package to make amendments to Program regulations and documents incorporated by reference. The proposed regulation revisions will make the regulatory language more concise, clear and consistent. Specifically, there were nomenclature changes when referring to Native American Tribes within California, updates to numbering, spelling and an update to ensure that grantees understand that equipment also includes heavy equipment.

A completed package will be submitted to the Office of Administrative Law (OAL) for review in October 2023. The effective implementation of these new regulations is expected in early-2024.

**Commission Action**

For information only.

**Attachments**

Final award summary