

**COLORADO BLM SPECIAL STIPULATIONS**  
**COMPETITIVE, ORGANIZED, AND OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICLE EVENTS**  
*FOR ALL PERMITS*

**Staffing Requirements:**

1. The operating plan will include a section to address event monitoring. The event monitoring section will address how the permittee will accomplish the following: Permittee is in charge of maintaining control of the permitted event area at all times. Permittee will have adequate staff to ensure that all rules are followed. During the event, permittee will provide on-the-ground staff monitoring to ensure that use is confined to areas actually authorized by permit.

2. Permittee is responsible for crowd control, ensuring that the event is orderly, does not endanger bystanders or participants, and is conducted in a peaceable manner to enhance recreation satisfaction and promote the public well being. Road crossings will be identified on the map and flag workers will be used where appropriate.

**Operating Plans:**

3. Permittee will be responsible for implementing the approved operating plan that includes, a medical plan to address response to and transportation of any injured participants or spectators, emergency response staff, level of training of staff, and type of medical equipment on site (ambulance/air ambulance), and a safety plan that includes advising the local sheriff, fire, and emergency medical service of the event.

4. Permittee agrees to reroute and/or relocate use areas to avoid sensitive areas identified by BLM before or during the event.

5. Permittee will mark approved routes, staging areas, parking areas, etc. with non-defacing markers and signs. Permittee is responsible for the prompt removal of these markers and signs immediately upon completion of event.

6. Permittee will monitor all range fence gates opened for the event to prevent passage by livestock and closed immediately at the end of the event.

7. Permittee is responsible for ensuring the safety of all spectators, entrants, vendors, and/or support personnel, and ensuring that all permit actions are in conformance with local, state, and federal health and safety standards.

8. Permittee is responsible for furnishing self-contained chemical sanitation facilities and trash receptacles at locations as necessary, to keep these serviced neat and clean during the event, and to provide for off-site disposal of all refuse and human waste generated from the event, in accordance with all applicable local, state, and federal ordinances, laws, and regulations.

9. Operation and maintenance of all sanitation, food service, water supply systems, and facilities by the permittee or his/her vendors shall comply with the standards of the local department of health and the United States Public Health Service and have the necessary permits to operate on Public Land.

10. Permittee will provide first-aid/EMT services adequate to meet emergency needs arising from the event, including CPR and medi-vac transportation for hospital care.

11. At the conclusion of the event, all trash and evidence of the event will be removed by the permittee and inspected by the Field Manager, or delegated authorized personnel, to meet the specifications established in the environmental document.

12. Pit areas will be open to authorized event participants and pit crews only. Permittee will provide a list of authorized personnel and participants who are permitted within each pit area. Storage areas for pit supplies will be identified on the map.

13. Spectator locations, and distances from track, will be identified by the use of snow fence or ropes, road delineators, setbacks and personnel to monitor said areas. Spectator viewing areas will be identified on attached map. The Event Operation Plan shall clearly identify in detail how spectator's safety will be provided for and what control measures will be utilized. Permittee must establish a safe distance for spectators and set speed limits in pits and other sensitive areas.

14. The permittee shall be responsible for clean-up and remediation in the event of an accident or mechanical failure resulting in the spillage of fuels, lubricants, coolants, hydraulic fluids, or other petroleum-based or synthetic organic compounds. Tarps are required under vehicles in the pit area to aid cleanup in the event of a spill.

15. All pits must have the equivalent of a UL approved two (2) 10-lb. ABC fire extinguisher at all times. Extinguisher(s) must be manned during all pit stops. This capability may be accomplished using fire extinguishers of any combination (minimum 5-lb. extinguisher) that equals 20 lbs. (i.e. two 10 lb., four 5 lb.). If 5 LB extinguishers are to be utilized, then the pit crew must man two fire extinguishers and be at the ready. All pit fire extinguishers must have current (less than one year old) seal in place, and be fully charged.

16. Permittee will provide the BLM with a medical plan to address response to and transportation of any injured participants or spectators. This plan will include number of emergency response staff, level of training of staff, and type of medical equipment on site (ambulance/air ambulance).

17. Welding and use of open flames will be monitored by permittee and confined to areas void of vegetation to prevent the ignition of vegetation in the surrounding areas.

## **Communication:**

18. Permittee will conduct a mandatory participant meeting where all participants will sign in. If a participant is not signed in, they will not participate in the event. This meeting will be documented. Key personnel and procedures will be identified such as medical, safety and incident command individuals. In case of an incident, permittee will be considered the key contact for Law Enforcement, Sheriff, BLM and event organizers. If permittee chooses to designate another individual for this duty the operation plan must be amended and signed to reflect this change. This contact will have the authority to stop the race if necessary and will be in radio or phone contact with event organizers.

19. Permittee is responsible for ensuring that participants do not drive off designated use areas and/or course routes; participant and spectator use will be restricted from sensitive areas.

20. Permittee will take all reasonable measures to inform other recreationists in the area of the event and associated temporary road restrictions, including publication of notices to this effect in the local news media.

21. Permittee will take all reasonable measures to ensure that entrants, spectators and casual users attracted by the event will not harass wildlife or livestock in the vicinity, including publication of notices discouraging such actions in the local news media.

22. State and local law enforcement will always be advised of upcoming events. Permittees are required to submit communication and safety plans that include advising the local sheriff, fire, and emergency medical service of the event.

23. Permittee will advise all spectators of current fire restrictions and regulations in effect. Special emphasis should be placed on any prohibition of smoking and campfires using solid fuels (wood, charcoal, etc).

**Notifications:**

24. Permittee is responsible for ensuring that all authorized motorized use conforms to the Conditions of Use set forth in 43 CFR Subpart 8341.1.

25. Nothing in this permit will be construed as a license for the permittee, employees, or clients to use areas of the public lands which are otherwise limited or closed (e.g., limited or closed off-highway vehicle designation areas).

26. State and local laws and ordinances apply to all BLM-administered public land, subject to overriding federal law. This includes, but is not limited to, laws and ordinances governing (a) operation and use of motor vehicles, aircraft, and boats; (b) hunting and fishing; (c) use of firearms; (d) injury to persons or destruction of property; (e) air and water pollution; (f) littering; (g) sanitation; and (h) use of fire. See 43 CFR 8341.1(d)

27. The Field Manager reserves the right to postpone or cancel the event if environmental conditions develop in which the event would subject the land to substantial resource damage or the public to unacceptable risk. These would include factors such as heavy rains, flooding, early thawing, etc.

28. Permittee shall protect the scenic and aesthetic values of the area under permit and the adjacent lands while exercising privileges granted during setup, operation, and maintenance of the permitted operation. When facilities for the event are dismantled, the area should be left in a natural state.

29. Permittee will restore any resource damage from the event as specified by the Field Manager.

30. Permittee assumes responsibility for coordinating the event with all adjacent landowners and securing access needed across privately owned lands, ensuring that trespass does not occur.

31. Proof of insurance shall be provided at least 30 days prior to the event. Insurance shall be consistent with requirements stated in the

Colorado BLM Special Recreation Permit information booklet or as amended by the Field Manager.

32. All event officials will receive a copy of applicable stipulations prior to competitive event(s). Permittee will ensure that the “Additional Standard Stipulations for Competitive and Off-Highway Vehicle Events” are posted on the event promoter’s website and provided in participant material.

33. Permittee, entrants, and/or spectators will not interfere with other valid uses occurring on the public land such as grazing, mining, and other recreational uses.

34. BLM reserves the right to revoke a permit for reasons such as, but not limited to, noncompliance with stipulations (before and/or during the event), failure to provide services specified in the operating plan, or untimely permit reporting.

35. Permittee agrees to make all relevant books, documents, papers, and records of his/her operation available to BLM upon request (as outlined in 43 CFR Subpart 2932.55) for analysis by qualified representatives of BLM and other agencies authorized to review BLM’s permitting activities.

36. Permittee shall post a copy of the authorizing permit in plain view where all clients and BLM and CPW employees have the opportunity to read it.

37. Permittee will notify BLM immediately of any accident resulting in loss of life.

**Certification:** I have read these terms, conditions and stipulations and understand that I must abide by them while performing activities in connection with the permitted operations.

Signature

Print Name

Date

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