

It is time to prepare for the 2009/10 Grants and Cooperative Agreements Program grant cycle. Workshops for the upcoming grant cycle have been scheduled for the week of January 11, 2010. The amount allocated for this grant year is \$27.1 million.

The workshops will include a half-day and a full day session. The half-day session will be used to provide an On-Line Grants Application (OLGA) orientation for new applicants or applicants that need a refresher for OLGA. The second day will be devoted to program requirements and changes in regulations from the previous year.

Potential applicants may attend one or both sessions. Attendance is NOT mandatory to participate in the program.

The particular information for the workshops is as follows:

SOUTH

Date: **Monday, January 11, 2010 (half day)**
Tuesday, January 12, 2010 (full day)

Where: Double Tree Inn
222 North Vineyard Avenue
Ontario, CA 91764-4431
Phone number: (909) 937-0900

Time: First day: 1:00p.m. to 5:00p.m. – OLGA Orientation
Second day: 8:00a.m. to 5:00p.m. – Program Requirements

NORTH

Date: **Wednesday, January 13, 2010 (half day)**
Thursday, January 14, 2010 (full day)

Where: Red Lion Inn
1401 Arden Way
Sacramento, CA 95815
Phone (916) 922-8041

Time: First day: 1:00p.m. to 5:00p.m. – OLGA Orientation
Second day: 8:00a.m. to 5:00p.m. – Program Requirements

Note: Workshop participants are responsible for their room reservations. Individuals wanting to reserve a room at the hotels where the workshops are being held can obtain the State of California rate of \$84.00 per night.

Individuals attending the first half-day of the workshop are encouraged to bring a laptop, as the workshops will include “hands-on” instructions on navigating through the web-based application process. The Division will have a limited number of laptops attendees may borrow if they do not have one to bring.

Please RSVP your attendance to the workshop via email to ohvinfo@parks.ca.gov. The email should provide the following information:

1. Name of attendee(s)
2. Agency
3. Phone Number(s)
4. Date(s) of attendance
5. Whether a laptop will be needed

You are requested to submit your RSVP by close of business January 7, 2010.

Updates will also be provided as necessary on our webpage at www.ohv.parks.ca.gov.