



TIERRA GRANDE

IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION, INC.

Policy: Permits for Off Highway Vehicles (OHV) in Tierra Grande Open Space

Brief Description:	This purpose of this document is to articulate a policy regarding Off Highway Vehicle (OHV) use in Tierra Grande's Open Space.
Effective:	July 1, 2017
Approved by:	TGIA Board of Directors
Responsible Administrator:	Susan Moran
Policy Contact:	TGIA PO Box 1388, Rio Communities, NM 87002 505-864-2345 or info@TierraGrande.org
Applies to:	Tierra Grande Members
Reason for Policy:	To implement a process for identifying Tierra Grande members who are authorized to use Off Highway Vehicles (OHV's) in Tierra Grande Open Space

I. INTRODUCTION

Each Tierra Grande member has a stake in how the Tierra Grande Improvement Association carries out its mission of preserving and protecting Tierra Grande's Open Space while addressing the interests of its members to hike or camp or enjoy other uses such as off-highway vehicle riding.

II. DEFINITION

An Off Highway Vehicle (OHV) is defined as a self-propelled vehicle designed to travel over unimproved terrain and which has been determined to be unsuitable for operation on public highways.

A. Procedures

- Tierra Grande members wishing to operate an OHV in the Tierra Grande Open Space, need to request a TGIA numbered identification sticker for each OHV the member will be using in the Open Space
- The member is required to provide the year/make/model of the OHV to the TG Association office
- An identification sticker will be issued to the member along with a copy of the TGIA General Use Guidelines for the Open Space
- The identification sticker is to be placed on the front driver's side bumper of the OHV
- Should the vehicle be transferred to another owner the identification sticker is to be removed and TGIA is to be informed

B. Forms

- TGIA will maintain a list of OHV's authorized in Tierra Grande's Open Space (see attached)

C. Guidelines

- OHV's in the Open Space are to stay on established trails
- OHV's without an authorization sticker may be operated in TGIA's Open Space if it is in the company of a member with an authorization sticker
- Report any unauthorized OHV use in TGIA's Open Space to TGIA:
 - 505-864-2345 or info@tierragrande.org(Please provide a date/time/description of the unauthorized OHV – cell phone photo will be helpful)

III. HISTORY

Adopted by the TGIA Board of Directors: 05/24/2017
Amended 6/28/17