

Department New Request Form Fiscal Year 2024

<i>Program</i>	Culture & Recreation	<i>Title of New Request:</i>	<i>Rank:</i>	8
<i>Department</i>	Parks & Recreation			
<i>Request Category</i>	Service Module Change	Safety/Training Program		
<i>Request Rating</i>	Maintain Level of Service			
<i>Department Goal</i>	Community Safety Health and Well-Being: Trust			

1. How will request assist in achieving Department Goal and benefit the customer

Safety training programs have been expanded for the department and include First Aid/CPR/AED, heavy equipment operation, Stop the Bleed, powered industrial trucks, Stormwater Pollution Protection Plan (SWPPP), and traffic control certifications. These safety training programs have incurred cost that will need to be met annually in order to continue providing them to employees and keep pace with public demand for services. The increase in funding will mitigate the impact of inflation on materials and services, increase employee professional development, increase employee retention, and reduce associated liability and workers compensation cost.

The Forestry Worker Position and CLM Maintenance Tech Asst is required to obtain a Class B CDL within 6 months of hire. In 2022 the federal laws governing CDL training changed to require that individuals seeking a CDL must complete a qualified training course prior to license issuance. The Parks and Recreation department does not currently have mechanisms in place to conduct this training in-house. The least expensive option for local CDL training is through Missoula College West Campus. The course for a Class A CDL with manual transmission was being offered in 2022 at a cost of \$5,000 per individual. Missoula College is currently developing curriculum for a Class B course, but the associated fee has not yet been determined.

2. What specifically is needed to achieve this goal?

20% increase to Operating supplies, 20% increase to Professional Services, 20% increase to Training, \$10,000 for CDL Training

3. Cost Impact of New Program:

Revenue Offset:

4. What sort of data will be used to report results and outcomes of request?

Safety training attendance rosters. Certificates for employee completion of training in equipment and powered industrial truck operation. Certificates for employee completion of first aid/CPR/AED and Stop the Bleed medical training. PPE description and inventory. Health and sanitation site assessment tracker.

Requested/Proposed Funding Source		
	One-time	Ongoing
or Assessment	-	32,193
Non-tax	-	-
Fund Balance	10,000	-
Total	10,000	32,193