

Attachment to ATV Grant Application

The DNR will not fund any ATV projects located near or crossing a waterway or wetland, unless the required documentation listed below and the checklist on the reverse side is provided with the application. This must be completed for the following ATV grant applications:

- Bridge/Trail Rehabilitation
- New Bridge
- Trail Relocations (mandatory and discretionary)
- New Miles (all seasons)

The required documentation is:

- Digitized topographic map of trail with bridge/culvert, waterway, wetland location(s), and project boundary identified (include an electronic copy if any archaeological/historical concerns are found) [Map scale should be no more than 4 sections per 8.5"x11" map page]
- Aerial photograph of trail with bridge/culvert, waterway, and wetland location(s) identified [Map scale should be no more than 4 sections per 8.5"x11" map page]
- Name of waterway(s) _____
- Photograph of bridge/culvert crossing location(s) from upstream, downstream, and from both directions across the structure.

Instructions:

The applicant is required to consult the information sources listed on the reverse side to answer the filter questions. Do not contact DNR staff for navigability or wetland determinations as part of completing this application. DNR staff will be reviewing all grant applications to verify that wetlands and navigability criteria are met, and to identify any permit requirements.

If you answered YES to either of the Resource Questions on the reverse side, your project may require a waterway, wetland or stormwater permit from DNR. Trail projects should be designed to avoid wetland impacts wherever possible. Alternatives that will avoid or minimize wetland impacts should be considered during the planning process, such as alternate routes or boardwalk design. If wetland impacts are unavoidable, you will be required to provide additional information during permit review about affected water resources, wetland boundaries, alternatives that were considered and why wetland impacts are unavoidable. If your project was approved by the ORV Council, the grant will NOT be written until all required permits have been applied for and approved by DNR staff.

If you answered NO to the Resource Questions on the reverse side and DNR staff confirm this information, grants may be written as soon as an internal review is completed by staff, and all additional questions are answered.

The attachments identified above should accompany your ATV Application (due April 15). If documentation requested below is already being requested on another form for the same project, you only need to provide it one time. If you have questions regarding these requirements, contact your regional CSS.

Please provide a separate application and attachment for each project.

Trail/Structure Conditions

Is this trail on public or private land? Public Private

What is the length of the easement? _____ [in years] Expiration Date _____

Are there other sources of funding committed to this project already? Yes No

If so, what is the source? _____

How many miles would be affected if this project is not funded? _____

Will this result in closure of a trail?

Yes, it will close this season

Yes, but won't be this season

No, not this season

Is this a critical section to the overall trail system? Yes No

Is there a reasonable alternative? Yes No (If YES, please explain)

How would you rate the existing trail and/or structure? (provide a separate rating for each structure and the trail.)

In poor condition, will be condemned if not replaced this year

In stable condition but needs to be replaced soon

In fair condition but should be replaced

Identify the funds previously spent on this trail and over what length of time?

\$ _____ over _____ years/months (circle one)

Resource Questions

1. Will this project be located near or cross any intermittent or perennial waterway, based on consulting the DNR's Surface Water Data Viewer maps using the link below?
 Yes No

Check to indicate that the map below has been consulted:

Surface Water Data Viewer – Open Water and River and Streams maps

<http://dnrmaps.wisconsin.gov/imf/imf.jsp?site=SurfaceWaterViewer>

2. Will this project be located near or cross any wetland, based on consulting the maps linked below?
 Yes No

Check to indicate that both the maps below have been consulted:

Surface Water Data Viewer – Wisconsin Wetland Inventory

Surface Water Data Viewer – Wetland Indicators

<http://dnrmaps.wisconsin.gov/imf/imf.jsp?site=SurfaceWaterViewer.wetlands>

3. Will this project involve land disturbance – including clearing and grubbing – of 1 acre or more of land? (less than 4/10th mile for a typical ATV trail)
 Yes No

If Yes, check to indicate that both the maps below have been consulted for proximity to wetlands:

Surface Water Data Viewer – Wisconsin Wetland Inventory

Surface Water Data Viewer – Wetland Indicators

<http://dnrmaps.wisconsin.gov/imf/imf.jsp?site=SurfaceWaterViewer.wetlands>