2025 Ak-Chin Indian Community Grant Application Cover Sheet

Name of Applicant: Pinal County Sheriff's Office	Applicant is a: □ City/Town/County (circle) □ Other
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Contact Person: Heather Patel	<i>y</i>
City/Town/County Mailing Address: PO Box 867	
City: Florence, AZ	Zip Code: 85132
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Phone Number: 520.866.6422	Fax Number:
E-mail Address: heather.patel@pinal.gov	
Program or Project Name: Rifle Optics Grant	
Priority Area (Check all that apply) education education	
Purpose of Grant (brief statement): To fund the one	e-time purchase of 250 modern rifle optics for patrol rifles
	ng outdated equipment that is over 25 years old to enhance
Deputy safety, accuracy and operational readiness of	
Target Audience/Beneficiaries: Sworn Deputies of	
Beginning and Ending Date of	the I mai county sherm 5 office
Program or Project: July 2025 – June 2026	
Amount Requested: \$230,250.00	Total Cost: \$230,250.00
Geographic Area Served: All of Pinal County	
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Signature:	
For the Applicant:	Date:
Typed/Printed Name and Title:	
For the Fiscal Agent:	Date:
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OUTLINE

A. Purpose of Grant.

- 1. Describe the proposed program, project or purchase (collectively, the "Project): The Pinal County Sheriff's Office (PCSO) respectfully requests grant funding for the purchase of updated rifle optics and mounts to replace equipment currently in use by Deputies. The optics currently deployed are over 25 years old, no longer meet modern operational standards, and pose a potential liability due to reliability and performance degradation. This project will fund the purchase of 250 non-magnified red-dot rifle optics suitable for law enforcement deployment. Specifically the Scarlarworks LEAP 1.93 red-dot optics mount and Aimpoint T2 red-dot optic, considered the industry standard for ruggedness and reliability. These optics will enhance Deputies ability to safely and accurately respond to dynamic, high-risk situations, particularly in low-light or rural environments common throughout Pinal County. This grant request is for equipment only no personnel, salary, or wage-related costs are included. While full funding is requested, PCSO is committed to enhancing Deputy safety and readiness and is prepared to accept partial funding to begin phased implementation of this project. Any level of support will directly contribute to operational effectiveness and public safety.
- 2. Identify the target population that will be served by the Project: This project will serve all of the communities within Pinal County, including the significant Native American population. Together these tribal nations represent approximately 6.1% of the country rural and sovereign population. Deputies frequently respond to call for service and conduct joint operations in or near tribal lands, making it essential they are equipped with reliable, modern equipment that ensures bother officer and public safety during high-stakes encounters.
- 3. Describe the Project goals and objectives and outline a plan to meet these goals:

Goal 1 – Increase Deputy Effectiveness and readiness by replacing aging optics.

- Objective 1 Procure and install 250 rifle optics and mounts compatible with standard issued PCSO patrol rifles.
- Objective 2 Ensure all optics are zeroed and tested by certified armorers and training staff.

Goal 2 – Improve safety during critical response incidents.

- Objective 3 Provide Deputies with optics and mounts, which support rapid target acquisition in high-stress environments.
- Objective 4 Ensure enhances response capability in rural and sovereign areas, including tribal lands, where backup is limited and Law Enforcement Officers may face extended response times. These optics and mounts will improve safety of all Pinal County Citizens by enabling a faster and more accurate response to high-risk situations.
- 4. Provide a timetable for implementation of the Project:
 - Month 1-3: Solicit updated quotes, finalize vendor, and place purchase order.
 - Month 3-6: Receive, inspect, and inventory optics and mounts.

- Month 6-9: Distribute to Deputies, install and zero optics during regular yearly firearms training
- Month 9-12: Final inspections and performance review; ensure 100% deployment.

B. Resources.

- 1. Identify current funding sources for the Project and characterize each funding source listed as either a one-time-only or long-term funding source: There are no current funding sources dedicated to this project. This is a one-time capital request and not supported by the existing budget. Full funding is requested from this grant to support implementation.
- 2. Identify other organizations or partners that are participating in or contributing to the Project, but which are not funding sources, and describe their roles or contributions:
 - PCSO Training Unit: Will coordinate zeroing, familiarization, training and performance verification.
 - PCSO Certified Armorers: Will handle equipment installation, tracking, maintenance, and ongoing support.
- 3. Define the Project as a new or continuing project or a purchase: This request if for a one-time capital purchase. Once installed, these optics and mounts will be managed and maintained by the PCSO Training Unit and PCSO certified Armorers. The expected service life of each Aimpoint T2 red-dot optic and Scarlarworks LEAP 1.93 mount is 10+ years. PCSO will budget for replacements in future budget cycles.
- 4. If the Applicant organization has requested funding from any other Arizona tribe, please list: PCSO 5-year History

Gila River Indian Community	County Attorney	2020	\$ 5,000.00	award
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C. Reports: The Pinal County Sheriff's Office maintains an established financial and tracking system for managing grant-funded expenditures. All grant purchases will be documented, cataloged and tracked with purchase orders, receipts, and internal asset records.

D. Budget:

Estimated Budget:

- 250 Aimpoint T2 red-dot optics and Scarlarwork LEAP 1.92 mounts @ \$909 each: \$227,250.00
- Estimated shipping and handling: \$3,000.00
- Total Requested Funding: \$230,250.00

Timeline for Expenditure: Funds will be expended within 90-120 days of approval.

PCSO recognizes the limitations on available funding and welcomes partial awards to initiate implementation. If awarded less than the requested amount, PCSO will prioritize distribution to highest-need personnel and units (e.g., rural beats and high-call volume Deputies), and continue to seek supplemental funding to fully complete the project.

E. Additional information: PCSO has a longstanding partnership with the Ak-Chin Indian Community and surrounding Tribal Nations. Our Deputies routinely provide mutual aid or support in areas with limited local law enforcement resources. This equipment upgrade will enhance our ability to serve Native American communities respectfully, efficiently, and safely, honoring the shared priority of protecting life while fostering trust between law enforcement and tribal residents. The Pinal County Sheriff's Office serves a large and growing jurisdiction with a focus on professionalism, accountability and community trust. Upgrading critical equipment like patrol rifle optics and mounts directly support Deputy Preparedness and community safety. PCSO will remain flexible in scope and will responsibly maximize the impact of any amount awarded, recognizing the value and responsibility entrusted by Tribal Communities. PCSO recognizes and appreciated the historical support of Arizona Tribal Communities and the importance of responsible stewardship of any funding awarded. This project reflects out continues commitment to public safety, fiscal transparency and operational excellence. We thank the Ak-Chin Council for its consideration of this request.

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Program or Project Name: Traffic Vehicle Crimes	Unit Ford Transit Van - Replacement
Priority Area (Check all that apply) ☐ education 5	∠ public safety □ health □ environment
promotion of commerce economic and com	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	d Transit van, with upfitting, to be utilized by Traffic
	o investigate serious injury and fatality collisions that
	responsibility. Replaces a 2011 Chevrolet Express.
Target Audience / Beneficiaries: Citizens of Pinal Queen Creek, Florence, Coolidge, Eloy, and Marice	County, including incorporated jurisdictions: Superior, opa.
Beginning and Ending Date of	* .
Program or Project: January 1st, 2026 to September	
Amount Requested: \$108,668.29	Total Cost: \$108,668.29
Geographic Area Served: Pinal County and incorposquare miles	orated jurisdictions within Pinal County, which is 5,374
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Typed/Printed Name and Title:Darin Erickson, T	raffic Sergeant
For the Fiscal Agent:	Date:
(If applicable) Typed/Printed Name and Title:Heather Patel, Pin	al County Grants Manager
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A. Purpose of Grant.

1. The proposed project is to purchase a Ford Transit van to be upfitted and utilized by the Pinal County Sheriff's Office Traffic Unit for the response and deployment to the investigations of serious injury, liability, and fatality collisions that occur in and around Pinal County. Additionally, the van would be used by the Traffic Unit as needed to respond to critical incidences to assist the Pinal County Sheriff's Office Criminal Investigations Bureau in cases including, but not limited to, homicides, robberies, and officer involved shootings.

This project would replace a 2011 Chevrolet Express van that is currently being utilized as described. The replacement van would improve operations, efficiency, and reliability. The new upgraded van would allow for a desk work space inside the van, more storage of equipment, easier access to equipment, and exterior lighting for night investigations. A new vehicle would allow for reliable transportation with less chances of experiencing mechanical problems.

The Pinal County Sheriff's Office Traffic Unit leads and manages the Pinal County Regional Vehicle Crimes Task Force (PCRVCTF). This task force is comprised of investigators from seven agencies: Pinal County Sheriff's Office, Queen Creek, Superior, Florence, Coolidge, Eloy, and Maricopa. This task force is a resource available for the serious injury, liability, and fatal crash investigations that occur in all of those jurisdictions. The Pinal County Sheriff's Office provides 10 of the 23 investigators that make up the task force.

Deploying to major collision scenes requires transporting specialized equipment, such as heavy duty weight scales, scene processing equipment including the FARO Scanner and Drone, EDR equipment, evidence markers, safety gear, canopies, barriers, etc. Additionally, for investigations that occur during darkness, a light plant needs to be towed to the scene.

The van would be purchased at a local Ford dealer. From there, it would be transported to another location to be upfitted by a company that specializes in upfitting vans for law enforcement use. This includes installing required emergency lights, interior and exterior lighting, converter for power, computer mount, and a radio that would be purchased as well from Motorola.

Quote sheets and build specs were obtained. However, caution was provided to the applicant contact person, Sgt. Erickson, to account for a 15 percent cost adjustment due to next years model year and potential Tariff consequences.

2. The population served by this project is the citizens who reside in Pinal County and those that commute through Pinal County. The population of Pinal County is approaching 500,000 people. Vehicle collisions can occur at any time and location, and when it does happen, the roadways are closed for the investigation. The people who will benefit include those that are involved in the collision, and those that need to commute around the collision location. The van will allow for the initial reliable response with all necessary equipment so the investigators can work efficiently and open the roadway as soon as practicable. The geographic location includes Pinal County and all municipalities that make up the Pinal County Regional Vehicle Crimes Task Force.

3. The objectives for this project is first to secure a van and complete purchasing after January 1st 2026. If a van is secured in a timely manner, it could be transported to another facility for upfitting in the first quarter of 2026. The upfitting process can take time to complete the van build to specs. The objective for upfitting completion would be the second quarter of 2026. Once completed the van would undergo final inspection before being delivered to Pinal County Sheriff's Fleet Services Department for registration. The objectives for the van to be put into service would be the summer of 2026.

The project goals are to obtain a reliable, efficient, updated van that will improve overall operations in collision investigations that will support and benefit the citizens and commuters of Pinal County. The goal is to maintain the van with required and routine service and repairs as necessary to be completed by Pinal County Fleet Services Department. With proper care and maintenance, the van can be a great asset for 10 or more years, dependent upon accrued mileage.

4. Upon the funded project being approved and fully executed, the Pinal County Sheriff's Office will make arrangements to secure a van that is suitable for our described needs. Once the van is available, it will be constructed per the build specs. When it is completed, and registered by the Pinal County Sheriff's Office, the VCU van will be put into service immediately which would be projected to be the summer of 2026.

B. Resources.

- 1. Currently, there are no funding sources identified for this project. The cost of this VCU van replacement was not included in a budget item for fiscal year 2026. This project would be a one-time purchase, with long-term advantages.
- 2. There are no other organizations or partners that are participating with providing the Pinal County Sheriff's Office with a VCU van replacement or upgrade.
- 3. This project is a new project for the Pinal County Sheriff's Office. The project will be sustained by Pinal County personnel, to include the PCSO staff who will be utilizing the van and Pinal County Fleet Services who will be providing routine maintenance and care to ensure the van is kept in good working condition throughout the years.
- 4. If the Applicant organization has requested funding from any other Arizona tribe, please list:
 - a. See attachment. Pending requests made within the last eighteen (18) months for the same request, including the name of the tribe to which the request was made.
 - 1. There are no pending requests for the same project for the VCU replacement van. b.Funded requests made in the last five (5) years, including the name of the tribe that awarded the funding, a brief summary of the project for which the funding was awarded, and the amount of the funding received.
 - 1. See attachment, SAA.

- C. Reports. If approved, the Pinal County Sheriff's Office will account for and report expenditures to the Community. The PCSO will keep track of timelines and progression throughout the project until it is completed and put into service. This includes the date of the executed grant, date of purchase order, date a vehicle is secured, date and timeframe during upfitting, date the vehicle is transferred to the Pinal County Sheriff's Office, and date the vehicle is put into service upon registration being completed. Additionally the PCSO Traffic Unit maintains records and statistics for when the vehicle crimes unit is deployed to investigate collisions, and when the van is utilized for case follow up, which includes obtaining vehicle weights and event data recorder information. This information will be available upon request and is updated and current on a monthly basis. This information is tracked by the unit supervisor and the agency records management system.
- D. Budget. See attachment budget forms which supports the request in the Application. The estimated timeline for when the funds will be expended is the summer of 2026 when the project would be completed.
- E. Additional information. Please provide any additional information about the Project or the Applicant organization that the Ak-Chin Council should know when considering the Application.
 - 1. See attached documents and photographs.
 - 2. The Pinal County Sheriff's Office is the largest agency within Pinal County. PCSO strives to provide assistance to all agencies within and near Pinal County during times that assistance and expertise is needed in the area of vehicle accident investigations to include the follow up that is necessary in regards to crash data retrieval, and reconstruction.

Narrative Attachment Section B Resources #4

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Program or Project: January 2026 Su	
Amount Requested: \$63,518.24	Total Cost: \$63,518.24
Geographic Area Served: Pinal Coun	ty Arizona
By the execution of this Grant Application is true, to the best of the information in this Application change Signature: For the Applicant: Typed/Printed Name and Title:	Date: June 16, 2025
For the Fiscal Agent:	Date:
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OUTLINE

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1. Describe the proposed program, project or purchase (collectively, the "Project): The Community Relations Unit is requesting two Utility Task Vehicles (UTVs) along with two trailers to haul the UTVs. The use of these UTVs and trailers will allow for the Community Relations Unit an opportunity to reach rural and urban areas of Pinal County for community events and the public needs. The vehicles will allow for a closer and personal experience with contact from our Community Relations Unit. This will provide a chance to help and render aid to the county residence when needed and to help and assist with a faster response time in providing resources to the residents of Pinal County in the urban and rural areas of the county.

Identify the target population that will be served by the Project: Pinal County Sheriff's Office Community Relations Unit is seeking grant funding for two Utility Task Vehicles (UTVs) and two trailers to haul the vehicles while in use. These vehicles will be utilized for easy access to difficult terrain such as the desert, crowded streets, areas that traditional patrol vehicles cannot access with quick efficient time. The UTVs and Trailers will be utilized for emergency situations (such as wildfires) and community events with crowds for the use of transportation of members of PCSO, food, water, or supplies for Pinal County Sheriff's Office staff and the public. The trailers will be utilized to transport the side by side to the locations it is utilized for transportation of PCSO staff, food, water, and/or supplies for the public and staff.

- 2. Describe the Project goals and objectives and outline a plan to meet these goals: Pinal County Sheriff's Office patrols approximately 5,374 miles of both rural and urban areas of the county. The 2024 Census reports that Pinal County has a population of 513,862 residents with 1,179 square rural miles of patrol and 4,195 square urban miles. The UTVs and trailers will be utilized for quick transportation of supplies and goods to both rural and urban areas of Pinal County.
- 3. The objectives and goals for the UTVs and trailers will provide the ability to access rural and urban areas of the county during community events, providing resources such as food, water, and aid to the residents and staff of Pinal County.

Documentation of the use of the UTVs and trailers will be carefully documented for use in events and the community through an internal documentation on a weekly basis and reported to the proper chain of command (Community Relations Sargent) on a monthly basis.

The goal of the Community Relations Unit needed for the UTVs and trailers is to provide an alternative means of transportation that will quickly and efficiently allow access for the unit to provide essential resources to the community of Pinal County and staff in both rural and urban areas that traditional patrol vehicles may not be able to access.

The use of the UTVs and trailers during the yearly Country Thunder Music Festival. This vehicle will allow access between crowds, small alleys, allowing closer access to PSCO staff, community members, as food, water, and other necessities are needed for the time of the event

for PCSO members providing security and the community attending the event. The UTVs and trailers would be available for the duration of the event 24/7 as the CRU staff provides services

to PCSO staff during the duration of Country Thunder (an average of five days with rotating shifts). This UTV and trailer will be utilized year round for events. The CRU has many events throughout the year that would show the relevance of the use and need for the UTV and trailer.

4. **Provide a timetable for implementation of the Project:** The time that the UTVs and trailers will be used is unlimited. Both resources will be utilized on a weekly basis to help support the residence of Pinal County for events and PCSO staff. These resources will be continued even after the end of the grant period.

-January: Casa Grande Street Fair & Car Show, Hewitt Station Clean Up, and Patrol Posse Driving Course Support.

-February: 50k Marathon (Superior)

-March: COP Classic Car Show, Jason Lopez Memorial Clean-Up, and Mesa Team Building Challenge.

-April: Torch Run, Country Thunder, NCVRW Car Show, Missile Base Clean Up, National Night Out, Pinal County Sheriff's Office Open House, and Adopt a Road, Wild Fires.

-May: High School Graduations and Wild Fires.

-June: East Mesa Safety Event, Hero Day, Safety Awareness, Water Safety Day, and American Legion Law Enforcement Career Academy, and Wild Fires.

-July: Water Day (American Leadership Academy), Water Day (Legacy Traditional Schools), Wild Fires, and Touch a Truck.

-August: Stand by for pop up events and emergency use (wild fires).

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-October: Hoot Night, Adopt a Road, and Getting Arizonans Involved In Neighborhoods.

-November: Maricopa County Sheriff's Office Cadet Competition.

-December: Shop with the Sheriff, and HOPE.Wild Fires, Parades, Social Events Hosted by Main County, and/or emergency use- as requested.

B. Resources.

- 1. Identify current funding sources for the Project and characterize each funding source listed as either a one-time-only or long-term funding source: Currently, there are no funding resources identified for this project. The cost of the UTVs and the trailers was not included as a budget item for the fiscal year 2026. The project will be a one time purchase, with long term advantages.
- 2. Identify other organizations or partners that are participating in or contributing to the Project, but

- 3. which are not funding sources, and describe their roles or contributions: There are no other organizations or partners that are participating in providing Pinal County Sheriffs Office with UTVs and trailers.
- 4. Define the Project as a new or continuing project or a purchase: This project is new to the Pinal County Sheriffs Office (Community Relations Unit), The project will be maintained by PCSO staff, sworn personnel, who will be utilizing the UTVs and trailers. The vehicles will be properly maintained and cared for regarding maintenance by the Pinal County Feet Services who will help and assist in the maintenance and care of the UTVs and trailers throughout the years of use.
- 5. If the Applicant organization has requested funding from any other Arizona tribe, please list:
 - a. See Attachment, Pending requests made within the last eighteen (18) months for the same request, including the name of the tribe to which the request was made.

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Gila River Indian Community	PCSO	2025	\$ 183,020.04	pending
Gila River Indian Community	PCSO	2025	\$ 28,690.0	pending
Gila River Indian Community	PCSO	2025	\$ 14,652.76	5 pending
Gila River Indian Community	PCSO	2025	\$ 25,397.8	pending
Gila River Indian Community	PCSO	2025	\$ 9,251.5	9 pending

1. There are no pending requests for UTVs and Trailers.

a. See the Attachment, Funded requests made in the last five (5) years, including the name of the tribe that awarded the funding, a brief summary of the project for which the funding was awarded, and the amount of the funding received.

C. Reports: The Pinal County Sheriff's Office maintains an established financial and tracking system for managing grant-funded expenditures. All grant purchases will be documented, cataloged and tracked with purchase orders, receipts, and internal asset records.

D. Budget. The budget and itemized list for the needed UTVs and Trailers are attached. The expected time line for use of funding and project will start upon grant approval and purchases made by spring 2026.

E. Additional information. Pinal County Sheriffs Office is the largest county agency providing assistance to the residents of the county and surrounding counties. PCSO has a long standing relationship with Ak-Chin Indian Community and strives to continue to nurture the relationship. The UTVs and trailers will be a valuable asset to both PCSO and the community of Pinal County.

Impact and Evaluations

- Rapid response capabilities.
- Mobility off the road, desert terrain, crowds at events, tight alleyways, traffic, and navigate around traditional traffic areas in the case of a wild fire.
- Improving community engagement and public safety.
- Transporting essential goods (water, food, and aid) and PCSO staff.

Organization Information

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Mission Statement

To Preserve the Peace, Protect Life and Property, and Promote Public Safety while upholding the Constitution.

Vision Statement

To proudly serve Pinal County's diverse community with enthusiasm. PCSO will remain among Arizona's premier Sheriff's Offices by delivering superior service to Pinal County residents, while fiercely defending the constitution and our oath of office. Our staff serve with pride and honor, and in a professional manner emulating a public servant who is dependable without prejudice, always performing to the highest level of public service.

Our Values

- Honor For ourselves and those we are sworn to protect and for the laws and constitution we are entrusted to uphold.
- Excellence In the performance of our duties and our service to the citizens of our county, state and our nation.

- Pride In our profession, our agency and all that we at Pinal County Sheriff's Office represent.
- Dedication To our principles, values, our positions, and the citizens of Pinal County.
- Understanding That we are all part of and serve something bigger than ourselves, and our service to others is selfless.