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When choosing an Optima battery for your 4x4, get a dual-purpose (deep cycle and starting) battery instead of just a starting battery. The dual-purpose batteries are great for cranking power as well as having the deep cycle that is needed for accessories like winches and off-road lights. We recommend the Yellow- or BlueTop versions, but be sure they have the dual-purpose light gray body, not the dark bodies which are indicative of the starter batteries. Also remember that major components like starters and winches should be attached to the large lead posts with low-draw accessories attached to the smaller threaded posts. **INFORMATION:** Optima Batteries, 888.867.8462, www.optimabatteries.com