Public Safety Commission Regular Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, November 4, 2015

5:00 P.M.

City Hall – Zuma Room 23825 Stuart Ranch Road

Call to Order

Roll Call

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Agenda

Report on Posting of Agenda - October 28, 2015

1. Written and Oral Communications from the Public and Commissioners

- A. Communications from the Public concerning matters which are not on the agenda but for which the Commission has subject matter jurisdiction. The Commission may not act on these matters at this meeting. (30 minutes total time allotted)
- B. Commissioner reports, comments and inquiries. (15 minutes total time allotted)

2. Consent Calendar

A. Previously Discussed Items

None.

- B. New Items
 - 1. Approval of Minutes October 7, 2015

Recommended action: Approve minutes of the Public Safety Commission Regular meeting of October 7, 2015.

Staff contact: Executive Assistant Linden, 310-456-2489 ext. 232

3. Old Business

None.

4. New Business

A. Golf Carts and Low-Speed Vehicles

Recommended action: Consider whether to make a recommendation to the City Council regarding enacting additional regulations on the operation of golf carts and low-speed vehicles within the city limits.

Staff contact: Executive Assistant Linden, 310-456-2489 ext. 232

B. Update on Projects Affecting Traffic on Pacific Coast Highway (PCH) and City Streets

Recommended action: 1) Receive and file status updates on projects affecting traffic on PCH and City streets, including: a) Fiscal Year 2015-2016 Street Maintenance Project; b) Pacific Coast Highway (PCH) Parking Master Plan; c) Wave Breaker Construction and Shoreline Restoration Project (Caltrans); and d) Caltrans maintenance work; and 2) Provide questions to be asked during the City's biweekly conference call with Caltrans staff.

Staff contact: Public Works Superintendent Aladjadjian, 310-456-2489 ext. 235

C. Public Safety Agency Activity

Recommended action: Discuss recent Public Safety Agency activities and receive and file monthly activity reports from the County of Los Angeles Sheriff's Department, Fire Department and Lifeguard Division.

Staff contact: Executive Assistant Linden, 310-456-2489 ext. 232

Adjournment

Future Meetings

Wednesday, December 2, 2015	5:00 p.m.	Regular Meeting	City Hall Multipurpose Room
Wednesday, January 6, 2016	5:00 p.m.	Regular Meeting	City Hall Multipurpose Room
Wednesday, February 3, 2016	5:00 p.m.	Regular Meeting	City Hall Multipurpose Room

Guide to the City Commission Proceedings

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Items in Consent Calendar Section A have already been considered by the Commission at a previous meeting where the public was invited to comment, after which a decision was made. These items are not subject to public discussion at this meeting because the vote taken at the previous meeting was final. Resolutions concerning decisions made at previous meetings are for the purpose of memorializing the decision to assure the accuracy of the findings, the prior vote, and any conditions imposed.

Items in Consent Calendar Section B have not been discussed previously by the Commission. If discussion is desired, an item may be removed from the Consent Calendar for individual consideration. Commissioners may indicate a negative or abstaining vote on any individual item by so declaring prior to the vote on the motion to adopt the entire Consent Calendar. Items excluded from the Consent Calendar will be taken up by the Commission following the action on the Consent Calendar. The Commission first will take up the items for which public speaker requests have been submitted. Public speakers shall follow the rules as set forth under Oral Communication.

Old Business items have appeared on previous agendas but have either been continued or tabled to this meeting with no final action having been taken. Public comment shall follow the rules as set forth under Oral Communication.

Items in New Business are items which are appearing for the first time for formal action. Public comment shall follow the rules as set forth under Oral Communication.

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I hereby certify under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of California, that the foregoing agenda was posted in accordance with the applicable legal requirements. Dated this 28^{th} day of October 2015.

Mary Linden, Executive Assistant

Public Safety Commission Meeting 11-04-15

Item **2.B.1.**



Public Safety Commission Agenda Report

To:

Chair Saul and Members of the Public Safety Commission

Prepared by:

Mary Linden, Executive Assistant

Approved by:

Jim Thorsen, City Manager

Date prepared:

October 14, 2015

Meeting date:

November 4, 2015

Subject:

Approval of Minutes – October 7, 2015

<u>RECOMMENDED ACTION</u>: Approve minutes of the Public Safety Commission Regular meeting of October 7, 2015.

<u>DISCUSSION</u>: Staff has prepared draft minutes for the Public Safety Commission Regular meeting of October 7, 2015 and hereby submits the minutes to the Commission for approval.

ATTACHMENTS:

Draft Minutes of the October 7, 2015 Public Safety Commission Regular meeting

MINUTES MALIBU PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING OCTOBER 7, 2015 MULTIPURPOSE ROOM 5:00 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Saul called the meeting to order at 5:07 p.m.

ROLL CALL

The following persons were recorded in attendance by the Recording Secretary:

PRESENT: Chair David Saul; Vice Chair Chris Frost; and Commissioners Marlene Matlow and Carol Randall

ABSENT: Commissioner Meril May

ALSO PRESENT: Bob Brager, Public Works Director; Arthur Aladjadjian, Public Works Superintendent; Lieutenant Jim Royal Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department Liaison; Maria Grycan, Community Services Liaison, Los Angeles County Fire Department; Section Chief Charles Kissel, Los Angeles County Lifeguards; and Mary Linden, Recording Secretary

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Doug Randall led the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION Commissioner Randall moved and Commissioner Matlow seconded a motion to approve the agenda. The motion carried 4-0, Commissioner May absent.

REPORT ON POSTING OF AGENDA

Recording Secretary Linden reported that the agenda for the meeting was properly posted on September 30, 2015.

ITEM 1.A. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Doug Randall, Malibu Custom Carts, submitted information he prepared about golf carts, including a draft permit, waiver of liability, and ordinance.

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Lloyd Ahern discussed a plan he was trying to develop for Las Tunas Canyon. He stated the first action was to clear homeless from the creek area. He requested the Commission help him coordinate a meeting with the Sheriff's Department prior to Caltrans beginning its work.

ITEM 1.B. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS

Vice Chair Frost stated he discussed the problems at Las Tunas Canyon with Deputy Mike Treinan several months ago. He stated Deputy Treinan organized a homeless outreach operation in that area. Chair Saul offered to work with Mr. Ahern on his issues.

Commissioner Randall reported that she attended the El Niño presentation offered by the City's Emergency Services Coordinator today. She stated another attendee asked her to get an update on the status of the emergency access road at Trancas.

Vice Chair Frost stated he observed and was grateful for heightened Sheriff's patrol presence on the west end of Malibu. He discussed the proliferation of cyclists riding on the wrong side of the road.

Chair Saul requested Mr. Randall's packet of information be provided to the City.

ITEM 2 CONSENT CALENDAR

MOTION Commissioner Randall moved and Vice Chair Frost seconded a motion to approve the Consent Calendar. The motion carried 4-0, Commissioner May

absent.

The Consent Calendar consisted of the following items:

- A. <u>Previously Discussed Items</u> None.
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- B. New Items
 - 1. <u>Approval of Minutes September 2, 2015</u>
 Recommended action: Approve minutes of the Public Safety Commission Regular meeting of September 2, 2015.

ITEM 3 OLD BUSINESS

None.

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ITEM 4 NEW BUSINESS

A. Public Safety Agencies Annual Service Review

Recommended action: Review services provided by the County of Los Angeles Sheriff's Department, Fire Department and Lifeguards, and make recommendations to the City Council for service level adjustments, if appropriate.

Lifeguard Section Chief Charles Kissel introduced himself. He stated he was new to the Malibu section and was impressed with the outstanding work of the lifeguards. He reported there were approximately 600 ocean rescues at Zuma Beach. He announced a new vehicle sponsorship with Toyota, which provided the Lifeguards with red, four-door Tacoma trucks. He stated new jet skis were working well, especially in rip tides and large swells. He stated the Lifeguards received ongoing cooperation and support from the County Board of Supervisors. He stated some aged vessels were being replaced with newer, more efficient equipment. He commended the Sheriff's Department for its excellent partnership with the Lifeguards. He stated the deputies' presence on the beaches provided great support. He discussed preventative and proactive measures the Lifeguards take to educate the public about safety while at the beach.

Commissioner Matlow expressed concern about safety at smaller pocket beaches that do not have lifeguards. Chief Kissel stated many were controlled by State Parks. He stated when he observed full parking lots at those beaches, he instructed patrolling lifeguards to check those areas whenever possible. He stated he could work with the Fire Department to see if there was more that could be done.

In response to Vice Chair Frost, Chief Kissel stated he would investigate laws regarding the launching of watercraft from private beaches, such as Paradise Cove. He expressed concern about vessels being driven by individuals under the influence of alcohol. Lt. Royal stated the Sheriff's Department assisted with vessels in distress or inebriated drivers. He stated he would research the law.

MOTION

Commissioner Randall moved and Chair Saul seconded a motion to recommend that the City Council recognize Lifeguard Colby Trivette for his lifesaving rescue on August 29, 2015.

In response to Chair Saul, Chief Kissel stated Lifeguard Rescue 300 (LR 300) would continue to be fully funded.

In response to Commissioner Matlow, Lt. Royal clarified that Leo Carrillo, El Matador, La Piedra and El Pescador beaches are not covered by Sheriff's Department or Lifeguard personnel because they are State beaches.

Commissioner Matlow requested State Parks be asked to attend a future meeting to address coverage at State beaches.

Chair Saul asked if LR 300 could be made a full assessment vehicle during the busy summer season, as a backup to paramedics. Chief Kissel stated he would discuss it with his supervisors in the Fire Department.

Community Services Representative Grycan reported that the Fire Department contracted two new Super Scoopers, bringing the total to four. She stated the department joined a task force with several County agencies to work together in preparation for El Niño. She discussed problems with sky lanterns across the country. She discussed annual recognition of firefighters who go above and beyond the call of duty. Commissioner Matlow suggested the City also recognize them. Community Services Representative Grycan stated she would include those incidents in future monthly reports.

Commissioner Matlow expressed displeasure that Governor Brown did not sign any legislation regarding drones. Community Services Representative Grycan stated the Fire Department was looking at drones from various angles since they can be an impediment to firefighting operations but could also provide valuable information when working in concert with the Department.

In response to Vice Chair Frost, Lt. Royal cited the Los Angeles County Municipal Code related to operating vessels within 300 yards of a beach.

Commissioner Randall thanked the Fire Department for its assistance when a power line went down near her home.

B. <u>2015 Summer Beach Enforcement Operation Summary</u>

Recommended action: Receive and file summary report of the 2015 Summer Beach Enforcement Operation.

Lt. Royal stated this year's summer enforcement was very successful. He stated the new electronic parking citation equipment provided by the City made enforcement more efficient and cost-effective. In response to Commissioner Randall, he defined Miscellaneous Misdemeanor Citations and Misdemeanor Custodial arrests. He stated additional No Parking signage that was installed reduced the number of towed vehicles.

In response to Commissioner Matlow, Lt. Royal stated the staffing levels were adequate for the mission of the Summer Enforcement Team. In response to Commissioner Matlow, Lt. Royal stated he did not foresee the use of drones for regular patrolling due to privacy issues.

C. Ordinance to Restrict Allowable Dates for Professional Fireworks Displays
Recommended action: Make a recommendation to the City Council regarding a
draft ordinance that would amend the Malibu Municipal Code to restrict the dates
allowed for professional fireworks displays.

Recording Secretary Linden presented the report. She explained that the City Manager requested the Commission review the ordinance before taking it to the City Council. She stated the Municipal Code section referenced in the report should be corrected to 9.36.

Commissioner Matlow stated her understanding was that the County Fire Department set guidelines. Community Services Representative Grycan stated the Fire Department was responsible for permitting the displays but worked with local jurisdictions on further restrictions. She cited the example of the City of Calabasas which limits the size of shells permitted for detonation within its city limits.

Chair Saul expressed concern with the inclusion of "unless authorized by the City Council." Recording Secretary Linden explained that exceptions could not be approved by individual Councilmembers but would require approval by the City Council.

Chair Saul asked if the Fire Department would work with the restrictions outlined in the draft ordinance. Community Services Representative Grycan explained the process for issuing permits. She stated the Fire Prevention office would abide by the ordinance. In response to Chair Saul, Community Services Representative Grycan explained the agreement with the City regarding start times for public displays.

MOTION

Commissioner Matlow moved and Chair Saul seconded a motion to recommend the City Council adopt a draft ordinance that would amend the Malibu Municipal Code to restrict the dates allowed for professional fireworks displays. The motion carried 4-0, Commissioner May absent.

CONSENSUS

By consensus, the Commission agreed to hear Item No. 4.E. prior to Item No. 4.D.

E. Public Safety Agency Activity

Recommended action: recent Public Safety Agency activities and receive and file monthly activity reports from the County of Los Angeles Sheriff's Department, Fire Department and Lifeguard Division.

In response to Chair Saul, Lt. Royal stated Caltrans has information on traffic counts for PCH. Lt. Royal requested Public Works staff assist in retrieving the

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Commissioner Matlow stated St. Aidan's steep cement driveway was a conduit for water to run down to PCH. Chair Saul stated it was pitched so that water would flow east into the culvert. Public Works Director Brager stated it would be added to the list of areas for investigation as part of the City's El Niño preparations.

Commissioner Randall stated someone had expressed concern to her about accessways on Trancas. Public Works Director Brager stated access was included in the development project at Trancas. Vice Chair Frost clarified the access road would be off the cul-de-sac behind the shopping center and was intended to provide ingress and egress to the residents of Malibu West. Public Works Director Brager stated he would discuss the issue with Planning.

Commissioner Randall expressed concern about overflow and runoff across PCH to the beachside homes from a small creek just east of Las Flores Creek. Public Works Director Brager stated he would add it to the list of areas to inspect.

Chair Saul asked how the market at Trancas was given a certificate of occupancy if the access road was not complete.

Vice Chair Frost discussed plans for the right turn at the Trancas shopping center. He asked why the City did not pressure the developer to include a two-car length pocket. Public Works Director Brager explained the developer has completed all work required by the coastal development permit (CDP), which did not include a right turn lane. He stated the developer plans to clean up the shoulder area on the right side of PCH by the shopping center entrances. Vice Chair Frost requested that the City ask Caltrans bring the plans to the Commission for review before issuing a permit.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION

At 7:15 p.m., Vice Chair Frost moved and Commissioner Randall seconded a motion to adjourn. The motion carried 4-0, Commissioner May absent.

	Approved and adopted by the Public Safety C City of Malibu on	Commission of the
ATTEST:	DAVID SAUL, Chair	
MARY LINDEN, Re	ording Secretary	



Public Safety Commission Meeting 11-04-15

4.A.

Public Safety Commission Agenda Report

To:

Chair Saul and Members of the Public Safety Commission

Prepared by:

Mary Linden, Executive Assistant

Approved by:

Jim Thorsen, City Manager

Date prepared:

October 12, 2015

Meeting date:

November 4, 2015

Subject:

Golf Carts and Low-Speed Vehicles

<u>RECOMMENDED ACTION</u>: Consider whether to make a recommendation to the City Council regarding enacting additional regulations on the operation of golf carts and low-speed vehicles within the city limits.

<u>DISCUSSION:</u> The use of golf carts and low-speed vehicles on public streets and roads is currently regulated by the California Vehicle Code (CVC) and Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), as explained by the Sheriff's Department at the Commission's November 7, 2012 Regular meeting. The agenda report (Attachment 1) and an excerpt from the minutes (Attachment 2) with the Commission's discussion of the item are attached for reference.

In order to be legally operated on a public street, the vehicles must be registered with the California Department of Motor Vehicles and meet minimum safety standards. This includes, but is not limited to front and rear lights, brake lights, seat belts, mirrors, and turn signals. Operators of the vehicles must have a valid drivers license. In the case of licensed drivers under the age of 18, obey California's provisional license restrictions, including not operating a vehicle between 11:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m., and not driving with passengers 20 years old or younger unless an adult driver is also in the vehicle.

At its Regular meeting on September 2, 2015, the Commission requested an item be brought back to consider whether a recommendation should be made that the City Council adopt additional regulations on the use of golf carts and low-speed vehicles in Malibu due to unsafe and illegal operation of the vehicles in the City. At the October 4, 2015 Commission meeting, Doug Randall of Malibu Custom Carts distributed documentation,

including a draft registration form, liability waiver, and suggested language for a possible ordinance, for the Commission's consideration (Attachment 3).

Should the Commission decide to make a recommendation to the Council, it should include specific suggestions as to the type and scope of the regulations.

ATTACHMENTS:

- 1. November 7, 2012 Public Safety Commission Agenda Report, Item No. 4.A.
- 2. Minutes excerpt from the November 7, 2012 Public Safety Commission Regular meeting
- 3. Correspondence from Doug Randall, Malibu Custom Carts, submitted at the October 7, 2015 Public Safety Commission Regular meeting





Public Safety Commission Agenda Réport

To:

Chair Frost and Members of the Public Safety Commission

Prepared by:

Lieutenant Jim Royal, Sheriff's Liaison

Deputy Mark Winn

Approved by:

Jim Thorsen, City Manager

Date prepared:

October 25, 2012

Meeting date: November 7, 2012

Subject:

Golf Carts and Low-Speed Vehicles

<u>RECOMMENDED ACTION:</u> Receive an update from the Sheriff's Department regarding laws related to the operation of golf carts and other low-speed vehicles on the public right of way and make a recommendation to the City Council regarding enforcement, if appropriate.

<u>DISCUSSION:</u> In recent meetings, members of the Commission have reported an increase in the number of golf carts being driven on City streets. In some instances, the drivers of the vehicles were underage and unlicensed and in some cases, collisions with other vehicles or objects have occurred. In at least one incident, injuries were incurred. The Commission requested an update on current vehicle code(s) applicable to the operation of golf carts and similar low-speed vehicles and how those laws were enforced within Malibu.

California Vehicle Code Section 345 describes a golf cart as "a motor vehicle ... less than 1,300 pounds, which is designed to be and is operated at not more than 15 miles per hour ... and not more than two persons, including the driver." Vehicle Code Sections 21115 and 21115.1 outline the regulations for these vehicles, originally intended for use primarily on or around a golf course. The regulations note that the vehicles may be driven only on non-state highway streets with posted speed limits under 45 miles per hour, unless a crossing area has been designated along with the addition of appropriate signs, markers and lighting.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) had to address its standards in the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) related to golf carts and similar sized vehicles due to conflicts with state and local laws regarding compliance for vehicles that traveled less than 20 miles per hour (Attachment 2). On June 17, 1998, the MHTSA reclassified small passenger-carrying vehicles with top speeds of 20 to 25 miles per hour as "low speed vehicles" under 49 CFR 571.500, requiring many of the same safety standards as larger, higher speed vehicles, including, but not limited to, headlamps, taillamps and brake lamps, turn signals, mirrors, seatbelts and vehicle identification numbers.

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Agenda Item 4.A.

In recent years, the number of low-speed vehicles in Malibu and other small cities has increased as they provide simple, low cost transportation within the residential community. However, many owners are unaware of the vehicle codes that apply to their ownership and on-road operation.

In Malibu, the Sheriff's Department enforces all codes applicable to these vehicles. A traffic deputy will provide the Commission with a more detailed overview of the differences between the various types of vehicles and how each traffic code, both Federal and State, are enforced for the operation of those vehicles.

ATTACHMENTS:

- California Vehicle Code Sections 345 and 385.5; 21115 21115.1; 21250-21266; and 21716
- 2. 49 CFR 571.500 Low-Speed Vehicles
- 3. California Department of Motor Vehicles' "Neighborhood Electric Vehicle, Low-Speed Vehicle and Golf Cart Information"

345. A "golf cart" is a motor **vehicle** having not less than three wheels in contact with the ground, having an unladen weight less than 1,300 pounds, which is designed to be and is operated at not more than 15 miles per hour and designed to carry golf equipment and not more than two persons, including the driver.

- 385.5. (a) A "low-speed vehicle" is a motor vehicle that meets all of the following requirements:
 - (1) Has four wheels.
 - (2) Can attain a speed, in one mile, of more than 20 miles per hour and not more than 25 miles per hour, on a paved level surface.
 - (3) Has a gross vehicle weight rating of less than 3,000 pounds.
 - (b) (1) For the purposes of this section, a "low-speed **vehicle"** is not a golf cart, except when operated pursuant to Section 21115 or 21115.1.
 - (2) A "low-speed **vehicle"** is also known as a "neighborhood electric **vehicle.**"

21115. (a) If a local authority finds that a highway under its jurisdiction is located adjacent to, or provides access to, a golf course and between the golf course and the place where golf carts are parked or stored or is within or bounded by a real estate development offering golf facilities and is designed and constructed, so as to safely permit the use of regular vehicular traffic and also the driving of golf carts on the highway, the local authority may, by resolution or ordinance, designate the highway or portion of the highway for combined use and prescribe rules and regulations that shall have the force of law. No highway shall be so designated for a distance of more than one mile from the golf course if the highway is not located within a development or beyond the area of a development, provided, the finding of the local authority in this respect shall be conclusive. Upon the designation becoming effective it shall be lawful to drive golf carts upon the highway in accordance with the prescribed rules and regulations. The rules and regulations may establish crossing zones and speed limits and other operating standards but shall not require that the golf carts conform to any requirements of this code with respect to registration, licensing, or equipment, except that if operated during darkness the golf cart shall be subject to the provisions of Section 24001.5 regarding equipment.

The rules and regulations shall not be effective until appropriate signs giving notice thereof are posted along the highway affected.

A "real estate development offering golf facilities," for purposes of this section, means an area of single-family or multiple-family residences, the owners or occupants of which are eligible for membership in, or the use of, one or more golf courses within the development by virtue of their ownership or occupancy of a residential dwelling unit in the development.

(b) For purposes of this section, a "golf cart" includes a low-speed vehicle.

- 21115.1. (a) Notwithstanding Section 21115, a local authority may, by ordinance or resolution, establish crossing zones, for use by golf carts at any time other than during darkness, on any street, other than a state highway, that has a posted speed limit of 45 miles per hour or less and that is immediately adjacent to a golf course. The crossing zones shall be at an angle of approximately 90 degrees to the direction of the roadway. The ordinance or resolution shall not become effective until submitted to the law enforcement agency having primary jurisdiction over the street, the law enforcement agency finds and determines that the conditions pertaining to that street, with the addition of proper signs, markers, or lighting, or any combination of those, will permit the establishment of a golf cart crossing with reasonable safety, and the signs, markers, or lighting specified by the law enforcement agency are in place.
- (b) Subdivision (a) does not constitute precedent for the operation of golf carts on any street or highway other than in a crossing zone established pursuant to subdivision (a).
- (c) For purposes of this section, a "golf cart" includes a low-speed vehicle.

21716. Except as provided in Section 21115.1 and Chapter 6 (commencing with Section 1950) of Division 2.5 of the Streets and Highways Code, no person shall operate a golf cart on any highway except in a speed zone of 25 miles per hour or less.

CALIFORNIA CODES VEHICLE CODE SECTION 21250-21266

21250. For the purposes of this article, a low-speed **vehicle** means a **vehicle** as defined in Section **385.5**. A "low-speed **vehicle**" is also known as a "neighborhood electric **vehicle**."

21251. Except as provided in Chapter 6.2 (commencing with Section 1962), Chapter 7 (commencing with Section 1963), Chapter 7.1 (commencing with Section 1964), Chapter 8 (commencing with Section 1965), and Chapter 8.1 (commencing with Section 1966) of Division 2.5 of the Streets and Highways Code, and Sections 4023, 21115, and 21115.1, a low-speed vehicle is subject to all the provisions applicable to a motor vehicle, and the driver of a low-speed vehicle is subject to all the provisions applicable to the driver of a motor vehicle or other vehicle, when applicable, by this code or another code, with the exception of those provisions that, by their very nature, can have no application.

21252. A **vehicle** dealer, selling a low-speed **vehicle**, shall provide to the buyer a disclosure statement regarding the operation of the **vehicle** that is in compliance with existing provisions of the California **Code** of Regulations.

21253. A low-speed **vehicle** operated or parked on the roadway shall at all times meet federal Motor **Vehicle** Safety Standards established for low-speed vehicles in Section 571.500 of Title 49 of the **Code** of Federal Regulations.

21254. A motor **vehicle** that was originally designated as a low-speed **vehicle** and that has been modified or altered to exceed 25 miles per hour shall not qualify for the relaxed federal Motor **Vehicle** Safety Standards established for low-speed vehicles and instead shall meet all federal Motor **Vehicle** Safety Standards for a passenger **vehicle**.

21260. (a) Except as provided in paragraph (1) of subdivision (b), or in an area where a neighborhood electric **vehicle** transportation plan has been adopted pursuant to Chapter 6.2 (commencing with Section 1962), Chapter 7 (commencing with Section 1963), Chapter 7.1 (commencing with Section 1964), Chapter 8 (commencing with Section 1965), or Chapter 8.1 (commencing with Section 1966) of Division 2.5 of the Streets and Highways **Code**, the operator of a low-speed **vehicle** shall not operate the **vehicle** on any roadway with a speed limit in excess of 35 miles per hour.

(b) (1) The operator of a low-speed **vehicle** may cross a roadway with a speed limit in excess of 35 miles per hour if the crossing begins and ends on a roadway with a speed limit of 35 miles per hour

- or less and occurs at an intersection of approximately 90 degrees.
- (2) Notwithstanding paragraph (1), the operator of a low-speed **vehicle** shall not traverse an uncontrolled intersection with any state highway unless that intersection has been approved and authorized by the agency having primary traffic enforcement responsibilities for that crossing by a low-speed **vehicle**.
- 21266. (a) Notwithstanding Section 21260, local authorities, by ordinance or resolution, may restrict or prohibit the use of low-speed vehicles.
- (b) Notwithstanding Section 21260, a local law enforcement agency with primary traffic enforcement responsibilities or the Department of the California Highway Patrol may prohibit the operation of a low-speed **vehicle** on any roadway under that agency's or department's jurisdiction when the agency or the department deems the prohibition to be in the best interest of public safety. Any such prohibition shall become effective when appropriate signs giving notice thereof are erected upon the roadway.

63 FR 33913, June 17, 1998

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

49 CFR Part 571

[Docket No. NHTSA 98-3949]

RIN 2127-AG58

Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards

AGENCY: National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), DOT.

ACTION: Final rule

SUMMARY: This final rule responds to a growing public interest in using golf cars⁽¹⁾ and other similar-sized, 4-wheeled vehicles to make short trips for shopping, social and recreational purposes primarily within retirement or other planned communities with golf courses. These passenger-carrying vehicles, although low-speed, offer a variety of advantages, including comparatively low-cost and energy-efficient mobility. Further, many of these vehicles are electric-powered. The use of these vehicles, instead of larger, gasoline-powered vehicles like passenger cars, provides quieter transportation that does not pollute the air of the communities in which they are operated.

Currently, there is a growing conflict between state and local laws, on the one hand, and Federal law, on the other, in the treatment of these small vehicles. That conflict unnecessarily restricts the ability of vehicle manufacturers to produce and sell, and the ability of consumers to purchase, these vehicles. In recent years, a growing number of states from California to Florida have passed legislation authorizing their local jurisdictions to permit general on-road use of "golf carts," subject to speed and/or operational limitations. A majority of those states condition such broad use upon the vehicles' having specified safety equipment. Further, some of these states have opened the way for the use of vehicles that are faster than almost all golf cars. Most conventional golf cars, as originally manufactured, have a top speed of less than 15 miles per hour. These states have either redefined "golf carts" to include vehicles designed to achieve up to 25 miles per hour or have established a new class of vehicles, "neighborhood electric vehicles," also defined as capable of achieving 25 miles per hour.

Under current NHTSA interpretations and regulations, so long as golf cars and other similar vehicles are incapable of exceeding 20 miles per hour, they are subject to only state and local requirements regarding safety equipment. However, if these vehicles are originally manufactured so that they can go faster than 20 miles per hour, they are treated as motor vehicles under Federal law. Similarly, if golf cars are modified after original manufacture so that they can achieve 20 or more miles per hour, they too are treated as motor vehicles. Further, as motor vehicles, they are currently classified as passenger cars and must comply with the Federal motor vehicle safety standards for that vehicle type. This creates a conflict with the state and local laws because compliance

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with the full range of those standards is not feasible for these small vehicles.

To resolve this conflict, and to permit the manufacture and sale of small, 4-wheeled motor vehicles with top speeds of 20 to 25 miles per hour, this final rule reclassifies these small passenger-carrying vehicles. Instead of being classified as passenger cars, they are now being classified as "low-speed vehicles." Since conventional golf cars, as presently manufactured, have a top speed of less than 20 miles per hour, they are not included in that classification.

As low-speed vehicles, these 20 to 25 mile-per-hour vehicles are subject to a new Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard No. 500 (49 CFR 571.500) established by this final rule. The agency notes that the growing on-road use of golf cars has already resulted in some deaths and serious injuries, and believes that the new standard is needed to address the effects in crashes of the higher speed of low-speed vehicles. The standard requires low-speed vehicles to be equipped with headlamps, stop lamps, turn signal lamps, taillamps, reflex reflectors, parking brakes, rearview mirrors, windshields, seat belts, and vehicle identification numbers. The agency believes that these requirements appropriately address the safety of low-speed vehicle occupants and other roadway users, given the sub-25 mph speed capability of these vehicles and the controlled environments in which they operate.

This rulemaking proceeding was initiated in response to a request by Bombardier, Inc., that the agency make regulatory changes to permit the introduction of a new class of 4-wheeled, passenger-carrying vehicle that is small, relatively slow-moving, and low-cost.

DATES: The final rule is effective upon its publication in the Federal Register. Petitions for reconsideration must be filed not later than [45 days after publication of the final rule].

Incorporation by reference of the materials listed in this document is approved by the Director of the Federal Register and is effective upon publication in the Federal Register.

ADDRESSES: Petitions for reconsideration should refer to the Docket number and be submitted to Docket Management, PL-401, 400 7th Street, SW, Washington, DC 20590.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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For legal issues: Taylor Vinson, Office of Chief Counsel, NHTSA, Room 5219, 400 7th Street, SW, Washington, DC 20590 (telephone 202-366-5263; fax 202-366-3820).

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S4.1.5 Platform lighting on public use lifts. Public use lifts must have a light or a set of lights that provide at least 54 lm/m² (5 lm/sqft) of luminance on all portions of the surface of the platform, throughout the range of passenger operation. The luminance on all portions of the surface of the passenger-unloading ramp at ground level must be at least 11 lm/m² (1 lm/sqft).

S4.2 Vehicle owner's manual insert requirements. If the vehicle is equipped with an owner's manual, the owner's manual must contain the inserts provided by the lift manufacturer pursuant to S6.12 of 49 CFR 571.403.

S4.3 Control panel switches.

S4.3.1 Instructions regarding the platform lift operating procedures, including backup operations, as specified by S6.7.8 of 49 CFR 571.403, must be permanently affixed to a location adjacent to the controls.

S4.3.2 Public use lift: In addition to meeting the requirements of S4.3.1, for vehicles equipped with public use lifts, as defined in 49 CFR 571.403, any and all controls provided for the lift by the platform lift manufacturer other than those provided for back-up operation of the platform lift specified in S5.9 of 49 CFR 571.403, must be located together and in a position such that the control operator has a direct, unobstructed view of the platform lift passenger and/ or their mobility aid throughout the lift's range of passenger operation. Additional power controls and controls for back-up operation of the lift may be located in other positions.

[67 FR 79451, Dec. 27, 2002, as amended at 69 FR 58855, Oct. 1, 2004; 69 FR 76870, Dec. 23, 2004]

§ 571.500 Standard No. 500; Low-speed vehicles.

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S3. Applicability. This standard applies to low-speed vehicles.

S4. [Reserved.]

S5. Requirements.

(a) When tested in accordance with test conditions in S6 and test procedures in S7, the maximum speed attainable in 1.6 km (1 mile) by each low-speed vehicle shall not more than 40 kilometers per hour (25 miles per hour).

(b) Each low-speed vehicle shall be equipped with:

(1) Headlamps,(2) Front and rear turn signal lamps,

(3) Taillamps,

(4) Stop lamps,(5) Reflex reflectors: one red on each side as far to the rear as practicable,

and one red on the rear,

(6) An exterior mirror mounted on the driver's side of the vehicle and either an exterior mirror mounted on the passenger's side of the vehicle or an interior mirror.

(7) A parking brake,

(8) A windshield that conforms to the Federal motor vehicle safety standard on glazing materials (49 CFR 571.205).

(9) A VIN that conforms to the requirements of part 565 Vehicle Identification Number of this chapter, and

(10) A Type 1 or Type 2 seat belt assembly conforming to Sec. 571.209 of this part, Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard No. 209, Seat belt assemblies, installed at each designated seating position.

S6. General test conditions. Each vehicle must meet the performance limit specified in S5(a) under the following test conditions.

S6.1. Ambient conditions.

S6.1.1. Ambient temperature. The ambient temperature is any temperature between 0 °C (32 °F) and 40 °C (104 °F).

S6.1.2. Wind speed. The wind speed is not greater than 5 m/s (11.2 mph).

S6.2. Road test surface.

S6.2.1. Pavement friction. Unless otherwise specified, the road test surface produces a peak friction coefficient (PFC) of 0.9 when measured using a standard reference test tire that meets the specifications of American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) E1136, "Standard Specification for ARadial Standard Reference Test Tire," in accordance with ASTM Method E 1337-90, "Standard Test Method for Determining Longitudinal Peak Braking Coefficient of Paved Surfaces Using a Standard Reference Test Tire," at a

speed of 64.4 km/h (40.0 mph), without water delivery (incorporated by reference; see 49 CFR 571.5).

S6.2.2. Gradient. The test surface has not more than a 1 percent gradient in the direction of testing and not more than a 2 percent gradient perpendicular to the direction of testing. S6.2.3. Lane width. The lane width is

not less than 3.5 m (11.5 ft).

S6.3. Vehicle conditions.

S6.3.1. The test weight for maximum speed is unloaded vehicle weight plus a mass of 78 kg (170 pounds), including

driver and instrumentation. S6.3.2. No adjustment, repair or replacement of any component is allowed after the start of the first performance test.

S6.3.3. Tire inflation pressure. Cold inflation pressure is not more than the maximum permissible pressure molded

on the tire sidewall.

S6.3.4: Break-in. The vehicle completes the manufacturer's ommended break-in agenda as a minimum condition prior to beginning the performance tests.

S6.3.5. Vehicle openings. All vehicle openings (doors, windows, hood, trunk, convertible top, cargo doors, etc.) are closed except as required for instrumentation purposes.

S6.3.6. Battery powered vehicles. Prior to beginning the performance tests, propulsion batteries are at the state of charge recommended by the manufacturer or, if the manufacturer has made no recommendation, at a state of charge of not less than 95 percent. No further charging of any propulsion battery is permissible.

S7. Test procedure. Each vehicle must meet the performance limit specified in S5(a) under the following test procedure. The maximum speed performance is determined by measuring the maximum attainable vehicle speed at any point in a distance of 1.6 km (1.0 mile) from a standing start and repeated in the opposite direction within 30 minutes.

[63 FR 33216, June 17, 1998, as amended at 68 FR 43972, July 25, 2003]



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A NEV/LSV is a motor vehicle that:

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THE FOLLOWING IS AN EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE MALIBU PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION MEETING OF NOVEMBER 7, 2012:

ITEM 4 NEW BUSINESS

A. Golf Carts and Low-Speed Vehicles

Recommended action: Receive an update from the Sheriff's Department regarding laws related to the operation of golf carts and other low-speed vehicles on the public right of way and make a recommendation to the City Council regarding enforcement, if appropriate.

Lt. Royal introduced Deputy Mark Winn.

Deputy Winn presented the report. He stated Malibu's problems were more often about low-speed vehicles and neighborhood electric vehicles, rather than golf carts. He stated these vehicles were modified golf carts that could legally travel on local roadways with speed limits of 35 miles per hour or less. He stated drivers must be licensed and the vehicles must be registered and have all required safety equipment. He stated the vehicles could cross a state highway only at a marked, controlled crossing and on a street with a speed limit of 35 miles per hour or less. He explained that vehicles often illegally crossed PCH at the intersections of Busch and Bonsall, which did not have approved crossings. He stated other major problems were underage, unlicensed drivers operating the vehicles and non-compliance with child restraint requirements.

Commissioner Matlow stated the community needed to be educated regarding the vehicle codes that applied to these vehicles. She suggested the Sheriff's Department start by attending a PTA meeting to educate the parents and then go to the high school to speak to students.

Commissioner May stated this would be an excellent topic for a Sheriff's Department news article. Commissioner Randall suggested also contacting homeowners associations to get the information to residents.

Deputy Winn stated the Sheriff's Department previously distributed flyers about these types of vehicles, but was requested to pull back because the City considered the vehicles a way for the community to be more "green." He stated the problems had diminished in the past, but increased in recent years as the vehicles have become more popular and more readily available.

Chair Frost stated he had observed an increase in the number of these vehicles in Point Dume without license plates or being driven by individuals who appeared to be underage.

Deputy Winn explained that minor traffic violations in Serra Retreat and Malibu West were not enforced by the Sheriff's Department because they were private roads.

In response to Commissioner May, Lt. Royal stated a public awareness campaign or news item would come from the Sheriff's Department through the City. Lt. Royal suggested an education campaign should precede stronger enforcement.

Commissioner May requested any educational campaign also address other areas of safety concern, such as unsafe behavior near La Costa and Rambla.

Deputy Winn stated another area of concern for illegal operation of the vehicles was along the shoulder of PCH between Point Dume and Paradise Cove.

Lt. Royal stated there was a small percentage of people who would not follow the rules, no matter how much effort was put into public education.

Deputy Winn stated the Sheriff's Department has gone after parents for negligence when underage youth were involved in accidents while illegally operating these vehicles. Lt. Royal added that the Sheriff's Department acknowledged that many residents were unaware of the laws applicable to these types of vehicles.

Lt. Royal stated he would have Deputy Winn put together a proposal about educating the public about the legal operation of golf carts, low-speed vehicles and neighborhood electric vehicles. He stated it would be presented to the City Manager's for review and approval.

In response to Commissioner Randall, Commissioner May suggested adding illegal u-turns to the campaign. Commissioner Randall stated she would prefer it not be piggy-backed on the golf cart issue. Lt. Royal agreed mixing the topics might confuse the public.

Lt. Royal explained how the Sheriff's Department could prepare articles or safety campaign materials.

Commissioner May thanked Lt. Royal, Deputy Winn and the Sheriff's Department for their contributions to the community.

These minutes were approved by the Public Safety Commission on December 5, 2012.

Mary Linden, Recording Secretary

Malibu Custom Carts 29500 Heathercliff Rd, #1 Malibu, CA 90265 October 6, 2015 CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE CITY OF MALIBU

Malibu Public Safety Commission

Re: Golf Cart Ordinance

Further to the introduction of this subject at last month's meeting, and the understanding that golf carts provide a green, efficient form of transportation enhancing the Malibu lifestyle, we have drafted a proposal for your review, the attached comprises three documents:

- 1. Registration Form for Electric Golf Cart Permit
- 2. Release and Waiver of Liability for City of Malibu
- Municipal Code addition, to be approved

These documents are based on those produced by the multiple Cities throughout California and have been modified to address the unique needs of Malibu.

Please note that our interest in supporting a Golf Cart Ordinance is in no way intended to illicit business for Malibu Custom Carts, the golf cart safety equipment and modifications required to fulfil the specifications for the permit can be carried out by any golf cart service center, or by technically competent Golf Cart owners.

Our aim is to promote the safe use of Golf Carts within our community.

Sincerely,

FILED City of Malibu **Public Safety Commission**

Meeting Date.

Agenda Item #. Date Received

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City of Malibu 23825 Stuart Ranch Road, Malibu, CA 90265. 310-456-2489

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THE CITY OF MALIBU

GOLF CART TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM

RELEASE AND WAIVER OF CITY LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF DANGEROUS RISKS BY GOLF CART OPERATOR

Name of Golf Cart Operator:	
Address of Operator:	

<u>WARNING</u>: DRIVING AND RIDING IN A GOLF CART ON CITY STREETS CAN BE DANGEROUS!

GOLF CART OPERATORS must be 18 years of age or older and have a valid drivers license

RECITALS

- A. A significant percentage of the City's residents own golf carts.

 To ensure the safety of all Malibu road users, the City Council enacted Chapter 10.28 of the Malibu Municipal Code, the "Golf Cart Transportation Program", authorizing and regulating the limited use of golf carts on City streets by all City residents.
- B. As compared to automobiles, golf carts are lightweight and lack the structural protection and safety features that an automobile affords its occupants. Thus, in a collision with a motor vehicle, a golf cart will be severely damaged and even destroyed, and its occupants may be severely injured or killed.
- C. Traffic accidents occur for many reasons; these are a few of the reasons: driver inexperience, failure to use vehicle safety devices, improper and reckless driving by others, defects in the roadbed and defective roadway design, dangerous conditions in and adjacent to the road, negligent and inattentive drivers, and poor judgment.

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- D. The undersigned owns at least one automobile and a golf cart. Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 10.28, the undersigned has applied for a permit to drive his/her golf cart in City-designated golf cart travelways, several of which share a public street with automobiles.
- E. Because of the risk of serious injury, death and property damage resulting from the use of City streets by golf carts, the City of Malibu requires that all participants in the Golf Cart Transportation Program acknowledge all the risks, and assume all the risks, by signing this Release and Waiver of Liability.

AS CONSIDERATION FOR BEING ALLOWED BY THE CITY OF MALIBU TO PARTICIPATE IN THE GOLF CART TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM AND TO INDUCE THE CITY TO ISSUE A PERMIT TO ME TO OPERATE MY GOLF CART ON CITY STREETS IN CERTAIN SPECIFIED GOLF CART TRAVELWAYS THEREON, I, THE UNDERSIGNED, AGREE:

1. Release and Waiver. I HEREBY RELEASE AND DISCHARGE THE CITY OF MALIBU, AND ITS OFFICIALS, OFFICERS, EMPLOYEES, VOLUNTEERS, CONTRACTORS, REPRESENTATIVES AND AGENTS (HEREAFTER COLLECTIVELY, "THE CITY") FROM, AND I HEREBY WAIVE, ANY AND ALL CLAIMS AND POTENTIAL CLAIMS, ACTIONS OR DEMANDS THAT I, OR ANYONE ON MY BEHALF OR DUE TO MY INJURY OR DEATH, NOW HAVE OR MAY HAVE IN THE FUTURE AGAINST THE CITY, FOR DAMAGES, FOR DEATH, PERSONAL INJURY OR PROPERTY DAMAGE RELATED TO OR ARISING OUT OF MY PARTICIPATION IN THE GOLF CART TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM, INCLUDING DRIVING, RIDING IN, OR OCCUPYING A GOLF CART ON PUBLIC STREETS WITHIN THE CITY OF MALIBU.

This release, waiver and discharge is intended by me to (1) release and discharge, in advance, the CITY from and against any and all liability arising out of or in any way connected with my participation in the Golf Cart Transportation Program and/or the use of my golf cart on City streets, even though that liability may arise out of negligence or carelessness on the part of the CITY, and (2) to waive all such claims I may have against them.

2. <u>SERIOUS ACCIDENTS CAN AND DO HAPPEN</u>. I HEREBY

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OCCASIONALLY OCCUR ON CITY STREETS, AND THAT MY PARTICIPATION IN THE GOLF CART TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM, AND USING MY GOLF CART ON CITY STREETS, COULD RESULT IN PROPERTY DAMAGE, SERIOUS PERSONAL INJURY AND EVEN DEATH. BECAUSE I WISH TO USE MY GOLF CART IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE GOLF CART TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM GUIDELINES, I ACKNOWLEDGE, ACCEPT AND ASSUME ALL RISKS AND AGREE TO RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS THE CITY WHICH, WHETHER THROUGH NEGLIGENCE OR CARELESSNESS OR OTHERWISE, MIGHT BE LIABLE TO ME.

- 3. My Promise Not to Sue or Make Claims. I hereby promise and agree not to sue or make any demand or claim against the CITY for any loss, damage, injury or death related to or arising out of my participation in the Golf Cart Transportation Program, including driving or riding in a golf cart on the City's streets.
- 4. I Promise to Indemnify the City. I promise and agree to indemnify,

 defend and hold the City harmless from and against any and all claims, losses, liabilities,
 causes of action, obligations, judgments or damages, including reasonable attorneys' fees
 and all costs of litigation related to or arising out of my performance of my obligations
 under this Agreement or the operation of my golf cart on City streets, including the City's
 active or passive negligence, except for such loss or damage arising from the gross
 negligence or willful misconduct of the CITY. In the event the CITY is made a party to
 any action, lawsuit, or other adversarial proceeding arising out of my participation in the
 Golf Cart Transportation Program or from my performance of this Agreement, I shall

provide a defense to the CITY or, at the CITY's option, reimburse the CITY its costs of defense, including all costs and reasonable attorneys' fees, incurred in defense of the action, lawsuit or other adversarial proceeding.

- 5. <u>Legal Fees and Court Costs</u>. In the event there is a lawsuit arising out of this Agreement between the CITY and me, the prevailing party in that lawsuit shall be entitled to recover all of his, her or its attorneys' fees incurred.
- **6. Physical Fitness.** I am physically fit and I know of no medical or health reason why the CITY should not issue me a permit to drive my golf cart on City streets.
- 7. Compliance with City Ordinance. I HAVE READ CHAPTER 10.28
 OF THE MALIBU MUNICIPAL CODE, THE CITY'S ORDINANCE
 GOVERNING THE USE OF GOLF CARTS ON CITY STREETS, AND I AGREE
 TO ABIDE BY ITS PROVISIONS AND TO COMPLY WITH THE MINIMUM
 SAFETY EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS AND THE GOLF CART OPERATOR
 SAFETY CRITERIA AT ALL TIMES WHILE OPERATING ON CITY STREETS.
- 8. <u>I Understand This Document</u>. I have carefully read this document and I fully understand the contents of each paragraph. I have been advised to seek the analysis and opinions of independent attorney(s) concerning this Agreement and have either done so or declined to do so. Any questions that I had were answered to my satisfaction. I am willingly signing this Agreement, and I have not been pressured to sign it nor am I under any duress to do so.
- 9. Scope of My Release of the City. I intend that this Release and Waiver of City Liability and the Assumption of Risk provided for herein be construed as broadly and inclusively as permitted by the laws of the State of California, and I agree that if any portion of this document is held invalid, the remainder of this Release and Waiver will continue in full force and effect.
- 10. Binding on Heirs, Executors and Assigns. Because I fully understand the risks of participating in the Golf Cart Transportation Program, including driving and riding in a golf cart on City streets, I not only agree to assume those risks for myself and agree to

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otherwise be liable to me, but I also do so on behalf of my heirs, executors, successors and assigns. Thus, I understand and agree that my waiver, release and assumption of risk, and my promise not to sue and to indemnify is, and shall be, BINDING UPON MY HEIRS, executors, successors and assigns.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE AND FULLY

UNDERSTAND THAT BY SIGNING THIS RELEASE, I AND

ANY MINOR CHILDREN THAT I HAVE ARE GIVING UP

LEGAL RIGHTS AND REMEDIES THAT MAY BE

AVAILABLE TO ME AND MY CHILDREN, AND I AM

DOING SO VOLUNTARILY.

Date Signed:	Signature of Operator		
	Print Name		
	California Driver's License No.		
Golf Cart Permit No.			

WARNING: GOLF CART OPERATORS must be 18 years of age or older and have a valid drivers license

Opera	tor's	Initials:	
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Chapter 10.28 Golf Cart Transportation

Sections:

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10.28.010 Purpose and Intent

The City Council has been informed and advised that alternate forms of clean, non-polluting transportation, such as golf carts, are essential to maintain good air quality and the overall environmental quality of the City, further, they can reduce congestion in areas such as beach access, offer convenience and promote the Malibu Lifestyle.

The purpose of this Golf Cart Transportation Plan is to encourage the safe use of such transportation, and to establish rules and regulations for the operation of golf carts in the City.

10.28.020 Definitions

The following words and phrases when used in this Chapter shall have the definitions respectively ascribed to them in this Section. Whenever any words or phrases used in this Chapter are not defined but are defined in the California Vehicle Code and amendments thereto, such definitions shall apply.

A, "City" means the City of Malibu.

B. "Golf Cart" means an electric powered motor vehicle having not less than three wheels in contact with the ground and which is designed to be and is operated at not more than twenty miles per hour.

C. "Golf Cart Routes" mean certain specified residential streets that are posted with speed limits of twenty-five (25) miles per hour or less and are shared with pedestrians, bicyclists and other motorists.

Golf Cart Routes shall, from time-to-time, be designated by resolution of the City Council.

(CVC Secs. 345 and 515)

10.28.030 Design Criteria for Golf Cart Routes

Golf Cart Routes shall be local streets having a maximum posted speed limit of 25 miles per hour.

Golf Cart Routes shall be shared with pedestrians, bicycles, and motorists.

Golf Carts shall be permitted to cross over a non designated Golf Cart Route if the designated Golf Cart Route is a continuation either side of the non designated route.

10.28.040 Parking of Golf Carts

Golf Carts shall only be parked in legal parking places for road vehicles.

Golf Carts parked illegally shall be subject to the same penalties persuant to Malibu Municipal Code Section 10.12

10.28. 050 Minimum Design Criteria for Golf Carts

The following minimum design criteria shall be required to be met for golf carts proposed to be operated on Golf Cart Routes.

A. Golf carts shall be electrically powered.

- B. Golf carts shall be of a shape and size that conforms to industry standards for manufactured golf carts.
- C. Golf carts shall present an unobstructed view to the rear from the driver's seat.
- D. Golf carts shall have a covered operator and passenger compartment

10.28.060 Minimum Safety Equipment Requirements for Golf Carts.

Golf carts shall have the following minimum safety equipment:

- A. Brake lights, conforming to CVC 24603;
- B. Front and rear turn signal indicator lights, conforming to CVC 24952 and 24953;
- C. Either left side and right side mirrors, left side and rear view mirrors, or a multidirectional cross bar rear mirror, conforming to CVC 26709;
- D. Head lamps, conforming to CVC 24400 and 24410, except the minimum mounting height shall be 16 inches;
- E. Tail lights, conforming to CVC 24600;
- F. Reflectors, conforming to CVC Section 24607;
- G. Parking brake, conforming to CVC 26450;
- H. Horn conforming to CVC 27000;
- I. Windshield, conforming to CVC 26700;
- J. Seat belts, for all passenger and driver seats, conforming to CVC 27315;
- K. A backup/reverse buzzer.
- L. Safety indicators, red and orange reflectors on both sides, safety flag minimum height 5', slow moving vehicle triangle

10.28.070 Golf Cart Operator Safety Criteria

The following safety criteria for operators are the minimum criteria set and adopted by the City Council:

- A. Golf cart operators shall be at least 18 years old and have a valid driver's license.
- B. Golf cart operators shall comply with the financial responsibility requirements established

by the Calif. Vehicle Code, Section 16000 et seq.

- C. Golf cart operators shall maintain golf carts in a safe condition, ensure that it is safely loaded, and shall ensure that an unobstructed view to the rear is maintained at all times while in operation on Golf Cart Routes.
- D. Each Golf cart operator and passenger shall wear a seatbelt at all times.
- F. Golf Cart operators shall comply with all of the rules of the road that pertain to automobiles, and shall not operate a cart under the influence of intoxicants.
- G. Golf carts shall bear a valid City Golf Cart Permit while in operation on Golf Cart Routes.

Possession of a valid City Golf Cart Permit does not authorize travel on public streets not designated by the City Council as Golf Cart Routes.

10.28.080 Golf Cart Permit

No golf cart shall be operated on Golf Cart Routes without bearing a valid City-issued Golf Cart Permit. Prior to the issuance of a Golf Cart Permit, the following shall be required:

A. An equipment inspection of the golf cart by the City or its authorized agent;

- B. Payment of an annual permit fee in an amount established from time-to-time by Resolution of the City Council to allow the City to recover a portion of the cost of inspection, enforcement and Golf Cart Facility maintenance.
- It shall be the operator's responsibility to ensure that the golf cart permit shall be renewed every July, at which time each golf cart shall be re-inspected; and
- C. A current permit decal showing proof of compliance shall be visibly posted on the front windshield of each permitted golf cart.

10.28.090 Penalty for Violation

In the discretion of the Enforcement Officer, any person violating any provision of this Chapter 10.28 shall be issued an Administrative Citation pursuant to Malibu Municipal Code Sections 1.10.010 et seq., or shall be guilty of an infraction pursuant to Malibu Municipal Code Section 1.16.010. In either case, the amount of the fine shall be in the appropriate amount set forth in Section 1.16.010 of this Code.

Each such violation shall be deemed a separate offense as specified in Malibu Municipal Code Section 1.16.010.

Public Safety Commission Meeting 11-04-15

Item 4.B.



Public Safety Commission Agenda Report

To: Chair Saul and Members of the Public Safety Commission

Prepared by: Arthur Aladjadjian, Public Works Superintendent-

Approved by: Jim Thorsen, City Manager

Date prepared: October 22, 2015 Meeting date: November 4, 2015

Subject: Update on Projects Affecting Traffic on Pacific Coast Highway (PCH)

and City Streets

RECOMMENDED ACTION: 1) Receive and file status updates on projects affecting traffic on PCH and City streets, including: a) Fiscal Year 2015-2016 Street Maintenance Project; b) Pacific Coast Highway (PCH) Parking Master Plan; c) Wave Breaker Construction and Shoreline Restoration Project (Caltrans); and d) Caltrans maintenance work; and 2) Provide questions to be asked during the City's biweekly conference call with Caltrans staff.

<u>DISCUSSION</u>: Below are the latest updates on the status of projects in and around Malibu that affect traffic and public safety on PCH and City streets:

- a) Fiscal Year 2015-2016 Street Maintenance Project –The City Council awarded the construction contract at its October 12, 2015 Regular meeting. Construction work is expected to start in November 2015.
- b) Pacific Coast Highway (PCH) Parking Master Plan (Southern California Association of Governments) – This study will analyze the existing PCH shoulder and develop recommendations to improve safety and mobility. Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) issued the notice to proceed on October 12, 2015.
- c) Wave Breaker Construction and Shoreline Restoration Project (Caltrans) Caltrans will begin constructing a wave breaker (rock slope protection) and restoring the shoreline on the ocean side slopes of Las Tunas Canyon Beach, along eastbound PCH, east of Big Rock Drive, on October 28, 2015, with completion expected in April 2016. The

majority of the work will not require lane closures, as it will be performed behind concrete barriers. When lanes closures are necessary, one lane in each direction will be closed between Pena Road and Big Rock Drive, during the day from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., and, if night work occurs, from 10:00 p.m. to 5:00 a.m. The contractor expects to work seven days a week, but there will be no lane closures on weekends. Additionally, work hours and duration may be affected by the tide and possible El Niño-related storms.

d) Caltrans Maintenance Work (PCH within Malibu) – According to Caltrans, highway maintenance crews performed brush clearance near western Malibu. Caltrans crews also cleaned overgrown vegetation at three catch basins across from Zuma Beach and performed brush clearance at Las Flores Creek.

The Commission may provide staff with a list of questions to be asked during the City's biweekly conference call with Caltrans. Responses to those questions will be reported back to the Commission at its next Regular meeting.

ATTACHMENTS: None.



Public Safety Commission Meeting 11-04-15

Item

4.C.

Public Safety Commission Agenda Report

To:

Chair Saul and Members of the Public Safety Commission

Prepared by:

Mary Linden, Executive Assistant $\downarrow \downarrow \downarrow$

Approved by:

Jim Thorsen, City Manage

Date prepared:

October 26, 2015

Meeting date:

November 4, 2015

Subject:

Public Safety Agency Activity

<u>RECOMMENDED ACTION</u>: Discuss recent Public Safety Agency activities and receive and file monthly activity reports from the County of Los Angeles Sheriff's Department, Fire Department and Lifeguard Division.

<u>DISCUSSION:</u> The City contracts with the County of Los Angeles for public safety services, including Sheriff, Fire and Lifeguard services. The attached reports summarizing those services are submitted to the Commission for review.

ATTACHMENTS:

- 1. County of Los Angeles Sheriff's Department Year to Date Crime Statistic Comparisons for the City of Malibu for the month of September 2015
- 2. Los Angeles County Fire Department Activities for September 2015
- 3. Los Angeles County Fire Department, Lifeguard Northern Section Activity Report for September 2015

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COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES



HALL OF JUSTICE

JIM McDonnell, Sheriff (818) 878-1808

October 9, 2015

Jim Thorsen, City Manager City of Malibu 23825 Stuart Ranch Road Malibu, CA 90265 OCT 1 4 2015

CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE CITY OF MALIBU

Dear Mr. Thorsen:

Listed below are the year-to-date crime statistic comparisons for the City of Malibu for the month of September 2015.

I. CRIME STATISTICS

I. CINIVIL STATISTICS				
CRIME	CURRENT MTH	YTD 2015	YTD 2014	CHANGE
Homicide	0	0	0	0
Rape	1	4	5	-1
Robbery				
Armed	0	2	1	1
Strong-Arm	1	3	2	1
Assault	0	13	13	0
Burglary				
Residential	8	42	27	15
Business	1	16	19	-3
Garage/Out-Building	1	10	14	-4
Vehicle (locked)	4	54	74	-20
Theft				
Grand (\$950 +)	2	44	28	16
Petty	7	53	39	14
Vehicle (unlocked)	2	34	38	-4
Grand Theft Vehicle	4	19	12	7
Arson	0	2	3	-1
Domestic Violence Felony	0	0	0	0
Total Part Crimes	31	296	275	21
Percent Change				+7.6%
Domestic Violence Misdemeanor	2	17	10	7

211 WEST TEMPLE STREET, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90012

II. NOTEWORTHY INCIDENTS

A strong-arm robbery was reported in the 28800 block of Grayfox Street. The suspects, residents of Culver City and West Hills, were following the victims in their vehicle very closely and the driver appeared to be intoxicated. The victims parked their vehicle near the area to go to the beach and saw that the suspect vehicle had crashed over a railroad tie and into some bushes. The victims approached the suspects and an argument ensued. One of the victim's began to film the argument with a cell phone and one of the suspect's pulled it from her hand. (15-05495)

A resident of Venice was arrested for mail theft and vandalism in the 31200 block of Broad Beach Road. The suspect admitted to stealing mail from the area and vandalizing several mailboxes and smashing vehicle windows with a metal pipe. (15-05385)

A Los Angeles resident was arrested for possession of a stolen vehicle in the 30700 block of Pacific Coast Highway. The vehicle was stolen from the jurisdiction of the Los Angeles Police Department's Hollywood Division. (15-05505)

A resident of Costa Mesa was arrested for theft and identity theft in the 29100 block of Heathercliff Road. The subject stole two seat cushions from the shopping center chairs. An insurance card belonging to a Malibu resident was found on his person. He stated he was going to try to get some medical care using the card. (15-05432)

III. TRAFFIC

See attached.

IV. CRIME PREVENTION

See attached.

V. AGENDIZED CAR

See attached.

VI. JUVENILE INTERVENTION TEAM

See attached.

VII. ARREST STATISTICS

The numbers of arrests listed below are the most current available.

	YEAR TO DATE				HTMOM TI	
	2015			SEPT	EMBER	
	ADULT	JUVENILE		ADULT	JUVENILE	
Criminal Homicide	0	0		0	0	
Forcible Rape	0	0	2000000 E	0	0	
Robbery	1	0		1	0	
Aggravated Assault	8	0		0	0	
Burglary	5	0		0	0	
Larceny Theft	13	3		1	0	
Grand Theft Auto	1	0		0	0	
Arson	1	0		0	0	
Forgery	3	0		0	0	
Fraud and NSF checks	4	0		0	0	
Sex Offenses, Felonies	1	0		1	0	
Sex Offenses, Misdemeanors	0	0		0	0	
Non-Aggravated Assaults	13	0		1	0	
Weapon Laws	3	0	erme er	0	0	
Offenses Against Family	2	0		0	0	
Narcotics	35	0		2	0	
Liquor Laws	1	0		0	0	
Drunk/Alcohol/Drugs	57	. 1		4	0	
Disorderly Conduct	1	0		0	0	
Vagrancy	0	0		0	0	
Gambling	0	0		0	0	
Drunk Driving Vehicle/Boat	84	0		7	0	
Vehicle/Boating Laws	197	1		17	0	
Vandalism	5	0		2	0	
Warrants	264	1		28	0	
Receiving Stolen Property	2	1	Mosca	0	0	
Federal Offenses W/O Money	0	0		0	0	
Federal Offenses With Money	0	0	jekanir	0	0	
Felonies, Miscellaneous	5	0		2	0	
Misdemeanors, Miscellaneous	85	0		8	0	
ARREST TOTALS	791	7		74	0	

Sincerely,

JIM McDONNELL, SHERIFF

Patrick S. Davoren, Captain Malibu/Lost Hills Station



Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department Malibu / Lost Hills Station

Consolidated Contract City Traffic Report City of Malibu

September 2015

COLLISION SUMMARY	This Month	Month Year Prior	Total YTD	Total Prior YTD	Change +/-
Total Collisions - Excluding Private Property	43	42	342	353	-11
Fatal Collisions	0	0	5	2	+3
Injury Collisions	20	20	120	133	-13
Property Collisions	23	22	- 218	216	+2
Private Property Collisions	1	3	43	46	-3
DUI Collisions with Injuries	2	2	7	6	+1
DUI Collisions with Property Damage	· 2	0	12	13	-1
Total Pedestrian Collisions	1	1	6	14	-8
Pedestrians Killed	0	0	2	2	0
Pedestrians Injured	. 1	1	5	14	-9
Total Hit & Run Collisions	2	5	55	44	+11
Hit & Run Fatalities	0	0	. 0	0	0
Hit & Run Injuries	2	2	6	5	+1
Hit & Run Property Only	0	3	49	39	+10
CITATION SUMMARY	This Month	Month Year Prior	Total YTD	Total Prior YTD	Change +/-
Traffic Total	1654	1629	18533	20359	-1826
Hazardous Violations	605	594	7311	6714	+597
Non-Hazardous Violations	67	246	1612	3151	-1539
Parking Violations	977	780	9525	10406	-881
DUI Arrests	5	9	85	88	-3

L.A. County Sheriff's Department Lost Hills & Malibu Station

Detailed Citation Report

From: <u>9/1/2015</u>

To: <u>9/30/2015</u>

City: MALIBU

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L.A. County Sheriff's Department Lost Hills & Malibu Station

Monthly Traffic Collision Report

10/13/2015 City of MALIBU

Date Range Reported: 9/1/2015 to 9/30/2015

Collisions	. 23
Total Non-Injury Collisions	
Total Injury and Fatal Collisions	20
Total Collisions (Injury + Non-Injury)	43
DUI Collisions	•
Number of DUI Collisions with Fatalities	0
Number of DUI Collisions with Injuries	2
Number of DUI Collisions Involving Property Damage	2
Total Number of DUI Collision Deaths	0
Total Number of DUI Collision injuries	2
Total Number of DUI Collisions	4
Total Actual Number of DUI Arrests	5
Non-DUI Collisions	
Number of Non-DUI Collisions with Fatalities	0
Number of Non-DUI Collisions with Injuries	18
Number of Non-DUI Collisions Involving Property Damage	21
Total Number of Non-DUI Collision Deaths	0
Total Number of Non-DUI Collision injuries	25
Vehicle/Pedestrian Collisions	_
Number of Vehicle/Pedestrian Collisions with Fatalities	0
Number of Vehicle/Pedestrian Collisions with Injuries	1
Total Number of Pedestrian Fatalities	0
Total Number of Pedestrian Injuries	1
Vehicle/Bicycle Collisions	
Number of Vehicle/Bicycle Collisions with Fatalities	0
Number of Vehicle/Bicycle Collisions with Injuries	1
Total Number of Vehicle/Bicycle Collision Fatalities	0
Total Number of Vehicle/Bicycle Collision Injuries	. 1

Hit & Run Collisions	0
Total Number of Hit & Run Fatalities	0
Total Number of Hit & Run Injuries	2
Total Number of PDO Hit & Run Collisions	0
Traffic Citations	070
Total Number of Radar Citations Issued	276
Total Number of Bicycle Citations Issued	1
Total Number of Pedestrian Citations Issued	0
Total Number of Safety Belt Citations Issued	7
Total Number of Child Restraint Citations Issued	0
Total Number of Financial Responsibility Citations Issued	58
Total Number of Hazardous Citations Issued	605
Total Number of Non-Hazardous Citations Issued	67
Total Number of Citations Issued	672
Parking Citations	0
Total Number of Parking Citations Issued	U
Miscellaneous	
Child in Passenger Seat or Belts, Number of Fatalities	
Child in Passenger Seat or Belts, Number of Injuries	
Child Not in Passenger Seat or Belts, Number of Fatalities	
Child Not in Passenger Seat or Belts, Number of Injuries	•
Number of Code 3 or Pursuit Collision Fatalities	
Number of Code 3 or Pursuit Collision Injuries	
Number of Patrol Vehicle Rear-End Collisions with Amber On	
Enforcement Index	30.3
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L.A. County Sheriff's Department Lost Hills & Malibu Station Monthly Traffic Safety Management Report

City of MALIBU Date Range Reported: 9/1/2015 to 9/30/2015

Total No. of Collisions: 43 Injury: 20 Non-Injury: 23 Fatal: 0 Private Property: 1

Total No. of Citations: 672 Hazardous Cites: 605 Non-Hazardous Cites: 67

Collisions by Reporting Districts

Reporting District	<u>No.</u>	Location
1010		1 at Broad Beach Rd (W) and Pacific Coast Hwy
1011		2 at Separate Locations
1012		3 at Busch Dr and Pacific Coast Hwy
		2 at Kanan Dume Rd and Pacific Coast Hwy 5 at Separate Locations
1013		2 at Heathercliff Rd and Pacific Coast Hwy
		1 at Fernhill Dr and Grayfox St
1014	•	3 at Corral Canyon Rd and Pacific Coast Hwy
		2 at John Tyler Dr and Pacific Coast Hwy1 at Malibu Canyon Rd and Pacific Coast Hwy
1015		2 at Cross Creek Rd and Pacific Coast Hwy
		2 at Pacific Coast Hwy and Serra Rd3 at Separate Locations
1016		3 at Pacific Coast Hwy and Sweetwater Canyon Rd
		2 at Pacific Coast Hwy and Serra Rd
1017		2 at Separate Locations
		2 at Big Rock Dr and Pacific Coast Hwy 2 at Las Flores Canyon Rd and Pacific Coast Hwy
1018		
		3 at Separate Locations

Collision Occurred Most Frequently On:

Pacific Coast Hwy			37
4	at	Serra Rd	
3	at	Big Rock Dr	
3	at	Busch Dr	
3	at	Corral Canyon Rd	
3	at	Cross Creek Rd	
3	at	Sweetwater Canyon Rd	
2	at	Broad Beach Rd (W)	
2	at	Heathercliff Rd	
2	at	John Tyler Dr	
2	at	Las Flores Canyon Rd	
10	at	at Separate Locations	
Malibu Canyon Rd			2
2	at	at Separate Locations	
Civic Center Wy			1
1	at	Webb Wy	
Grayfox St			1
1	at	Fernhill Dr	4
Kanan Dume Rd			1
1:	at	Pacific Coast Hwy	

Primary Collision Factors:

<u>Violations</u>	<u>Description</u> <u>N</u>	<u>umber of Collisions</u>
22350	Unsafe Speed	13
21801A	Left Turns, Failure To Yield	6
21703	Following Too Closely	5
21658A	Unsafe Lane Change	4
22107	Unsafe Turn / Failure To Maintain Straight Co	urse 3
23152A	DUI	2
23152A 22106	Starting Or Backing Unsafely	2
	Dui - Alcohol/Injury	1
23153A	Dui - Alcohol And Drugs	1
23152F	U-Turn In Business District	1
22102	Pedestrians-Walking On Roadway	1
21956A	Failure To Yield Exiting Private Property	. 1
21804A		1
21755A	Passing On Right	1
21453A	Red Signal, Failure To Stop	. '
		1

Violations Most Frequently Cited:

Violations	Description	Number of Citations

00050	Unsafe Speed	242
22350	Markings Or Signs For Turning	67
22101D	No Insurance	58
16028A	Maximum Speed Limit Over 65 Mph	55
22349A	Drinking On Beach	40
17.12.320	Adult Using Hand Held Cell Phone	39
23123A	-	38
22450A	Failure To Stop At S T O P Sign	24
4000A1	Registration Required	21
21461A	Official Traffic Sign Or Signal	19
12500A	Unlicensed Driver	18
146011A	Drivers Lic. Suspended	14
5200A	Display Of License Plates	11
231235A	Texting While Driving	
12951A	Drivers License, Not In Possession	8
21453A	Red Signal, Failure To Stop	8
5204A	License Plate Registration Tabs Expired	8
27315D1	Not Wearing Seat Belt	7
221005	U-Turn	6
22107	Unsafe Turn / Failure To Maintain Straight Course	6
24252A	Required Lighting	4
26708A1	Obstructed View	4
214605C	Two-Way Traffic Left Turn Lane	3
21651A2	Divided Highway	3
21950A	Crosswalks	3
21451A	Green Signal, Failure To Go	2
21453C	Red Arrow, Failure To Obey	2
21658A	Unsafe Lane Change	2
21703	Following Too Closely	2
21801A	Left Turns, Failure To Yield	2
23152B	D U I , .08	2
23223A	Alcohol, Open-Driver	2
23223B	Alcohol, Open-Passenger	. 2
24601	License Plate Light	2
26708A2	Material Obstructing Drivers View	2
26710	Defective Windshield	2
14600A	Change Of Address	1
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21201D	Bicycle, No Headlamp At Night	1
21453B	Red Signal, Right Turn	1
21460A	Double Lines, Driving To The Left	1
216501	Bicycle, Wrong Side Of Roadway	1
21651A	Divided Highway	1
21656	Slow Vehicle	1
21750	Overtaking Vehicle On Left	1
21755A	Passing On Right	1
21806A	Emergency Vehicles	1
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22100B	Left Turn	1
22102	U-Turn In Business District	1
22104	U-Turn	1
22106	Starting Or Backing Unsafely	1
22400A	Impeding Traffic / Slow Speed	1
22454A	School Bus Flashing Red Lights	1
23111	Lighted Substance	1
23152A	DUI	1
23152E	Dui - Drug	1
23152F	Dui - Alcohol And Drugs	1
23225A1	Owner Allowing Open Container	1
23226A	Open Container-Driver	1
24604	Projecting Load	1
273605A	Child Restraint System	1
27400	Headset Or Earplugs	1
27465B	Tires	1
38300	Off-Highway, Disobey Signs	1
4454A	Registration Card, Not In Vehicle	1

Collisions Involving Pedestrians: 1

Most Frequent Violations

Collisions Involving Bicyclists: 1

Most Frequent Violations

21201D

Total Bicycle Related Citations

L.A. County Sheriff's Department Lost Hills & Malibu Station

Collision Report Summary

10/13/2015

Date Range Reported:

9/1/15 - 9/30/15

Total Number of Collisions: 43
Total Number of Persons Injured 27
Total Number of Persons Killed: 0

Report#	Date	Time	_ocation	Dist.	Dir.	• •	Motor Veh. Involved With	Dir. of Travel 1		Dir. of Travel 2	Movement Prec. Coll. 2	PCF	lnj.	Kil.
915-05237- 1014-472	9/1/15	17:00	Pacific Coast Hwy & Corral Canyon Rd	12'	West	Rear-End	Other Motor Vehicle	East	Proceeding Straight	East	Ctopped in	Unsafe Starting or Backing	0	
915-05238- 1012-472	9/1/15	18:06	Kanan Dume Rd & Pacific Coast Hwy	128'	North	Sideswipe	Parked Motor Vehicle	North	Proceeding Straight	North	Stopped In Road	Unsafe Speed	0	0
915-05270- 1014-471	9/2/15	17:50	Pacific Coast Hwy & Malibu Canyon Rd	32'	West	Rear-End	Other Motor Vehicle	South	Proceeding Straight	South	Stopped In Road	Unsafe Speed	1	0
915-05324- 1012-250	9/5/15	14:55	Pacific Coast Hwy & Morning View Dr	13'	East	Sideswipe	Other Motor Vehicle	North	Slowing/Stoppi ng	North	Proceeding Straight	Improper Turning	1	0
915-05326- 1016-471	9/5/15	15:46	Pacific Coast Hwy & Big Rock Dr	5280'	East	Broadside	Other Motor Vehicle	South	Making U Turn	East	Proceeding Straight	Auto R/W Violation	1	0
915-05332- 1016-472	9/6/15	12:30	Pacific Coast Hwy & Serra Rd	2640'	East	Rear-End	Other Motor Vehicle	West	Proceeding Straight	West	Slowing/Stoppi ng	Following Too Closely	0	0
915-05341- 1012-472	9/6/15	16:50	Pacific Coast Hwy & Busch Dr	300'	East	Rear-End	Other Motor Vehicle	East	Slowing/Stoppi ng	East	Slowing/Stoppi ng	Following Too Closely	0	0
915-05339- 1010-471	9/6/15	17:05	Pacific Coast Hwy & Broad Beach Rd (W)	1584'	West	Broadside	Other Motor Vehicle	North	Making U Turn	South	Proceeding Straight	Auto R/W Violation	2	0
915-05353- 1016-471	9/7/15	11:02	Pacific Coast Hwy & Sweetwater Canyon	2640'	East	Broadside	Bicycle	North	Making Left Turn	West	Proceeding Straight	Auto R/W Violation	1	0
915-05358- 1016-472	9/7/15	13:11	Rd Pacific Coast Hwy & Carbon Canyon Rd	1056	' West	Rear-End	Other Motor Vehicle	West	Slowing/Stopp ng	i West	Slowing/Stopp ng	i Following Too Closely	0	0
915-05359- 1013-472	9/7/15	14:10	Pacific Coast Hwy & Heathercliff Rd	528'	West	Sideswipe	Other Motor Vehicle	South	Proceeding Straight	South	Stopped in Road	Improper Passing	0	0
915-05363- 1012-472	9/7/15	15:50	Pacific Coast Hwy & Busch Dr	528'	West	Rear-End	Other Motor Vehicle	North	Proceeding Straight	North	Stopped In Road	Unsafe Speed	0	0

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Report#	Date	Time	Location	Dist.	Dir.	Type of Collision	Motor Veh. Involved With	Dir. of Travel 1		Dir. of Travel 2	Movement Prec. Coll. 2	PCF	lnj. ł	Kil.
915-05368- 1016-472	9/7/15	19:00	Pacific Coast Hwy & Sweetwater Canyon Rd	410'	West	Sideswipe	Parked Motor Vehicle	South	Proceeding Straight	South	Parked	Unsafe Speed	0	0
915-05399- 1014-472	9/8/15	18:20	Pacific Coast Hwy & Corral Canyon Rd	610'	East	Rear-End	Parked Motor Vehicle	North	Backing	South	Parked	Unsafe Starting or Backing	0	0
915-05439- 1015-472	9/10/15	17:05	Malibu Canyon Rd & Seaver Dr	0,	In Int.	Broadside	Other Motor Vehicle	East	Making Left Turn	East	Making Left Turn	Unsafe Lane Change	0	0
915-05493- 1015-472	9/13/15	13:57	Pacific Coast Hwy & Cross Creek Rd	250'	East	Sideswipe	Other Motor Vehicle	West	Changing Lanes	West	Proceeding Straight	Unsafe Lane Change	0	0
915-05495- 1013-047	9/13/15	15:32	Grayfox St & Fernhill Dr	2112'	East	Hit Object	Other Object	West	Ran Off Road			Driving Under Influence	0	0
915-05501- 1017-471	9/13/15	17:45	Pacific Coast Hwy & Big Rock Dr	5280'	West	Other	Non-Collision	West	Proceeding Straight	East	Making U Turn	Unsafe Speed	1	0
915-05502- 1014-471	9/13/15	5 18:51	Pacific Coast Hwy & John Tyler Dr	300'	South	Sideswipe	Other Motor Vehicle	North	Changing Lanes	North	Proceeding Straight	Unsafe Lane Change	2	0
915-05513- 1015-471	9/14/15	5 12:35	Pacific Coast Hwy & Serra Rd	50'	West	Rear-End	Other Motor Vehicle	East	Proceeding Straight	East	Stopped In Road	Following Too Closely	1	0
915-05519- 1016-472	9/14/15	5 15:45	Pacific Coast Hwy & Sweetwater Canyon Rd	2112'	East	Sideswipe	Parked Motor Vehicle	South	Ran Off Road	South	Parked	Unsafe Speed	0	0
915-05564- 1012-472	9/16/15	5 14:15		0'	In Int.	Rear-End	Other Motor Vehicle	South	Slowing/Stoppi ng	South	Proceeding Straight	Unsafe Speed	0	0
915-05565- 1018-472	9/16/18	5 15:15	Pacific Coast Hwy & Cross Creek Rd	2640'	South	Rear-End	Other Motor Vehicle	North	Proceeding Straight	North	Stopped in Road	Unsafe Speed	0	0
915-05597- 1018-471	9/18/1	5 00:38	Pacific Coast Hwy & Tuna Canyon Rd	1056'	West	Sideswipe	Parked Motor Vehicle	West	Ran Off Road	West	Parked	Unsafe Speed	1	0
915-05600- 1012-472	9/18/1	5 13:22	Pacific Coast Hwy & Busch Dr	5'	South	Rear-End	Other Motor Vehicle	South	Slowing/Stoppi ng	South	Slowing/Stopp ng	Following Too Closely	0	0
915-05605- 1017-242	9/18/1	5 18:32	Pacific Coast Hwy & Las Flores Canyon Rd	2640	East	Hit Object	Other Object	West	Proceeding Straight			Driving Under Influence	0	0
915-05625- 1012-255	9/19/1	5 23:0	5 Pacific Coast Hwy & Westward Beach Rd	528'	South	Broadside	Other Motor Vehicle	South	Making U Turn	South	Proceeding Straight	Improper Turning	, 2	0
915-05633- 1015-471	9/20/1	5 12:20) Malibu Canyon Rd & Civic Center Wy	12'	South	Broadside	Other Motor Vehicle	South	Making Left Turn	North	Proceeding Straight	Auto R/W Violation	2	0

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Report#	Date 7	ſime	Location	Dist.	Dir.	Type of Collision	Motor Veh. Involved With	Dir. of Travel 1	Movement Prec. Coll. 1	Dir. of Travel 2	Movement Prec. Coll. 2	PCF	lnj.	Kil.	
915-05638- 1016-471	9/20/15	15:10	Pacific Coast Hwy & Serra Rd	930'	East	Broadside	Other Motor Vehicle	South	Making Right Turn	West	Proceeding Straight	Improper Turning	1	0	
915-05645- 1013-471	9/20/15	22:15	Pacific Coast Hwy & Heathercliff Rd	525'	West	Vehicle - Pedestrian	Pedestrian	South	Entering Traffic	North	Proceeding Straight	Pedestrian Violation	1	0	
915-05669- 1011-241	9/21/15	16:46	Pacific Coast Hwy & Broad Beach Rd (W)	43'	South	Overturned	Non-Collision	South	Other Unsafe Turning		·	Driving Under Influence	1	0	
915-05708- 1014-472	9/23/15	18:15	Pacific Coast Hwy & John Tyler Dr	0'	In Int.	Broadside	Other Motor Vehicle	North	Proceeding Straight	South	Making Left Turn	Traffic Signals and Signs	0	0	
915-05729- 1015-472	9/24/15	14:11	Pacific Coast Hwy & Cross Creek Rd	231'	North	Sideswipe	Other Motor Vehicle	North	Entering Traffic	North	Making Left Turn	Auto R/W Violation	0	0	
915-05735- 1014-472	9/24/15	19:33	Pacific Coast Hwy & Corral Canyon Rd	528'	East	Rear-End	Other Motor Vehicle	East	Making U Turn	West	Proceeding Straight	Auto R/W Violation	0	0	
915-05750- 1012-471	9/25/15	15:41	Pacific Coast Hwy & Zuma View Pl	165'	West	Rear-End	Other Motor Vehicle	West	Proceeding Straight	West	Slowing/Stopp ng	Unsafe Speed	3	0	
915-05755- 1012-471	9/25/15	20:50	Pacific Coast Hwy & Winding Wy E	1056	' South	Sideswipe	Other Motor Vehicle	North	Making Left Turn	North	Proceeding Straight	Improper Turning	1	0	
915-05764- 1011-472	9/26/15	14:34	30745 Pacific Coast Hwy & Private Property	0'	In Int.	Broadside	Other Motor Vehicle	East	Backing	South	Proceeding Straight	Other Improper Driving	0	0	ı
915-05767- 1012-472	9/26/15	17:05	Pacific Coast Hwy & Escondido Beach Rd	1584	' West	Broadside	Other Motor Vehicle	West	Making Left Turn	East	Proceeding Straight	Auto R/W Violation	0	0)
915-05769- 1018-255	9/27/15	00:15	5 Pacific Coast Hwy & Topanga Canyon Blvd	2112	' North	Overturned	Non-Collision	North	Proceeding Straight			Unsafe Speed	2	0)
915-05780- 1017-471	- 9/27/15	5 19:20) Pacific Coast Hwy & Big Rock Dr	2112	2' West	Hit Object	Fixed Object	South .	Proceeding Straight			Unsafe Speed	1	C)
915-05825- 1015-472	- 9/29/1	5 17:00) Pacific Coast Hwy & Serra Rd	2112	2' West	Rear-End	Other Motor Vehicle	North	Proceeding Straight	North	Stopped in Road	Unsafe Speed	0	()
915-05826- 1015-242	- 9/29/1	5 18:10	Civic Center Wy & Webb Wy	410	' East	Sideswipe	Other Motor Vehicle	North	Passing Othe Vehicle	r North	Stopped In Road	Driving Under Influence	1	. (Э
915-05842- 1017-471	- 9/30/1	5 14:3			4' South	Rear-End	Parked Motor Vehicle	North	Proceeding Straight	North	Parked	Unsafe Lane Change	1	(0

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

"A Tradition of Service"

OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE: 10-10-2015

FROM:

Brad Johnson, Traffic Sergeant

TO:

Patrick S. Davoren, Captain

Malibu/Lost Hills Station

Malibu/Lost Hills Station

SUBJECT: September Motor Activity Report City of Malibu

During the month of September the motorcycle officers wrote 563 citations. The citations break down into the following categories:

Unsafe Speed	284
Other Hazard	45
Other Non-Hazard	89
Unsafe Turning	74
Signs and Signals	62
Seatbelt	6
Fail to Yield	1
Unknown	2

DHH:



COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT LOST HILLS STATION



Agoura Hills . Calabasas . Westlake Village . Malibu . Hidden Hills

SHERIFF'S TEEN TRAFFIC OFFENDER PROGRAM 1-877-310-STOP (7867)

September 2015 activities report for the city of Malibu.

In the month of September, there were 7 dangerous drivers reported to the STTOP Program.

STTOP letter were sent to all registered owners.

Events:

Attended LASD training at Malibu/Lost Hills Station.

The STTOP "Bike City" and "Crash Car Trailer" are scheduled to be out at numerous community events for 2015.

COMMUNITY RELATIONS REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER, 2015

Deputy Mike Woodard CITY OF MALIBU

- Prepared and distributed the crime prevention newsletter/community tips to the chamber of commerce, school districts, residents, and homeowners associations.
- 2. Met with Malibu VOP team and go over safety and training for new members. Talked to VOPs about ways to make the program better.
- 3. Spoke to citizens via phone and in the station lobby regarding community and crime prevention related issues or questions, i.e., frequency of crimes, statistical information, etc.
- 4. Reviewed, conditioned, approved and emailed several DRC, TUP, and ABC routing sheets.
- 5. Follow up with neighborhood watch leaders and assist them with issues is their area.
- 6. Maintain the volunteer program by reviewing new applications, conducting background checks, performing live-scan fingerprints, interviewing applicants, training, and recruiting.
- 7. Attended the "Friends of the Arson Watch & Disaster Services (FAWDS)" meeting.
- 8. Attended Crime Prevention meeting in Whittier to get updates on volunteer training and management.
- 9. Attended weekly "Coffee with A Deputy" meeting at the Malibu Kitchen. "Coffee with a Deputy" allows the Malibu community the opportunity to meet with their local law enforcement agency in a casual setting and have an open discussion on local matters.

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

SHERIFFS DEPARTMENT

OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

DATE: October 05, 2015

FROM: DEPUTY MICHAEL TREINEN TO: CAPTAIN PATRICK DAVOREN

SUBJECT: MALIBU SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT ACTIVITY REPORT- SEPTEMBER 2015

- Made daily foot patrols of the Malibu Legacy Park due to complaints of residents who frequent the park.
- Arrested several transients regarding being drunk in public, and for other alcohol related violations.
- Made daily patrol checks of the Malibu Labor Exchange.
- Cited several transients regarding the illegal camping ordinance.

MALIBU/LOST HILLS SHERIFF'S STATION COMMUNITY CRIME PREVENTION TIPS

Jim McDonnell, Sheriff

Playing it Safe On Halloween Pointers for Parents

Preparing Ghosts and Goblins for Their Tricks and Treats

- Make sure older kids go out with friends. Younger children should be accompanied by an adult. If you live in a rural area, offer all kids a ride in the car.
- Set a time limit for children to trick-or-treat. Together, map out a safe route so you know where they'll be. Remind them not to take shortcuts through backyards, alleys, or playing fields.
- Remind kids not to enter a strange house or car.
- Try to get kids to trick-or-treat while it is still light out. If it is dark, make sure the children are carrying flashlights that work.

Pranks That Can Be a Little Tricky

Halloween is notoriously a night of pranks—toilet papering a house or filling mailboxes with shaving cream are not unusual. Try to get a handle on your children's plans before they go out. Explain to them that while you want them to have a good time, some tricks could hurt other people or vandalize property. Emphasize that you disapprove of vandalism.

Eating the Treats

• Kids need to know not to eat their treats until they get home. One way to keep trick-or-treaters from digging in while they're still out is to feed them a meal or substantial snack beforehand.

- Check out all treats at home in a well-lighted area
- What to eat? Only unopened candies and other treats that are in original wrappers. Don't forget to inspect fruit and homemade goodies for anything suspicious. By all means, remind kids not to eat everything at once or they'll be feeling pretty ghoulish for a while.

If you have any questions, please contact Deputy Mike Woodard at 818-878-5506.

LOST HILLS JUVENILE INTERVENTION UNIT ACTIVITY REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER 2015 MALIBU

SCHOOL ISSUES

Investigated Malibu High student's use of "gun" imogis.

INTERVENTIONS

No interventions were held this month.

COMMUNITY / CRIMINAL ISSUES

- 1. We conducted a monthly parental resource class at Lost Hills Sheriff's Station. This program was developed by our unit and is designed to educate parents about: 1) The current trends in juvenile behavior and delinquency, 2) Alcohol/narcotic awareness and recognition, 3) School policy and campus issues, 4) Gang awareness and negative peer relations, 5) Parental rights and responsibilities and, 6) Parental responses to incorrigible and/or delinquent behavior. We also address the specific concerns relating to the minor's behavior. We educate the minor and their parents of possible criminal behavior and the legal consequences. We offer suggestions and make recommendations to improve the minor's quality of life.
- 2. Spoke with numerous citizens and parents who called to question various juvenile concerns and issues in the community. We also provide the parents with various juvenile resource programs within our community.
- 3. We met with the Sylmar Juvenile Court District Attorney regarding the investigation and filing of criminal charges against juvenile offenders.
- 4. Met with Captain Pat Davoren throughout the month in order to keep him up to date regarding our units investigations and current juvenile issues within our city.
- 5. Entered juveniles into the Juvenile Automated Index system for various violations.
- 6. Made court appearances to testify as witnesses on the part of the People of the State of California and attended court proceedings in cases generated from the City of Malibu. We also investigated, prepared, and filed cases with the District Attorney's office. We additionally assisted other investigators in the preparation of cases for court.
- 7. We met with station narcotic detectives on a regular basis to exchange information regarding juvenile and drug related issues. We have worked with the narcotic detectives on several narcotic cases directly and indirectly involving juveniles.

- 8. Handled the processing and follow-up of various juvenile referrals brought to the attention of this unit (i.e., Juvenile Information Forms, Field Interview Cards, Juvenile Automated Index, and citations for various juvenile contacts with uniform personnel).
- 9. Conducted our normal checks of juvenile problem areas in the city during weekend evenings and responded to juvenile related calls for service.
- 10. The Juvenile Intervention Team assisted the COPS Team with Parole Compliance checks in Malibu, Topanga, Calabasas and Westlake Village.
- 11. Investigated 11 allegation of child abuse.
- 12. Attended Malibu High home football games.



COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

FIRE DEPARTMENT

1320 NORTH EASTERN AVENUE LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90063-3294

DARYL L. OSBY FIRE CHIEF FORESTER & FIRE WARDEN

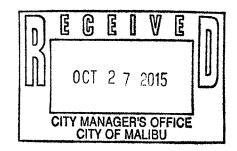
> (818) 508-5205 (310) 317-1802

October 15, 2015

Jim Thorsen, City Manager City of Malibu 23825 Stuart Ranch Road Malibu, CA 90265

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Dear Mr. Thorsen:



FIRE DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES FOR SEPTEMBER 2015

The attached report reflects the suppression, rescue, and fire prevention activities conducted by this Fire Department for the month indicated and the activity for the current year.

If you desire any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

LUKE CLAUS, ASSISTANT FIRE CHIEF DIVISION VII, CENTRAL OPERATIONS BUREAU

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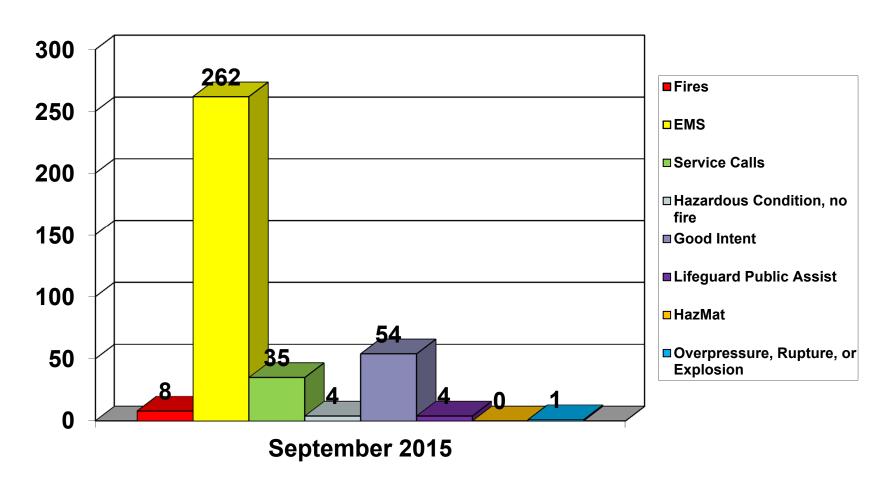
Enclosures

SERVING THE UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY AND THE CITIES OF:

AGOURA HILLS ARTESIA AZUSA BALDWIN PARK BELL BELL GARDENS BELLFLOWER BRADBURY CALABASAS CARSON CERRITOS CLAREMONT COMMERCE COVINA CUDAHY DIAMOND BAR DUARTE EL MONTE GARDENA GLENDORA HAWAIIAN GARDENS HAWTHORNE HIDDEN HILLS HUNTINGTON PARK INDUSTRY INGLEWOOD IRWINDALE LA CANADA FLINTRIDGE LA HABRA LA MIRADA LA PUENTE LAKEWOOD LANCASTER LAWNDALE LOMITA LYNWOOD

MALIBU MAYWOOD NORWALK PALMDALE PALOS VERDES ESTATES PARAMOUNT PICO RIVERA POMONA RANCHO PALOS VERDES ROLLING HILLS ROLLING HILLS ESTATES ROSEMEAD SAN DIMAS SANTA CLARITA SIGNAL HILL SOUTH EL MONTE SOUTH GATE' TEMPLE CITY WALNUT WEST HOLLYWOOD WESTLAKE VILLAGE WHITTIER

City of Malibu Emergency Responses



TOTAL RESPONSES: 368

City of Malibu Noteworthy Incidents

DATE	TYPE	ADDRESS	DESCRIPTION	PROPERTY LOSS	CONTENTS LOSS	VALUE SAVED
9/7/15	Fire, Other	23901 Civic Center Way	Small smoldering fire inside exterior balcony wall.	\$400.00		
9/8/15	Trash Fire	Heathercliff Road				
9/8/15	Fire, Other	21016 Pacific Coast Hwy	Malfunctioning equipment.	\$75.00	\$100.00	
9/8/15	Cooking Fire	24255 Pacific Coast Hwy				
9/9/15	Brush Fire	27400 Calicutt Road	1 acre; arcing upon re- energization of power lines.			
9/13/15	/13/15 Overpressure Kanan Dume Road		Overheated vehicle		·	
9/13/15	Fire, Other	21644 Pacific Coast Hwy	Pole fire.		·	
9/15/15	Hazardous Condition	23812 Harbor Vista Dr	Power line down.			,
9/18/15	Lifeguard	30050 Pacific Coast Hwy	Boat rescue	\$1,000.00		
9/19/15	Hazardous Condition	21022 Pacific Coast Hwy	Heat from short circuit/defective wiring.		•	
9/20/15 Brush Fire 3021		3021 Rambla Pacifico	1 acre; probable cause was malfunctioning equipment			
9/23/15	Structure Fire	22235 Pacific Coast Hwy	Tramonto's Restaurant; accidental, build up heat in wall in kitchen.	\$50,000.00	\$500.00	

City of Malibu Noteworthy Incidents

DATE	TYPE	ADDRESS	DESCRIPTION	PROPERTY LOSS	CONTENTS LOSS	VALUE SAVED
9/26/15	Hazardous Condition	27011 Sea Vista Drive	Power line down.			·
9/30/15	Hazardous Condition	33318 Pacific Coast Hwy	Power line down.			
				\$51,475.00	\$600.00	

MALIBU

FIRE STATION INSPECTIONS

MONTH: SEPTEMBER 2015

	THIS MONTH	YEAR-TO-DATE	LAST YEAR-TO-DATE
STATION INSPECTIONS	0	15	13
HYDRANT INSPECTIONS	0	48	45
FIRE PREVENTION BUREAU INSPECTIONS		158	263
TOTAL INSPECTIONS	. 0	221	321
PLANS CHECKED		164	246

In addition, special activities conducted by the Fire Department include:

Ready Set Go Presentation for Malibu Optimist Club Ready Set Go Presentation at Malibu Library Ride to the Flags Pepperdine University Raising the Flags Ceremony Nautica Triathlon

Mary Linden

From:

McNulty, Timothy <Timothy.McNulty@fire.lacounty.gov>

Sent:

Monday, October 05, 2015 8:27 AM

To:

Mary Linden

Subject:

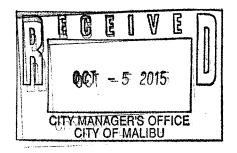
September Stats

Attachments:

Northern Section Stats Sept 15.pdf

Please see attached.

Captain Tim McNulty Northern Section Lifeguard Division L.A.County Fire Dept. 310-457-2525w 310-283-3048c



9/1/2015 - 9/30/2015

Area:		Attd.	Prevs	Ords	EVR	Major	Minor		Agency Assist	Boat Warning	Missing Person		O2 Therapy	AED Applied	Drowning Guarded	Other Fatality
Northern																
	NSH/Day	0	546	206	64	23		23	30		3	10				
•	NSH/Night	35,755	162	132	6				2							
	MAL	526,000	5,120	1,402	59	9	287	128	36	12	3	73	1			
	COR	43,975	1,325	652		2	14	21	2	8		40				
	PDC	201,000	4,194	1,078	74	4	43	43	15		2	20				
	NIC	26,775	495	190		1	7	12	3			3				
	ZUMA	908,700	32,045	5,027	223	12	126	?	39	1	29					•
	Northern	1,742,205	43,887	8,687	426	51	477	?	127	21	37	146	1			
	Grand Total:	1 742 205	43 887	8 687	426	51	477	?	127	21	37	146	1			