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Malibu Public Safety Commission
Regular Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, August 5, 2026

5:00 P.M.
City Hall – Multi-Purpose Room
23825 Stuart Ranch Road

Call to Order

Roll Call

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Agenda

Report on Posting of Agenda – July 23, 2026

1. Ceremonial / Presentations

None.

2. 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.

B. Staff updates.

C. Commissioner reports, comments and inquiries.

3. Consent Calendar

A. Previously Discussed Items

None.

B. New Items

1. Approval of Minutes

Recommended Action: Approve minutes for the Public Safety Commission Regular Meeting of November 5, 2025, the Special Meeting of January 14, 2026, and the Regular Meeting of February 4, 2026.

4. Old Business

None.

5. New Business

A. Proposed Wildfire Mitigation Strategies

Recommended Action: 1) Receive a report on proposed wildfire mitigation strategies; and 2) Provide input to staff; and 3) Make a recommendation to the City Council if appropriate.

Staff Contact: Public Safety Director Dueñas, 456-2489, ext. 313

B. Public Safety Agency Monthly Activity Report

Recommended Action: Discuss recent Public Safety Agency activities and receive and file the monthly reports for May and June 2026 from the California Highway Patrol, the Los Angeles County Fire Department's Lifeguard Division, the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department, and the monthly reports for March, April, and May 2026 from the Los Angeles County Fire Department.

Staff Contact: Public Safety Director Dueñas, 456-2489, ext. 313

C. Homeless Services Monthly Report

Recommended Action: Discuss recent homeless services activities and receive and file the monthly report for June 2026 from The People Concern.

Staff Contact: Public Safety Manager Flores, 456-2489, ext. 236

Adjournment

Future Meetings

Monday, August 24, 2026	3:30 p.m.	Joint Special Meeting	City Hall Multi-Purpose Room
Wednesday, September 2, 2026	5:00 p.m.	Regular Meeting	City Hall Multi-Purpose Room
Wednesday, October 7, 2026	5:00 p.m.	Regular Meeting	City Hall Multi-Purpose Room

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Carole Myers, Administrative Assistant

Public Safety Commission Meeting 08-05-26
Item 3.B.1.

Public Safety Commission Agenda Report

To: Chair Spiegel and Members of the Public Safety Commission

Prepared by: Noah Tyler U. Tabbay, Public Safety Specialist

Approved by: Susan Dueñas, Public Safety Director

Date Prepared: July 20, 2026 Meeting Date: August 5, 2026

Subject: Approval of Minutes

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve minutes for the Public Safety Commission Regular Meeting of November 5, 2025, the Special Meeting of January 14, 2026, and the Regular Meeting of February 4, 2026.

DISCUSSION: Staff have prepared draft minutes for the Public Safety Commission for their November 5, 2025 Regular Meeting, their January 14, 2026 Special Meeting, and their February 4, 2026 Regular Meeting, and hereby submits the minutes to the Commission for approval.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Draft November 5, 2025 Public Safety Commission Regular Meeting Minutes
2. Draft January 14, 2026 Public Safety Commission Special Meeting Minutes
3. Draft February 4, 2026 Public Safety Commission Regular Meeting Minutes

MINUTES
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
NOVEMBER 5, 2025
MALIBU CITY HALL – COUNCIL CHAMBERS
5:00 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Spiegel called the meeting to order at 5:05 p.m.

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT: Chair Joshua Spiegel, Vice Chair Brian Merrick, and Commissioner Alexis Aria.

ABSENT: Commissioners Chris Frost and Keegan Gibbs, and Ex-Officio Member Woodworth.

ALSO PRESENT: Susan Dueñas, Public Safety Director; Sarah Flores, Emergency Services Coordinator; Luis Flores, Senior Management Analyst; Gabriel Etcheverry, Fire Safety Liaison; Sergeant Christopher Soderlund, Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department; Mark Russo, Malibu VOP Team Leader; Assistant Fire Chief Drew Smith, Los Angeles County Fire Department; Megan Currier, Community Services Liaison, Los Angeles County Fire Department; Marine Battalion Chief Kyle Power, Los Angeles County Fire Department's Lifeguard Division; and Noah Tyler Tabbay, Administrative Assistant.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Vice Chair Merrick led the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION Chair Spiegel moved, and Vice Merrick seconded a motion to approve the agenda. The question was called and the motion carried 3-0, with Commissioners Frost and Gibbs absent.

REPORT ON POSTING OF AGENDA

Administrative Assistant Tabbay reported that the agenda for the meeting was properly posted on October 30, 2025, and the amended agenda for the meeting was properly posted on October 30, 2025.

ITEM 1 CEREMONIAL / PRESENTATIONS

None.

ITEM 2.A. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Kevin Keegan appreciated tonight's meeting agenda. He requested to see if the Community Fire Brigade could be added to their Annual Review. In addition, he requested to see if the new Los Angeles Sheriff's Department's (LASD) School Resource Officer's (SRO) work could be included in reports. He also requested to add to next year's Public Safety Services Annual Review a baseline assessment of what technologies are being used by the City's partner agencies for public safety and security procedures, including drones, cameras, AI software or tools, cyber security frameworks, third-party sharing agreements, and more. He inquired to see if the Commission would consider creating a Ad-Hoc Committee for Technology to provide guidance on the City's guidance and ethics including surveillance, use of drones, cybersecurity, data protecting and sharing, and more. He also requested an update to Wireless Emergency Alert (WEA) pilot test status at a Council Regular Meeting before December 31st. He inquired if it would be possible to invite the new SRO to a future Commission meeting before the end of the school year. He requested the Commission to visit the Malibu School Safety Committee to provide advice on evacuation plans, more specifically ingress and egress and how to communicate these plans to teachers, parents, families, and neighbors along with how to best train the teachers, students, and staff and how to better coordinate with stakeholders. He added that they could utilize the Commission's help in organizing a large-scale, multi-agency live emergency planning simulation for their schools and neighborhoods in 2026. He also requested to have this as a future agenda item to explore what needs to be done.

Ryan Embree stated that the Commission should evaluate future items to be placed on the agenda for future meetings. He stated that he had gotten stuck on Webb Way due to the City's traffic light on the intersection being inoperable. He also noted having more agendas out front.

Anne Komarovsk explained the use of radios and pointed out that we could listen, but not talk, on the Fire Department frequencies. She also stated the repeater situations on Catalina Island and urged the Commission to be empowered to bring this up to the City Council. She also stated that she will be running for the next Governor of the State of California upon the next election season.

Jo Drummond provided an update on the rebuilding situation and on the zone captain meeting that had occurred. She added that 204 single-family homes have applied to rebuild permits. She extended an appreciation to Assistant Fire Chief Smith and the Los Angeles County Fire Department (LACoFD) for protecting the communities from wildfires. She recommended having a Joint-Public Works/Public Safety Commissions Meeting in the future regarding the water infrastructure to separate the potable water from the fire hydrants.

ITEM 2.B. STAFF COMMENTS

Public Safety Director Dueñas provided an update to the Office of Traffic Safety (OTS) grant adding that more Primary Collision Factor (PCF) and DUI enforcement and operations are to come. She stated that the reports are due by the end of November. She also reported that the City is hopeful the Safety Element will soon receive approval from

the California Board of Forestry and Fire Protection. She explained that approval of the Safety Element would strengthen the City's eligibility for various grant programs and could improve Malibu's ability to secure funding for future public safety, emergency preparedness, and wildfire mitigation projects. Regarding emergency preparedness efforts, she announced that staff have initiated the process of updating the City's Evacuation Plan. She stated that the update will be comprehensive in scope and will include opportunities for community and stakeholder participation through surveys, public outreach efforts, and community meetings. She added that the planning process will culminate in a multi-agency full-scale exercise designed to test, evaluate, and refine evacuation procedures and interagency coordination before the updated plan is finalized. She also provided an update on the proposed Alert FM emergency notification system stating that staff remain interested in moving the project forward; however, the primary obstacle continues to be the cost of implementation, which is estimated to exceed $1 million. She reported that the vendor has expressed a willingness to meet with City staff to discuss potential financing options and payment arrangements that may make the system more financially feasible for the City in the future.

Emergency Services Coordinator Flores reported that staff are preparing for a community workshop as part of the City's Evacuation Plan update process, which will provide residents and stakeholders an opportunity to offer input and participate in discussion. She also provided an update on the City's After-Action Report (AAR), stating that staff continue to work through the review process and are hopeful that a final public-facing report will be completed and released in December. She explained that lessons learned and recommendations identified through the AAR process have already informed ongoing improvements to the City's Emergency Operations Center (EOC), stating that staff are currently updating systems, equipment inventories, supplies, checklists, and emergency procedures to enhance the City's preparedness capabilities. She added that EOC training for all City staff will be held next month to ensure that staff remain familiar with emergency response protocols and EOC procedures. She further reported that the City recently issued a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) related to EOC support services. She explained that staff are exploring options to create an Incident Management Team for the EOC with City staff and potential consultant firms to augment City staff during large-scale emergencies and disaster-related incidents. She provided an update on the mobile siren trailer, stating that the project remains in progress. She reported that secure storage locations for the sirens have recently been identified and that staff are awaiting completion of transfer documentation from the City of Los Angeles. Once the transfer process is finalized, staff plan to begin testing and inspecting the trailers anticipated around February 2026.

Senior Management Analyst Flores reported that the Annual Greater Los Angeles Homeless Count will take place on Thursday, January 22, 2026, and encouraged community members to volunteer by registering at Count.LAHSA.org. He provided an update on local homelessness efforts, noting significant progress in addressing homelessness throughout the City, particularly at Legacy Park, where additional signage has been installed to support enforcement and public awareness efforts. He also reported that staff have identified and implemented additional Municipal Code provisions that may

be utilized by the LASD during enforcement operations. He stated that, while homelessness-related activity has generally declined citywide, staff have observed a slight increase in activity at Surfrider Beach. He noted that staff continue to work closely with the Los Angeles County Department of Beaches and Harbors to monitor conditions and address related concerns. Flores emphasized the City's strong collaborative relationships with County and State partner agencies, which remain essential in addressing homelessness and improving quality-of-life conditions throughout the community. In addition, he reported that the Parking Enforcement Team now has access to Starlink satellite internet service during patrol operations. He explained that Starlink improves communication and connectivity in areas of the City with limited cellular coverage, enhancing operational capabilities in a manner similar to the system currently utilized by the Volunteers on Patrol (VOP) program.

Fire Safety Liaison Etcheverry reported that the City has had a record year for Home Wildfire Assessments (HWA), though requests have decreased in recent weeks. He also provided an update on the four-million-dollar tree grant, noting that while he had been hopeful the City would receive the funding, the grant was not awarded. He reported that Live Fuel Moisture (LFM) levels have fluctuated recently and increased to 69% following light rainfall but added that an upcoming short Santa Ana wind event may cause the levels to decrease.

Vice Chair Merrick inquired if there was any money left in the tree grant.

Fire Safety Liaison Etcheverry stated that there were no more funds in the grant.

Vice Chair Merrick reported to Senior Management Analyst Flores that a homeless female was spotted at Westward Beach. He added that she was there for a few days but not have seen in the past couple of days.

Senior Management Analyst Flores stated that did not receive any reports but stated that he will check tomorrow morning to see if he could spot her.

Vice Chair Merrick commented that the Civic Center area is beautiful and encourages people to visit more. He added that he wishes to prevent homelessness in the area.

Senior Management Analyst Flores stated that things are changing and that the City’s Community Services Department will be putting up security cameras in the park as well as being connected to the Malibu/Lost Hills Sheriff’s Station’s Real-Time Watch Center.

Vice Chair Merrick inquired Public Safety Director Dueñas about the evacuation plan update and if the inclusion of the School Resource Officer can be added into the plan.

Public Safety Director Dueñas stated that the School Resource Officer is on the list already but added that they could add the school safety committee to the planning team.

Commissioner Aria commented that the City's Evacuation Plan Update doesn't have to be perfect but done methodically. She added that it should be promoted to the residents either on social media or means of communication.

Public Safety Director Dueñas stated that residents should follow evacuation orders and messaging from the Los Angeles Sheriff's Department since it varies per incident.

Chair Spiegel asked Fire Safety Liaison Etcheverry if it would be possible for once or twice a year to understand the fuel load in the mountains in various areas.

Fire Safety Liaison Etcheverry stated that he would defer this inquiry to Assistant Fire Chief Smith during his Annual Review presentation.

ITEM 2.C. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS

Chair Spiegel requested to start bringing the City's Public Works Department into meetings and requests to potentially start a joint meeting with the Public Works Commission.

Vice Chair Merrick stated that it would be nice to get Waterworks District 29 here as well since they would go to the Public Works Commission meetings.

Public Safety Director Dueñas stated that she will talk to Public Works Director Rob DuBoux about having the Waterworks District 29 staff come to a Commission meeting and potentially to have a Joint Public Safety and Public Works Commission Meeting.

Chair Spiegel inquired when LA-RICS antenna would be heard at a City Council meeting.

Sergeant Soderlund stated that the topic is set to be heard during the December meeting.

Chair Spiegel inquired if the Community Fire Brigade is a City or County program.

Public Safety Director Dueñas stated that the organization falls under LACoFD.

Vice Chair Merrick added to Public Safety Director Dueñas comment stating that the Community Brigade originated out of Malibu but not specifically for Malibu necessarily.

Commissioner Aria commented on the recent homelessness count and noted that approximately eight unhoused individuals identified in the area were formerly Malibu residents. She also referenced a recent vehicle incident that occurred off Malibu Road outside the City's jurisdiction and expressed concern regarding safety conditions in the canyon areas where she suggested exploring the idea of establishing a multi-jurisdictional task force to address canyon safety issues and discussed the potential use of traffic-control measures, such as K-rails or access gates. She further reported receiving complaints from residents regarding the business practices of a local real estate agency stating that residents had expressed concerns about alleged solicitation efforts directed toward condo

owners. She requested that the issues be reviewed by the appropriate authorities to determine whether any improper or fraudulent activities have occurred. She emphasized the importance of protecting residents from potential exploitation and ensuring accountability within the community. In addition, she expressed concern regarding the handling of certain quality-of-life and public safety incidents, referencing a report involving an unhoused individual who allegedly attempted to assault a female resident. She reported a separate incident in which an unhoused individual allegedly assaulted a mother and her six-year-old child. She stated that residents had reported concerns regarding law enforcement response and the reporting process associated with these incidents. She emphasized the need to ensure that all reports of criminal activity are taken seriously and that victims are encouraged to document and report such incidents. She relayed a complaint from a resident stating that they had been treated discourteously during an interaction with a private security provider operating within the City.

ITEM 3 CONSENT CALENDAR

None.

ITEM 4 OLD BUSINESS

None.

ITEM 5 NEW BUSINESS

A. Public Safety Services Annual Review

Recommended Action: 1) Conduct an annual review of services provided by the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department, the Los Angeles County Fire Department, and the Los Angeles County Fire Department's Lifeguard Division; and 2) Provide a recommendation to the City Council for service level adjustments, if necessary.

Public Safety Director Dueñas introduced the Staff report and passed the floor to Sergeant Soderlund.

Sergeant Soderlund presented the LASD report for September. He reported that the Malibu/Lost Hills Sheriff's Station is serving as the pilot station for LASD's new Drone Detection Program and stated that, if successful, the program may lead to policy changes regarding future use and deployments. He provided an update on the OTS grant, noting that the Station conducted a DUI checkpoint at Webb Way and Pacific Coast Highway. He also reported that the Station will work with the City's Public Works Department on PCH signal synchronization and with Caltrans and the City's Public Works Department on speed camera projects associated with legislation introduced after the deaths of the Pepperdine students on PCH. He stated that the Real-Time Watch Center is staffed full time, will work with License Plate Readers and speed cameras, and can communicate with Deputies in the field. He added that LASD requires all Supervisors to complete Incident Command Systems (ICS)

training and that Disaster Communication Systems (DCS) has received new equipment. He reported that the Station is working with the City to establish a Mass Evacuation Plan and that the Malibu/Lost Hills Station received a one-million-dollar donation, which may be used toward a new Command Trailer. Sergeant Soderlund stated that staffing remains a challenge, with the Station operating at 70% staffing, and explained that Deputies are carrying additional workloads; however, four new trainees are expected over the next few months. He also provided a homeless enforcement update, noting efforts to increase enforcement in Legacy Park, where additional signage has been installed and cameras will be connected to the Real-Time Watch Center. He further reported that the County installed additional signage at the Malibu Library to assist with parking enforcement and homelessness concerns, which has reduced the number of RVs in the parking lot.

Assistant Fire Chief Smith reported that LACoFD's footprint remains unchanged and that he is seeking to enhance Station 88's capabilities. He stated that 17 firefighters are on duty across the City's fire stations and noted that the year had been particularly busy due to wildland incidents. He reported that LACoFD continues to operate two fire camps, one paid and one volunteer, including the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation's Fire Camp 13. He stated that the Los Angeles Fire Department remains the Region 1 Coordinator for Master Mutual Aid. Chief Smith also discussed emergency responses within the City, noting summertime increases in calls and visitation, particularly for medical responses. He reported on fire activity, including a number of good-intent calls, and said he was encouraged that residents are attentive and aware of potential incidents. He added that snake-related calls were more common in Calabasas. He expressed appreciation for the partnership and information-sharing with LASD during incidents, as well as the City's Public Safety Department's work on Home Wildfire Assessments. He explained the Live Fuel Moisture calculation and noted that its measurements are based on one ton per one foot of grass. He also stated that, on Red Flag days in the Topanga Canyon community, schools in session may implement "Fire Days," like snow days in other states. He advocated for this approach and added that Evacuation Warnings should prompt discussions about whether students should attend school. He stated that the Community Brigade is sanctioned by LACoFD and that interested individuals or communities must complete the process to become Community Brigade members.

Community Services Liaison Currier added that she could look into incorporating Community Brigade Statistics into the LACoFD's annual report due to that organization being under LACoFD.

Marine Battalion Chief Power reported on LA County Beach statistics for the previous year. He added that their Area of Responsibility is from the Ventura/Los Angeles County line to Marina Del Rey. He added that the attendance rate is on par with last year's numbers with attendance estimated to be around eight million visitors on the beaches. He reported that there were zero drownings reported during guarded hours and added that it is a luxury to have LASD readily available. Bay Watch boat has been lost at sea but recovered and is placed in Safe Harbor in Marina Del Rey.

Chief Power added that if there is a need for a response, from a Bay Watch vessel, there will be a delay in response times from Marina del Rey.

Chair Spiegel opened the floor to public comment.

Speakers: Ryan Embree and Jo Drummond.

As there were no other speakers present, Chair Spiegel returned the matter to the table for discussion.

Commissioner Aria thanked Sergeant Soderlund and inquired if the drones have heat sensors. She also inquired about how residents could register their cameras on the Station's camera registry and asked if the Real-Time Watch Center is in City limits.

Sergeant Soderlund stated that the Real-Time Watch Center is located at the Malibu/Lost Hills Sheriff's Station.

Commissioner Aria inquired of Assistant Fire Chief Smith regarding the number of fire engines currently assigned within the City limits. She also asked whether there are specific requirements for the siting and development of a new fire station and whether a vacant or fire-damaged parcel could potentially be utilized.

Assistant Fire Chief Smith responded that LACoFD maintains four fire engines in Malibu, with one engine assigned to each of the City's four fire stations. He stated that the Department is open to evaluating a variety of potential sites but noted that a property near the intersection of Pacific Coast Highway and Malibu Canyon Road would be ideal due to its central location and operational advantages.

Vice Chair Merrick inquired about the amount of land necessary to accommodate a new fire station.

Assistant Fire Chief Smith stated that the Department's preferred facility would be located on approximately two acres and would include multipurpose space capable of supporting administrative operations, training activities, community meetings, and the staging of engine companies and other emergency resources. He added that an ideal facility would also include a helipad to support aerial operations and emergency response coordination. When asked about the minimum size required, he responded that approximately one acre would be sufficient for a new facility.

Chair Spiegel suggested that the former courthouse property could potentially be considered as a future fire station site where Assistant Fire Chief Smith responded that the Department would be willing to evaluate any viable property that meets operational requirements and community needs.

Vice Chair Merrick next inquired about current staffing levels within the fire stations. He also expressed concern about the significant number of medical calls associated

with treatment facilities and questioned whether additional permitting requirements or funding mechanisms should be considered to offset the demand placed on public safety resources. He also asked whether additional personnel and equipment had been pre-deployed in advance of the recent Palisades fire event.

Assistant Fire Chief Smith reported that approximately 17 firefighters are on duty at any given time across the City's four fire stations. He explained that treatment facilities are expected to maintain adequate staffing and medical oversight, including designated medical directors, and are responsible for managing their operations that it minimizes unnecessary impacts on emergency responses. He stated that, during periods of elevated fire danger, the Department's strategy is to enhance its operational footprint by increasing staffing levels, strategically placing resources in high-risk areas, and pre-deploying additional units.

Vice Chair Merrick inquired whether the Lifeguards are staffed with paramedics.

Assistant Fire Chief Smith confirmed that lifeguards include paramedic personnel and work closely with Fire Department resources during emergency incidents. He explained that, while lifeguards routinely respond to emergencies encountered within their patrol areas, they are generally not dispatched directly to specific street addresses in the same manner as fire or ambulance units.

Vice Chair Merrick commented on the wildfire risk associated with the Zuma Canyon area, noting that it has not experienced a significant fire in many years and suggesting that a future fire in the area could result in substantial impacts due to accumulated vegetation and fuel loading. He also further inquired whether native vegetation is more or less flammable than non-native invasive species.

Assistant Fire Chief Smith acknowledged the concern and agreed that areas with significant fuel accumulation may pose heightened wildfire risks. He explained that wildfire behavior is influenced by a variety of factors, including vegetation type, moisture content, fuel loading, weather conditions, and topography, and that both native and non-native vegetation can contribute to fire intensity under certain circumstances. He also noted that the cause of the Franklin Fire remains under investigation and has not yet been determined.

Vice Chair Merrick inquired Sergeant Soderlund whether the City has limitations when selecting locations for DUI checkpoints. He stated that he had received complaints from residents who believe such checkpoints affect Malibu residents returning home rather than targeting drivers entering the community.

Sergeant Soderlund responded that the answer was both yes and no, explaining that DUI checkpoint locations are subject to operational requirements and must provide sufficient space for vehicle screening, officer safety, traffic control, and the movement and parking of vehicles. He noted that these site requirements can limit the number of suitable locations available within Malibu.

Chair Spiegel inquired whether funding is available within the City's budget to support another Sheriff's patrol vehicle for the City.

Commissioner Aria left the meeting at 6:53 PM.

Vice Chair Merrick inquired about the status of the Lifeguard Division's Bay Watch vessel and asked how long it had been absent from Malibu. He asked if the relocation was the result of an inability to secure a safe mooring location within the area.

Marine Battalion Chief Power responded that the vessel had been relocated for approximately two weeks. He explained that the decision was based on concerns regarding vessel damage during adverse weather conditions and the potential risk of the vessel breaking free or being lost at sea. He stated that leaving the vessel offshore without adequate protection presented significant challenges.

Assistant Fire Chief Smith added that Bay Watch vessels have also been subject to theft-related concerns in the past, which further factors into the decision made.

Vice Chair Merrick expressed concern about the Bay Watch vessel no longer stationed within the City and emphasized the importance of making the public and City officials aware that the vessel is currently based in Marina del Rey.

Marine Battalion Chief Power explained that vessel relocation decision was driven by established weather and operational thresholds. He noted that certain weather patterns, particularly southerly wind events and unfavorable ocean conditions, may require the vessel to be relocated to Marina del Rey to ensure the safety of both personnel and equipment while maintaining operational readiness.

Vice Chair Merrick stated that he would like the City to further discuss the long-term impacts of not having the Bay Watch vessel permanently based in Malibu and explore potential solutions to improve local deployment capabilities.

Chair Spiegel inquired whether the Lifeguard Division had been coordinating with the U.S. Coast Guard regarding potential mooring opportunities. He encouraged staff to continue exploring options for a suitable and secure mooring location that would allow the Bay Watch vessel to remain based closer to Malibu while balancing operational, safety, and security considerations.

Commissioner Aria re-entered the meeting at 7:00 PM

Vice Chair Merrick inquired about how many Bay Watch vessels the Lifeguards have currently in operation.

Marine Battalion Chief Power stated that they currently have six to eight Bay Watch vessels in operations currently.

Commissioner Aria inquired about what is the percentage of Lifeguards interacting with unhoused individuals.

Marine Battalion Chief Power stated that most interactions were at Surfrider Beach and added that the unhoused individuals at Surfrider had made threats to Lifeguards stationed there. He added that the Lifeguards were relocated due to the threats they have received to another Lifeguard Station.

B. 2025 Summer Beach Enforcement Operation Summary

Recommended Action: Discuss the summer's beach enforcement activities and receive and file a summary report of the 2025 Summer Beach Enforcement Operation.

Sergeant Soderlund highlighted several notable statistics contained in the Lifeguard Division's report, including that approximately 96,000 beach visitors were advised or educated by Lifeguards regarding applicable laws, regulations, and safety requirements during the reporting period. He noted that the City funds the seasonal Beach Team program, which plays a critical role in supporting public safety efforts along Malibu's coastline. He explained that Beach Team enforcement activities primarily focus on alcohol-related violations to help prevent impaired driving and other public safety issues. He added that team members also address a variety of ancillary violations, including smoking on the beach, dogs in prohibited areas, parking violations, and other municipal and county code infractions. He further stated that enforcement efforts include vehicle towing when necessary to maintain access to designated emergency routes, fire lanes, and other areas that must remain clear for public safety purposes. In addition, Sergeant Soderlund reported that illegal vending remains a recurring issue at Malibu beaches. He stated that Beach Team personnel continue to prioritize enforcement related to unauthorized commercial activity, which helps improve visitor safety, protect public access, and reduce the presence of unlawful vendors on the beaches. Overall, he emphasized that the Beach Team's proactive enforcement and public education efforts contribute significantly to maintaining a safe and orderly environment for residents and visitors alike.

Chair Spiegel opened the floor to public comment.

Speakers: Ryan Embree.

As there were no other speakers present, Chair Spiegel returned the matter to the table for discussion.

Vice Chair Merrick inquired Sergeant Soderlund if there are more or less beach team members this year compared to last year. He also asked if there were any gang activities or assaults that occurred.

Sergeant Soderlund stated that this year's number of Beach Team members were less than last years and stated that there was no gang activity in the area and that there was only one assault to a Lifeguard but added that it occurred due to alcohol. He added that if there were no Beach Team Deputies, a regular patrol Deputy would have to be taken from patrol to respond to the call.

Chair Spiegel praised Sergeant Soderlund and the Beach Team for their work and added that it is a necessity in the City and hopes that other cities see the benefit.

Commissioner Aria inquired if it is possible to have DUI Checkpoints around the beaches.

Sergeant Soderlund stated that they could but noted that it might cause traffic jams on PCH and the surrounding areas.

The Commission received and filed a summary report of the 2025 Summer Beach Enforcement Operation.

C. Public Safety Agency Monthly Activity Report

Recommended Action: Discuss recent Public Safety Agency activities and receive and file the monthly activity reports for August 2025 and September 2025 from the Los Angeles County Fire Department's Lifeguard Division, and for September 2025 from the California Highway Patrol, the Los Angeles County Fire Department, and the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department.

Sergeant Soderlund stated that his report was given during Item 5.A but reported a notable incident that occurred on October 24 where Deputies found an unhoused individual with a half-drunk rum bottle. He stated that the individual was arrested for public intoxication.

Malibu VOP Team Leader Russo provided an update on the Volunteers on Patrol (VOP) program, reporting that the team currently consists of approximately 20 active members who provide volunteer support throughout the City on a weekly basis. He stated that the team makes every effort to maintain weekend coverage and is also available to assist during overnight hours, with volunteers responding to incidents and public safety needs as late as 10:00 p.m. through 3:00 a.m. He highlighted the VOP program's continued support of law enforcement operations, including assistance during a recent DUI checkpoint and support provided to LASD personnel during a vehicle-versus-pedestrian incident. He reported that VOP members have contributed nearly 6,000 volunteer service hours year-to-date and have issued approximately 7,000 parking citations, adding that the VOP program plays an important role in supplementing public safety operations by handling parking enforcement responsibilities, which allows Parking Enforcement Team and LASD personnel to focus on other patrol and enforcement duties. He also noted that VOP members assisted with traffic and event operations during the Malibu Run marathon. Regarding

fleet operations, he reported that they have all of the vehicles; however, two vehicles are scheduled to enter the County's fleet yard for maintenance. He added that staff continue to work on the bailment agreements. He further reported that, since the Woolsey Fire, VOP members have increasingly found themselves operating in and around emergency fire-related environments while assisting during incidents. In response to these evolving responsibilities, he stated that he and two additional VOP members recently enrolled in a Wildland Firefighting III training course in coordination with local Community Brigade programs. The training commenced the previous weekend and is intended to enhance their understanding of wildfire operations, improve situational awareness during emergencies, and strengthen coordination with public safety partners during future disaster response efforts.

Chair Spiegel opened the floor to public comment.

Speakers: Ryan Embree.

As there were no other speakers present, Chair Spiegel returned the matter to the table for discussion.

Commissioner Aria inquired Sergeant Soderlund if the occupants of the car that drove off on Sunday are okay.

Sergeant Soderlund stated that he is unsure at this time due to no further information from the investigation.

The Commission received and filed the monthly activity reports for August 2025 and September 2025 from the Los Angeles County Fire Department's Lifeguard Division, and for September 2025 from the California Highway Patrol, the Los Angeles County Fire Department, and the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department.

D. Homeless Services Monthly Report

Recommended Action: Discuss recent homeless services activities and receive and file the monthly report for September 2025 from The People Concern.

Senior Management Analyst Flores presented the staff report.

Chair Spiegel opened the floor to public comment.

Speakers: Anne Komarovsk.

As there were no other speakers present, Chair Spiegel returned the matter to the table for discussion.

Vice Chair Merrick inquired to Senior Management Analyst Flores if there is anything that the Los Angeles Sheriff's Department or the City needs to keep the unhoused out of burned-out properties, adding the possibility of Letter of Agencies.

Senior Management Analyst Flores stated that it would be crucial, but receiving a Letter of Agency from the homeowners would be beneficial to abate the issues on burned out properties.

The Commission received and filed the monthly report for September 2025 from The People Concern.

E. Parking Enforcement Monthly Report

Recommended Action: Discuss recent parking enforcement activities and receive and file the monthly report for September 2025 from the LAZ Parking Enforcement Team.

Senior Management Analyst Flores presented the staff report.

Chair Spiegel opened the floor to public comment.

Speakers: Anne Komarovsk.

As there were no other speakers present, Chair Spiegel returned the matter to the table for discussion.

The Commission received and filed the monthly report for September 2025 from the LAZ Parking Enforcement Team.

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Spiegel adjourned the meeting at 7:25 p.m., with Commissioners Frost and Gibbs absent.

Approved and adopted by the Public Safety Commission of the City of Malibu on August 5, 2026.

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JOSHUA SPIEGEL, Chair

ATTEST:

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NOAH TYLER U. TABBAY, Recording Secretary

MINUTES
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION
SPECIAL MEETING
JANUARY 14, 2025
MALIBU CITY HALL – MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM
5:00 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Spiegel called the meeting to order at 5:04 p.m.

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT: Chair Joshua Spiegel; Vice Chair Brian Merrick; Commissioners Alexis Aria, Chris Frost, and Keegan Gibbs; and Ex-Officio Member Woodworth.

ALSO PRESENT: Susan Dueñas, Public Safety Director; Tyler Eaton, Deputy Community Development Director; Sarah Flores, Emergency Services Coordinator; Luis Flores, Senior Management Analyst; Sergeant Christopher Soderlund, Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department; and Noah Tyler Tabbay, Administrative Assistant.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Kevin Keegan led the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

CONSENSUS

By consensus, the Commission moved to approve the agenda, hearing Item No. 5.A. after Item No. 2.A.

REPORT ON POSTING OF AGENDA

Administrative Assistant Tabbay reported that the agenda for the meeting was properly posted on January 2, 2026.

ITEM 1 CEREMONIAL / PRESENTATIONS

None.

ITEM 2.A. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Kevin Keegan inquired if the City staff has been able to test the Emergency Alert System (EAS) pilot test, more specifically the Alert FM, radios, or the mobile siren in neighborhoods; if not, when would those systems be tested and if Richard Garvey has been involved with the pilot tests. He inquired about the emergency evacuation plan update and if there is a follow up tabletop exercise with school officials. He reported that the Pacific Coast Highway (PCH) quick-build roundabout project, led by the City's Public Works Department, has been appealed and is expected to be considered by the

City Council on either January 26 or February 9. He expressed concern regarding the potential impacts of the project on traffic safety and emergency evacuation operations along PCH. He stated that emergency response agencies were not represented during the City's Planning Commission's meeting to discuss the project in December and emphasized the importance of obtaining input from public safety professionals regarding the proposal. He requested that representatives from the Los Angeles County Fire Department (LACoFD) and the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department (LASD) attend the City Council hearing on the appeal to provide expertise and respond to questions related to traffic safety, emergency access, and evacuation procedures along the PCH corridor. He stated that as a part of his role on the City's Public Works Commission, he is working with Public Works Director Rob BuBoux on a comprehensive review of the regional water system and the $200 million project that LA County and Waterworks District 29 has proposed. He noted the emergency response water supply system failure during the Palisades Fire. He stated that there is great interest from the community in reassessing the design of the water resilience system and the wildland urban interface within their neighborhoods. He has requested that the City's Public Safety Department (Public Safety) and the Commission agendize the topic for a future meeting in 2026. He stated that the Malibu/Lost Hills Sheriff's Station is expanding the drone systema and has established a camera registry system, but he noted that there is no public discussion or debate regarding the increased risk of surveillance with the expansion of the cameras and AI supported monitoring, tracking, and profiling systems. He is asking for the Public Safety and the Commission to organize a special technology subcommittee in 2026 to assess technology adoption trends and report on the current risks to citizen's constitutional rights to be secure in their houses. He mentioned that the School Resource Officer (SRO) program is off with a very positive start and noted that efforts of the schools, Public Safety, and the community to get the program started. He inquired if a year two plan has been started for the SRO program and if it is possible to share an update of the SRO program with the City Council and one of their regular meetings before the end of the school year.

Georgia Goldfarb states that she does not support the roundabout projects since she is questioning their effectiveness, especially during evacuations where the roundabout could impede in the evacuation operations. She states that the City could consider slowing down development due to the City being in a Wildland Urban Interface (WUI) and being in a susceptible area for wildfires. She states that with the undergrounding project, she has found that the transformers would not be undergrounded. She added that oil-based transformers are more susceptible to fires and have toxins that can leak out or burn. She stated that we could ask for dry transformers, though they are more expensive than the current oil-based ones. She is requesting the transformers to not be at the point of egress to an area, even if they are underground. In the topic of home hardening, she states that based on a study, the three critical elements of home hardening are dual pane windows, vent covers, and boxed eaves. She adds that she is in support of grants, no interest loans, exterior water sprinklers, the removal of invasive grass types, micro grids.

ITEM 2.B. STAFF COMMENTS

Public Safety Director Dueñas updates regarding the General Plan Safety Element Update and the City's Speed Safety Camera Program. She reported that staff are currently conducting interviews to select a vendor for the speed camera system and anticipates executing a contract within the coming month. She explained that, once a contract is awarded, implementation is expected to take approximately 100 days before the system becomes operational. She stated that the program will initially enter a warning phase before citations are issued and noted that staff are working toward having the system operational by Memorial Day, with full implementation anticipated during the summer months. She stated that the City remains on track with implementation efforts and noted that several California jurisdictions began similar programs earlier, including San Francisco and Oakland. She further reported that, despite staffing and resource constraints, staff has continued to advance the program and remains on schedule to meet project milestones. She also provided an update on the City's evacuation plan update. She reported that a community survey is currently available and encouraged residents to provide feedback. She explained that the next phase of the project will involve preparing a draft evacuation plan and conducting an exercise with agency partners to evaluate and refine the draft before public release. She states that following the exercise process, staff plans to hold community meetings to gather additional public input and familiarize residents with the proposed evacuation strategies and procedures. She stated that staff intends to incorporate feedback from both agency partners and community stakeholders prior to finalizing the updated plan. She also stated that the speed safety camera program and evacuation plan update are currently among the department's primary initiatives.

Emergency Services Coordinator Flores reported that the City's After-Action Report has recently been completed and is undergoing a final review by City management. She stated that the report is expected to be released to the public in the near future. She provided an update on the Evacuation Plan Update and announced that a community workshop is scheduled for March 11, 2026, from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers to gather public input and feedback. She further stated that a tabletop exercise with agency partners is scheduled for March 12 to evaluate and refine the draft evacuation plan. She also reported that staff have been actively preparing for Emergency Operations Center (EOC) activations and explained that, following the Palisades Fire, several modifications were made to the EOC. She noted that upcoming training efforts will focus on familiarizing City staff with the operational changes and updated activation protocols.

Senior Management Analyst Flores reported that the City's annual homeless count is scheduled for the following Thursday, with staff and volunteers meeting at City Hall before deploying throughout assigned census tracts across Malibu to conduct the count. He also provided an update on the security services contract for Legacy Park and Bluffs Park and stated that the program has been operating successfully since its implementation in early December and that security personnel continue to work in coordination with the LASD, City staff, and the outreach team. He explained that security personnel report incidents requiring LASD involvement and maintain regular patrols at both parks. He noted that staff may explore potential expansion of the contract or a future competitive procurement process, consistent with City Council's direction. Regarding homeless outreach services efforts, he reported that 44 homeless encampments were cleared during

the previous year and that 46 individuals were successfully placed into housing. He commended the outreach team for its continued efforts. He provided an update on parking enforcement activities, reporting positive program performance and noting that parking enforcement operations continue to generate significant activity and revenue through the issuance of citations and related enforcement efforts.

ITEM 2.C. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS

Commissioner Gibbs thanked Public Safety and the Commission for allowing him to be a part of a greater opportunity. AT this time, Commission Gibbs stated that this meeting is his last meeting, indicating his Commission resignment.

Commissioner Aria reported that several parents in the Point Dume area had expressed concerns regarding traffic enforcement and the issuance of speeding citations near schools. She noted that law enforcement presence and traffic controls in the area are intended to enhance the safety of children and pedestrians. She also relayed concerns from female employees of Ralph's store who reportedly feel unsafe walking to their vehicles late at night due to inadequate lighting in the parking lot. She stated that residents have requested the City explore opportunities to improve lighting conditions in the area to enhance public safety. She further reported receiving correspondence regarding several incidents of insurance fraud and noted concerns that such activity may negatively affect individuals who rely on insurance coverage during times of need. She stated that she had also received complaints regarding littering at local gas stations, specifically that motorists are leaving trash on the ground rather than disposing of it in trash cans and has encouraged enforcement of the littering law. Additionally, she expressed concerns regarding brush clearance around the Smith property, located near Civic Center and Webb Way, noting that dry conditions, accumulated vegetation, and large tumbleweeds in the area present a potential fire hazard due to the property being so close to surrounding buildings. She stated previous fire activity in the area and emphasized the importance of continued maintenance efforts. She stated that she had received correspondence from residents suggesting the City explore additional measures to deter and penalize unethical conduct related to post-disaster recovery efforts. She noted that the matter would require further legal review and policy consideration.

ITEM 3 CONSENT CALENDAR

None.

ITEM 4 OLD BUSINESS

None.

ITEM 5 NEW BUSINESS

A. General Plan Safety Element Update

Recommended Action: 1) Receive a presentation on the draft update to the Safety Element of the General Plan, and 2) Provide feedback for consideration.

Susan presented the Staff report.

Chair Spiegel opened the floor to public comment.

Speakers: Councilmember Steve Uhring, Lucile Keller, and Art Kelly.

As there were no other speakers present, Chair Spiegel returned the matter to the table for discussion.

The Commission discussed the matter and directed questions to staff.

B. Public Safety Agency Monthly Activity Report

Recommended Action: Discuss recent Public Safety Agency activities and receive and file the monthly activity reports for October and November 2025 from the California Highway Patrol, the Los Angeles County Fire Department, the Los Angeles County Fire Department's Lifeguard Division, and the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department.

Susan presented the Staff report.

Malibu VOP Team Leader Russo presented on the Malibu VOP program updates.

Sergeant Soderlund presented the previous month's crime statistics report and notable incidents.

Chair Spiegel opened the floor to public comments. As there were no speakers present, Chair Spiegel returned the matter to the table for discussion.

The Commission discussed the matter and directed questions to staff, Sergeant Soderlund, and Mark Russo.

The Commission received and filed the monthly activity reports for October and November 2025 from the California Highway Patrol, the Los Angeles County Fire Department, the Los Angeles County Fire Department's Lifeguard Division, and the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department.

C. Homeless Services Monthly Report

Recommended Action: Discuss recent homeless services activities and receive and file the monthly report for October and November 2025 from The People Concern.

Luis presented the Staff report.

Chair Spiegel opened the floor to public comments. As there were no speakers present, Chair Spiegel returned the matter to the table for discussion.

The Commission discussed the matter and directed questions to staff.

The Commission received and filed the monthly report for October and November 2025 from The People Concern.

D. Parking Enforcement Monthly Report

Recommended Action: Discuss recent parking enforcement activities and receive and file the monthly report for October and November 2025 from the LAZ Parking Enforcement Team.

Luis presented the Staff report.

Chair Spiegel opened the floor to public comments. As there were no speakers present, Chair Spiegel returned the matter to the table for discussion.

The Commission discussed the matter and directed questions to staff.

The Commission received and filed the monthly report for October and November 2025 from the LAZ Parking Enforcement Team.

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Spiegel adjourned the meeting at 7:17 p.m.

Approved and adopted by the Public Safety Commission of the City of Malibu on August 5, 2026.

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JOSHUA SPIEGEL, Chair

ATTEST:

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NOAH TYLER U. TABBAY, Recording Secretary

MINUTES
PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
FEBRUARY 4, 2025
MALIBU CITY HALL – MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM
5:00 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Spiegel called the meeting to order at 5:03 p.m.

ROLL CALL

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

PRESENT: Chair Joshua Spiegel; Vice Chair Brian Merrick; Commissioner; Alexis Aria; and Ex-Officio Member Woodworth.

ABSENT: Commissioner Chris Frost.

ALSO PRESENT: Susan Dueñas, Public Safety Director; Tyler Eaton, Deputy Community Development Director; Sarah Flores, Emergency Services Coordinator; Luis Flores, Senior Management Analyst; Bradley Yocum, Fire Safety Liaison; Sergeant Christopher Soderlund, Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department; Mark Russo, Malibu VOP Team Leader; and Noah Tyler Tabbay, Administrative Assistant.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Tracy Weirick led the Pledge of Allegiance.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION Vice Chair Merrick moved, and Commissioner Aria seconded a motion to approve the agenda. The question was called and the motion carried 3-0, with Commissioner Frost absent.

REPORT ON POSTING OF AGENDA

Administrative Assistant Tabbay reported that the agenda for the meeting was properly posted on January 29, 2026.

ITEM 1 CEREMONIAL / PRESENTATIONS

None.

ITEM 2.A. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Tracy Weirick, HOA Manager for the Malibu West Beach Club and the Malibu West Fire Safe Council, announced the launch of the Malibu Ready app in partnership with the City of Calabasas. She explained that the app provides preparedness information and resources and is not intended to serve as an emergency alert or response system. The app includes

information on earthquakes, power outages, wildfires, home hardening, emergency supplies, and Neighborhood Watch programs. She stated that future updates may include Firewise community-specific resources. She also announced that a Wise and Ready event will be held on March 5 at noon to assist residents with downloading and using the app. The event is open to all community members, and personnel from Fire Station 70 are expected to attend and distribute weather radios. Ms. Weirick thanked Public Safety Director Dueñas for reviewing the app and noted that feedback and suggestions from the community are welcome.

Anne Komarovsk addressed the Commission. She stated that she had been informed earlier that day by the Los Angeles County Registrar that she had obtained sufficient signatures to qualify for the June primary ballot for 2026 California Governor election and noted that her campaign efforts began in August and September. She identified herself as a nonpartisan gubernatorial candidate. Ms. Komarovsk also spoke regarding a proposed fire watch radio program, which would involve installing alert devices in new residential construction at an estimated additional cost of $24 per home. She described the devices as similar to smoke detectors, capable of receiving alerts through satellite or cellular networks and providing notifications via a phone or display. Additionally, if elected, she suggested a four-year suspension of vehicle registration fees as a measure to address broader issues referenced on the agenda. She expressed concern about recent traffic-related fatalities within the community and urged that such incidents be discussed openly, noting the limitations of relying solely on prior Sheriff's reports and emphasizing the immediacy of current public safety concerns.

Kevin Keegan provided an update regarding the School Resource Officer (SRO) program. He stated that a lack of information can lead to misinformation and noted the importance of the SRO's service to all Malibu schools, highlighting the relationships established with each campus through ongoing engagement. Mr. Keegan extended gratitude to Chair Spiegel on his comments at the last Commission meeting regarding having the school principals participate in the City Evacuation Plan Update tabletop exercise. He also referenced the City Council's 2025 direction to the City's Public Safety Department (Public Safety) to conduct a citywide public warning test. He noted that the Public Works Department (PWD) has identified telecommunications as a 2026 priority and recommended that the Commission and Public Safety complete the pilot test before presenting the matter to the City Council for consideration.

ITEM 2.B. STAFF COMMENTS

Public Safety Director Dueñas provided an update on Alert FM, noting the leadership changes, related costs, and the City's continued communication with the vendor while awaiting for the new City Manager. She reported that the mid-year budget review is scheduled for February 18, and that the After-Action Report will be included with the February 18 City Council meeting agenda, with a presentation to the Commission anticipated at its next meeting. She further reported that the Safety Element is scheduled to be considered by the Planning Commission next month. Director Dueñas noted that Commissioner Frost was absent due to a medical emergency and will be recognized by

the City Council on Monday. She also reported that staff are finalizing a contract with the vendor for speed cameras, with the contract expected to go to the City Council in March.

Emergency Services Coordinator Flores reported that in January, Public Safety conducted Emergency Operations Center (EOC) training for City staff regarding EOC procedures and recent updates. She further reported that the City has received a draft agreement from the City of Los Angeles regarding the mobile siren trailers, which is currently under review by the City Attorney, and stated that staff is working to secure indoor storage for the sirens and will continue to provide updates to the Commission.

Senior Management Analyst Flores reported that the bid for Park Security Services remains open and stated that it is scheduled to close later this month. He also reported that the City recently conducted the Homeless Count with the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA) with preliminary results showing 44 individuals within the City, the lowest count recorded since the City began participating, and noted the strong coordination involved.

Fire Safety Liaison Yocum provided an update on the Firewise communities, reporting that 13 communities remain in good standing and that six additional communities are in the application queue, including Malibu Colony. He reported that Home Wildfire Assessments (HWAs) are being offered to homeowners' associations and communities through Firewise meetings. He further reported that recent rainfall has contributed to favorable Live Fuel Moisture (LFM) levels, with the current level at 166 percent and is trending upward, but he noted that continued drying could create future fire concerns. He encouraged homeowners to complete Home Wildfire Assessments, noting that 740 HWAs are not enough, and added that a Firewise PowerPoint presentation is available with links and information on how to sign up for HWAs.

ITEM 2.C. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS

Vice Chair Merrick requested staff to start developing a parking app that would inform the public where parking is available. He stated that relying on ticketing alone would not resolve parking issues and could create additional concerns with the Coastal Commission. He noted that he raised the issue for approximately 1,460 days, which includes his time on the Public Works Commission, and expressed frustration that prior discussions have not resulted in progress. He urged the City to move forward a parking app solution.

Ex-Officio Member Woodworth stated that he would like to review the After-Action Report and emphasized the importance of ensuring such reports are honest, transparent, and complete, regardless of whether the findings are favorable or unfavorable. He referenced past concerns with redacted reports following the Woolsey Fire and noted that transparency was a key reason the independent Catalyst for Change report was issued. He also commended the City of Calabasas for distributing handheld radios to residents as an additional communication tool for disaster preparedness, noting that the effectiveness of the handheld radios is dependent on the terrain and network repeater availability. He further reported that four newer Community Fire Brigade trucks are equipped with

synchronized, high-decibel public announcement (PA) systems capable of broadcasting evacuation messages simultaneously across different areas, providing another tool to notify residents during emergencies.

Chair Spiegel requested that a Public Works representative attend a future meeting to provide updates and answer questions regarding projects affecting public safety in the City, including the timeline for Pacific Coast Highway (PCH) repairs, SCE circuit undergrounding work along PCH, the Zuma underpass, and the traffic signal synchronization project. He noted that although the signal synchronization project had become operational, it did not appear to be significantly improving traffic conditions. He also asked for clarification regarding indoor storage requirements for the mobile siren trailers, including whether a CONEX or similar shipping container could be used.

Commissioner Aria expressed concern regarding the long-standing safety issues on Malibu Canyon Road, noting that fatal collisions have occurred over many years. She adds that she has advocated for the installation of guardrails, K-rails, and other roadway safety improvements where feasible, and urged continued coordination among the multiple jurisdictions that are responsible for the canyon passages. She also encouraged the City and partner agencies to pursue safety enhancements on canyon roads, citing recent fatal incidents, including one on Decker Canyon Road. Commissioner Aria stated that preventing fatalities should remain a priority and emphasized the importance of identifying and addressing hazardous roadway conditions. She raised concerns regarding reports of individuals allegedly associated with the Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps (IRGC) residing in Malibu. Commissioner Aria also reported that residents continue to request additional evacuation options, including marine-based evacuation routes utilizing small vessels, larger boats, or ferries. She encouraged the consideration of evacuation alternatives and measures to strengthen community preparedness and emergency response capabilities.

ITEM 3 CONSENT CALENDAR

None.

ITEM 4 OLD BUSINESS

None.

ITEM 5 NEW BUSINESS

A. Parking Enforcement Service Level Review

Recommended Action: 1) Receive a report on the City's parking enforcement service level, and 2) Provide feedback and recommendations on any service level changes prior to a proposed contract renewal, if appropriate.

Luis presented the Staff report.

Ervin Sanchez, Supervisor for the Malibu LAZ Parking Enforcement team, presented the team's progress and performance comparisons to other City contracts that LAZ currently operates in.

Chair Spiegel opened the floor to public comment.

Speakers: Anne Komarovsk.

As there were no other speakers present, Chair Spiegel returned the matter to the table for discussion.

The Commission discussed the matter and directed questions to staff and LAZ Parking.

MOTION Chair Spiegel moved to recommend adding another full time LAZ Parking Enforcement Officer for year-round and to add two additional part-time Parking Enforcement Officer during the peak seasons from Memorial Day to Labor Day.

The motion died on the floor due to a lack of a second.

CONSENSUS By consensus, the Commission recommends adding another full-time LAZ Parking Enforcement Officer for year-round operations and adding an additional part-time/ seasonal Parking Enforcement Officer for hybrid operations of parking enforcement and towing operations during the peak seasons from Memorial Day to Labor Day.

B. Public Safety Agency Monthly Activity Report

Recommended Action: Discuss recent Public Safety Agency activities and receive and file the monthly activity reports for December 2025 from the California Highway Patrol, the Los Angeles County Fire Department, the Los Angeles County Fire Department's Lifeguard Division, and the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department.

Susan presented the Staff report.

Malibu VOP Team Leader Russo presented on the Malibu VOP program updates.

Sergeant Soderlund presented the previous month's crime statistics report and notable incidents.

Chair Spiegel opened the floor to public comment.

Speakers: Anne Komarovsk and Jo Drummond.

As there were no other speakers present, Chair Spiegel returned the matter to the table for discussion.

The Commission discussed the matter and directed questions to staff, Sergeant Soderlund, and Mark Russo.

The Commission received and filed the monthly activity reports for December 2025 from the California Highway Patrol, the Los Angeles County Fire Department, the Los Angeles County Fire Department's Lifeguard Division, and the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department.

C. Homeless Services Monthly Report

Recommended Action: Discuss recent homeless services activities and receive and file the monthly report for December 2025 from The People Concern.

Luis presented the Staff report.

Chair Spiegel opened the floor to public comment.

Speakers: Anne Komarovsk.

As there were no other speakers present, Chair Spiegel returned the matter to the table for discussion.

The Commission discussed the matter and directed questions to staff.

The Commission received and filed the monthly report for December 2025 from The People Concern.

D. Parking Enforcement Monthly Report

Recommended Action: Discuss recent parking enforcement activities and receive and file the monthly report for December 2025 from the LAZ Parking Enforcement Team.

Luis presented the Staff report.

Chair Spiegel opened the floor to public comments. As there were no speakers present, Chair Spiegel returned the matter to the table for discussion.

The Commission discussed the matter and directed questions to staff and LAZ Parking.

The Commission received and filed the monthly report for December 2025 from the LAZ Parking Enforcement Team.

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Spiegel adjourned the meeting at 6:46 p.m., with Commissioner Frost absent.

Approved and adopted by the Public Safety Commission of the City of Malibu on August 5, 2026.

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JOSHUA SPIEGEL, Chair

ATTEST:

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NOAH TYLER U. TABBAY, Recording Secretary

Public Safety Commission Meeting 08-05-26
Item 5.A.

Public Safety Commission Agenda Report

To: Chair Spiegel and Members of the Public Safety Commission

Prepared by: Austin Anderson, Senior Management Analyst

Approved by: Susan Dueñas, Public Safety Director

Date Prepared: July 20, 2026 Meeting Date: August 5, 2026

Subject: Proposed Wildfire Mitigation Strategies

RECOMMENDED ACTION: 1) Receive a report on proposed wildfire mitigation strategies; and 2) Provide feedback to staff; and 3) Make a recommendation to the City Council if appropriate.

DISCUSSION: To improve the City's wildfire resilience and better address vegetation that creates a fire hazard to nearby properties, staff is seeking the Commission's input on two proposed strategies: 1) adopt a local Zone Zero requirement; and, 2) strengthen the City's Nuisance Abatement Ordinance to improve the City's ability to address vegetation that poses a wildfire risk.

Zone Zero

California's wildfire regulations are established by the Board of Forestry and Fire Protection, which sets fire safety standards for high-risk fire areas. Under AB 3074 and SB 504, the Board developed Zone Zero (the ember-resistant zone), which applies to the five-foot area immediately surrounding structures. The purpose of Zone Zero is to reduce combustible materials near buildings and lower the risk of homes igniting during wildfire. The State's current proposal has shifted from the stricter regulations originally considered to an approach focused on education, outreach, and phased implementation for existing homes. While these regulations establish statewide minimum standards, cities may adopt more protective local requirements.

Because Malibu is in a Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone and has experienced devastating wildfires, staff is evaluating local Zone Zero requirements that would further reduce wildfire risk. Potential options include:

1. Adopting standards like the State's original proposal, including limits on combustible vegetation and materials within the five-foot ember-resistant zone, vegetation and tree canopy clearance from structures, removal of combustible debris, and other measures designed to reduce ignition risks around homes.
2. Implementing the requirements through a phased compliance schedule beginning in the City's highest-risk areas.
3. Incorporating Zone Zero requirements into the City's existing brush clearance and defensible space regulations.

Nuisance Abatement Code

Staff are also proposing amendments to the City's Nuisance Abatement Code (MMC Chapter 8.28) to strengthen the City's ability to address hazardous vegetation that poses a wildfire risk. Although many vegetation hazards can be addressed through existing Fire Code and annual brush clearance requirements, dangerous conditions may develop between inspections and require additional enforcement authority. Examples include:

- Accumulations of dead or dying vegetation.
- Overgrown hedges or vegetation that create continuous fuel pathways between properties.
- Significant ladder fuels.
- Trees that have deteriorated since a previous inspection and now pose a fire hazard to nearby properties.

To address these situations, staff propose adding a new subsection after Section A.4 of the Code (Attached) to classify accumulations of dead or dying vegetation and other hazardous vegetation conditions that create a fire risk to nearby properties as a public nuisance subject to abatement. This amendment would provide clearer authority to require the removal of hazardous vegetation before it contributes to wildfire spread, improving the City's ability to protect neighboring properties and public safety. It would also complement the City’s broader wildfire mitigation strategy by reducing hazardous fuel conditions before they contribute to wildfire spread.

Staff welcome the Commission’s input on the proposed Zone Zero options and the amendment to the Nuisance Abatement code.

ATTACHMENTS: MMC Ch. 8.28 NUISANCE ABATEMENT

§ 8.28.010. Nuisance defined.

A. For purposes of this chapter, a nuisance includes any one or more of the following:

1. Any activity, building, condition, development, installation, land, occupancy, structure, or use that violates the Malibu Municipal Code or the Malibu Local Coastal Program Local Implementation Plan (or any condition of any permit or license approved pursuant thereto).

2. Anything which is injurious to health or safety, or is indecent or offensive to the senses, or an obstruction to the free use of property or injurious to the stability of real property, so as to interfere with the comfortable enjoyment of life or property, or unlawfully obstructs the free passage or use, in the customary manner, of river, bay, stream, canal, or basin, or any public park or street, and which affects at the same time an entire community or neighborhood, or any considerable number of persons, although the extent of the annoyance or damage inflicted upon individuals may be unequal.

3. Any condition of property that is injurious or potentially injurious to the public health, safety, or welfare, or which is injurious or potentially injurious to adjacent properties.

4. Any accumulation or storage of trash, biohazards (including human waste), or articles of personal property on undeveloped or vacant land that creates, or creates the conditions for, a fire or safety hazard to nearby persons or properties, including, without limitation, the maintenance or storage of cooking or heating paraphernalia or equipment on undeveloped or vacant land, which facilitates activity that creates a risk of fire or otherwise creates a public health hazard.

B. Property owners and other persons in lawful possession of property shall not allow, cause, create, maintain, or permit others to allow, cause, create, or maintain property in the city in such a manner so as to create a nuisance as set forth in subsection A of this section.

C. Notwithstanding any provisions of this chapter, the city council may further define by ordinance any particular condition constituting a nuisance.

(Prior code § 4300; Ord. 453 § 4, 2019; Ord. 490 § 2, 2021)

§ 8.28.020. Duty of owner or possessor of property.

Every person who shall own or be in possession of any property, place or area within the boundaries of the city shall, at his or her own expense, maintain the property, place or area free from any nuisance.

(Prior code § 4301)

§ 8.28.030. Notice to abate nuisance.

Whenever the city council determines that a nuisance exists upon any property, place or area within the boundaries of the city, the city manager may notify in writing the owner

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or person in possession of the property, place or area to abate the nuisance within 15 days from the date of the notice. The notice shall be given by registered or certified mail addressed to the owner or person in possession of the property, place or area at his or her last known address.
(Prior code § 4302)

§ 8.28.040. Contents of notice.

The notice shall state that if the nuisance is not abated or good faith efforts towards abatement not been made to the satisfaction of the city manager within 15 days from the date thereof, a hearing shall be held before the city council to hear any protest of the owner, possessor or other interested person. The notice shall specify the time, date and place of the hearing, which shall be set for the regular meeting of the council next following the expiration of the 15 day period.
(Prior code § 4303)

§ 8.28.050. Hearing and decision.

If the nuisance is not abated or good faith efforts towards abatement have not been made within the time set forth in Section 8.28.030, the city council shall conduct a hearing at the time and place fixed in the notice at which evidence may be submitted by interested persons. Upon consideration of the evidence, the council may declare the condition to constitute a public nuisance and order the abatement thereof. The decision of the city council shall be final. The city clerk shall notify all owners and possessors of the subject property, place or area of the decision of the council.
(Prior code § 4304)

§ 8.28.060. Abatement by city—Notice of charge.

Upon failure, neglect or refusal by a person notified pursuant to Section 8.28.050, to abate a nuisance within 30 days after the date of notice, the city council is authorized to cause the abatement of the nuisance and pay for the abatement. A warrant shall be obtained prior to abating the nuisance where required by law. The city council shall notify, in writing, the owner or possessor of the property, place or area upon which a nuisance has been abated by the city, of the cost of said abatement. Such notice shall be given in the same manner as required by Section 8.28.030. The notice shall also offer the property owner the opportunity to appear before the council to protest the cost amount.
(Prior code § 4305)

§ 8.28.070. Lien.

If the total cost of the abatement of the nuisance by the city is not paid to the city in full within 10 days after the date of the notice of the cost of the abatement, or within 10 days after the council has heard a protest from the property owner, if any, and has confirmed the final cost, the city clerk shall record, in the office of the county recorder, a statement of the total balance due to the city, a legal description of the property, place or area involved, and the name of the owner or possessor concerned. From the date of such recording, the balance due will constitute a lien on the property. The lien will continue in

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full force and effect until the entire amount due, together with interest at the maximum legal rate accruing from the date of the completion of the abatement, is paid in full.
(Prior code § 4306)

§ 8.28.080. Charges to be billed on tax bill.

The city may also, in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the state of California, cause the amount due to the city by reason of its abating a nuisance together with interest at the maximum legal rate, accruing from the date of the completion of the abatement, to be charged to the owners of the property, place or area on the next regular tax bill. All laws of the state of California applicable to the levy, collection and enforcement of city taxes and county taxes are made applicable to the collection of these charges.
(Prior code §4307)

§ 8.28.090. Court action.

The city council may bring appropriate actions, in a court of competent jurisdiction, to collect any amounts due by reason of the abatement of a nuisance by the city and to foreclose any existing liens for such amounts. Notwithstanding the provisions of this chapter, the city may bring the appropriate civil and criminal actions in a court of competent jurisdiction for abatement of any nuisance existing within the city pursuant to any other provision of law.
(Prior code § 4308)

§ 8.28.100. Summary abatement.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter to the contrary, if the city manager determines that a nuisance presents a threat to the public health or safety or a danger to life or surrounding property, and there is insufficient time to follow the administrative process described in Malibu Municipal Code Section 8.28.050, the city manager may summarily abate the nuisance according to the following procedures:

A. Notice. Prior to undertaking summary abatement, the city manager or designee shall reasonably attempt to identify and contact, by telephone or otherwise, the owner, occupant, or tenant of the property to notify such person of the nuisance and to seek immediate voluntary abatement.

B. Abatement. If the city manager is unable to reasonably contact the persons specified in subsection A of this section, or if such person fails or refuses to act immediately to abate the nuisance, the city manager or designee is authorized to summarily abate the nuisance, incurring such costs as are reasonably necessary to that effort, including, but not limited to, the costs of biohazard treatment services or the costs of collecting and storing individuals' personal property.

C. Costs. Property owners and persons in legal possession of the property are jointly and severally liable for the costs of summary abatement actions taken pursuant to this section. Such costs shall be charged and collected in accordance with the methods allowed in Sections 8.28.070 through 8.28.090 of this code, or as

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otherwise provided by law.
(Prior code § 4309; Ord. 490 § 3, 2021)

§ 8.28.110. Attorney fees.

A. The prevailing party of any action, administrative proceeding, or special proceeding to abate a nuisance or to cause the abatement of a nuisance shall be entitled to recover attorney fees. Attorney fees shall not be recoverable unless the city elects in writing, at the initiation of that individual action or proceeding, to seek recovery of its own attorney fees. In no action, administrative proceeding, or special proceeding shall an award of attorney fees to a prevailing party exceed the amount of reasonable attorney fees incurred by the city in the action or proceeding.

B. Unpaid attorney fees shall be collectible in any manner allowed by law.
(Ord. 387 § 1, 2015)

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Public Safety Commission Meeting 08-05-26
Item 5.B.

Public Safety Commission Agenda Report

To: Chair Spiegel and Members of the Public Safety Commission

Approved by: Susan Dueñas, Public Safety Director

Date Prepared: July 20, 2026 Meeting Date: August 5, 2026

Subject: Public Safety Agency Monthly Activity Report

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Discuss recent Public Safety Agency activities and receive and file the monthly reports for May and June 2026 from the California Highway Patrol, the Los Angeles County Fire Department's Lifeguard Division, the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department, and the monthly reports for March, April, and May 2026 from the Los Angeles County Fire Department.

DISCUSSION: The City contracts with the County of Los Angeles for public safety services, including Sheriff, Fire, and Lifeguard services. The City also contracts with the California Highway Patrol for traffic enforcement. The monthly reports summarizing the agencies' services and activities for the months of May and June 2026 are attached.

At the time of the posting for the June 3, 2026 Regular Meeting, the Los Angeles County Fire Department was not received for the months of March, April, and May. These reports are hereby attached to this month's Staff Report.

At the time of posting, the monthly report for June 2026 from the Los Angeles County Fire Department was not received. This report will be included in the next Regular Meeting of the Public Safety Commission.

ATTACHMENTS:

1. California Highway Patrol's Enforcement Report – May and June 2026
2. County of Los Angeles Fire Department's Monthly Activity Report – March, April, and May 2026
3. County of Los Angeles Fire Department's Lifeguard Division's Monthly Activity Report – May and June 2026

4. County of Los Angeles Sheriff's Department's Year-to-Date Crime Statistic Comparisons for the City of Malibu – May and June 2026

California Highway Patrol

Malibu Task Force

MAY 1, 2026 – MAY 31, 2026 ENFORCEMENT REPORT

Violation	Number of Citations	Year to Date
Speeding citations	140	796
Speeding in excess of 100 MPH	0	7
Reckless driving	0	0
Unsafe turn or lane change	1	13
Following too close	0	14
Distracted driving	84	437
Seatbelt violations	5	74
Equipment violation citations	59	537
All other citations	4	55
TOTAL:	**293**	**1933**

California Highway Patrol

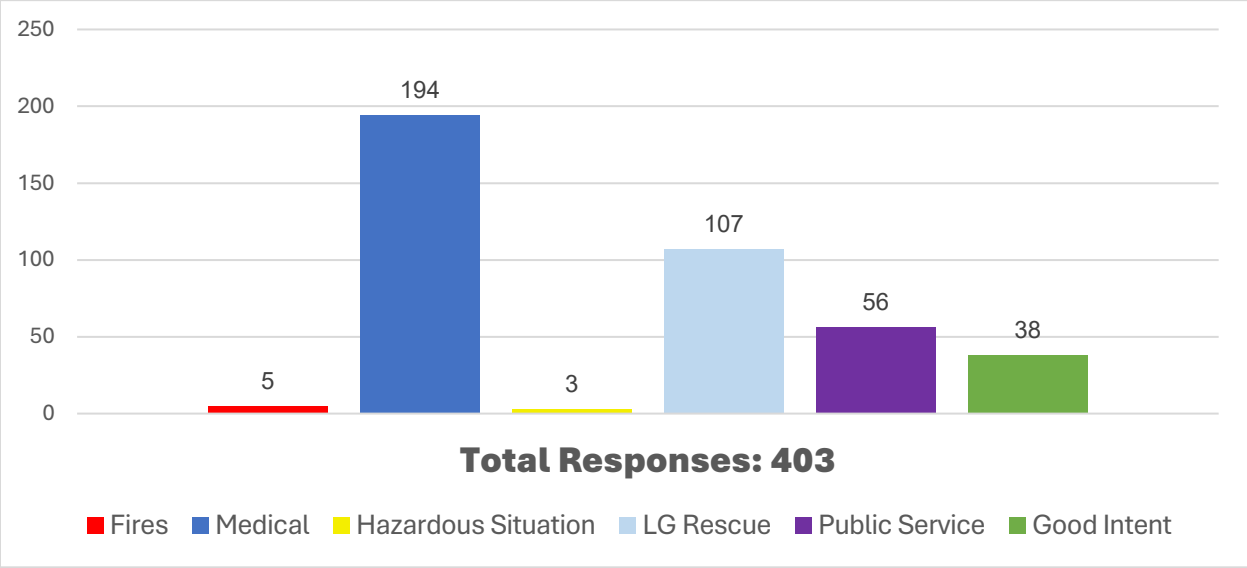
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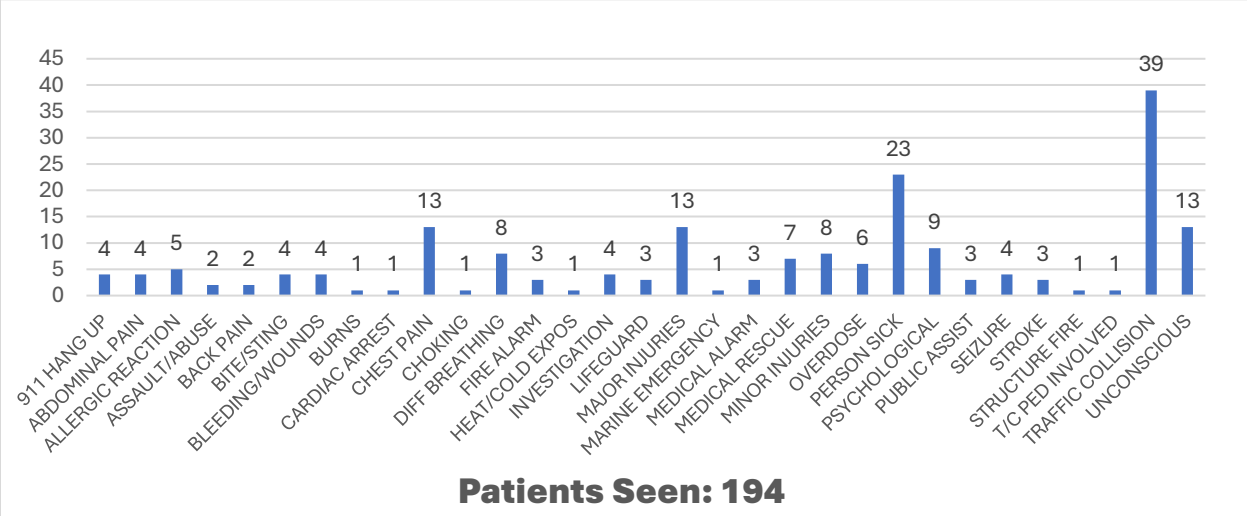
JUNE 1, 2026 – JUNE 30, 2026 ENFORCEMENT REPORT

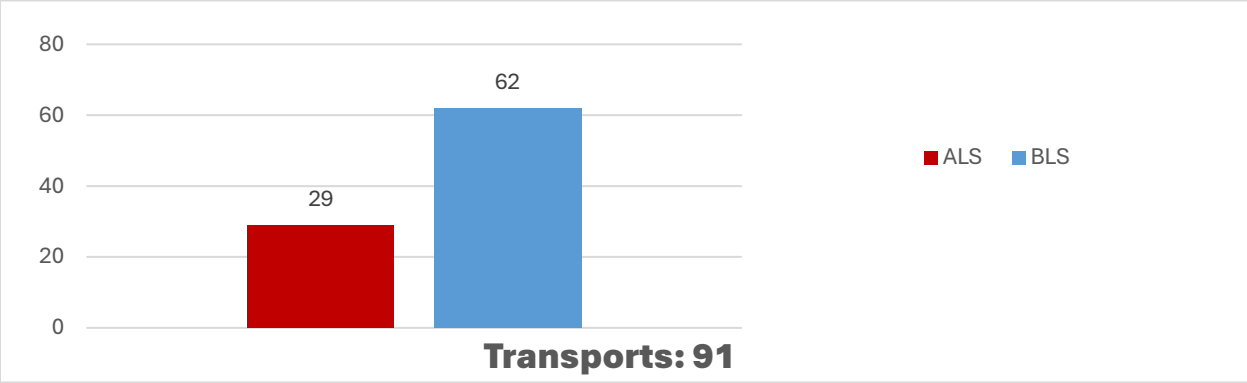
Violation	Number of Citations	Year to Date
Speeding citations	107	903
Speeding in excess of 100 MPH	0	7
Reckless driving	0	0
Unsafe turn or lane change	3	16
Following too close	0	14
Distracted driving	81	518
Seatbelt violations	6	80
Equipment violation citations	30	567
All other citations	6	61
TOTAL:	**233**	**2166**

FIRE ACTIVITY REPORT

City of Malibu | March 2026







Advanced Life Support (ALS) Transports: patient transported to hospital in ambulance with paramedic on board;
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FIRE ACTIVITY REPORT

City of Malibu | March 2026

Fire Incidents:

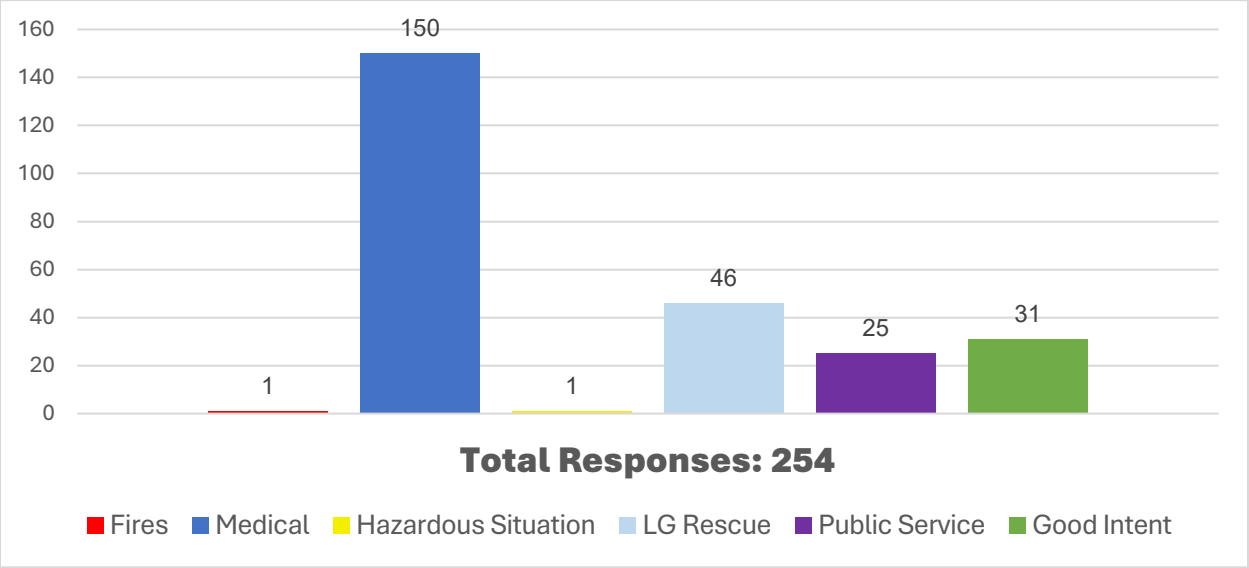
Date	Type	Address	Narrative
03/01/26	**Outside Fire**	29888 PCH	Passerby report of outdoor rubbish fire near Zuma beach parking lot entrance, Area 34 responds with LR300, nothing found after thorough search of the area.
03/07/26	**Structure Fire**	3637 WINTER CYN	During a significant wind event, FS88 was initially dispatched to a brush fire located at Winter Cyn Rd and Civic Center Way which ultimately was revealed to be two separate downed power lines within decorative vegetation, one of which caused fire damage to an LA County Public Works office building. All electronic equipment inside the building was covered with plastic sheeting and smoke was removed from the interior. SoCal Edison arrived and secured all affected power lines. SoCal Gas on scene to assess the property. Public Works Road Maintenance Superintendent onsite and advised of all circumstances. Due to significant winds, Superintendent stated he had better material to temporarily secure holes on the roof rather than the plastic sheeting the FD was going to utilize and stated he would handle. Incident concluded and comm plan released.
03/12/26	**Outside Fire**	24250 PCH	E88 arrived on scene to find a generator being tested by facility personnel, smoke was exhaust from generator during testing.
03/13/26	**Outside Fire**	29900 PCH	Trash can fire. BBQ Coals placed in can, Area 34 extinguished
03/16/26	**Structure Fire**	22541 PCH	E70 arrived on scene to find a three-story motel with nothing showing. E70 initiated investigation mode and found diapers in a small waste bin on fire near the front door. E70 extinguished fire using a water can. E70 personnel completed investigation by finding no extension to the structural members of the unit. TIC used to determine any heat within the structure and none found. Debris cleaned and removed from room.

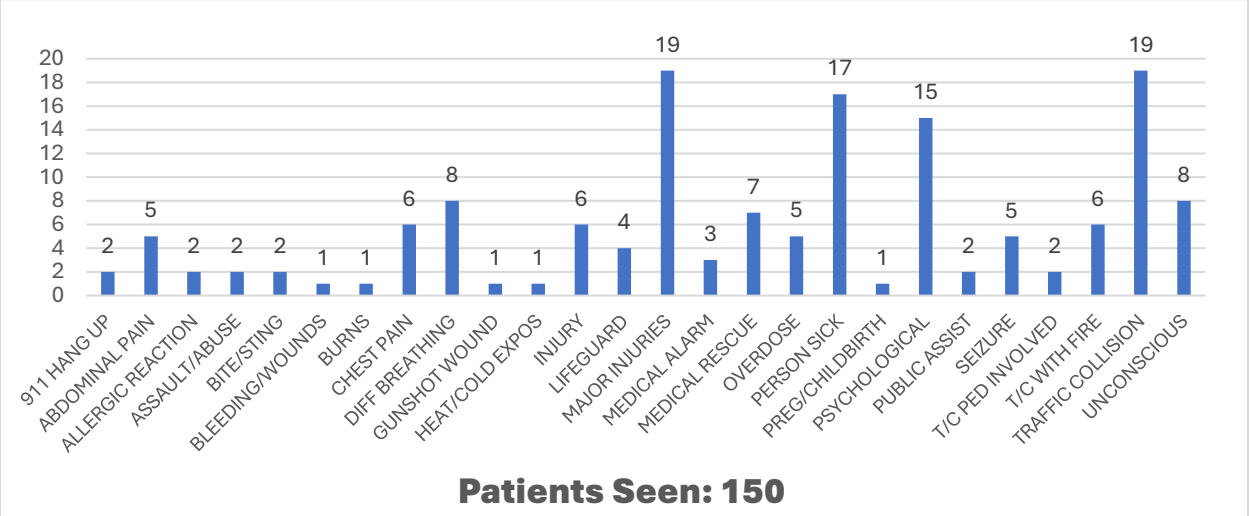
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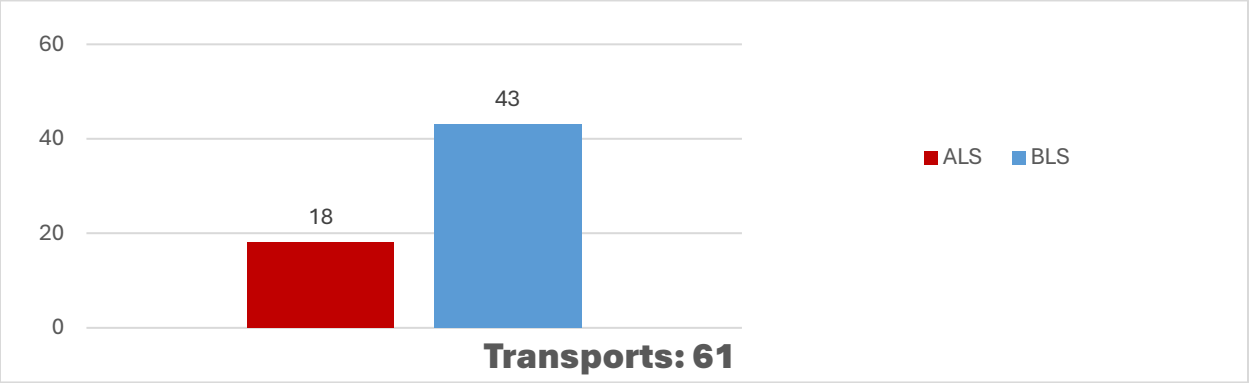
Date	Type	Address	Narrative
03/05/26	**Haz Sit**	24255 PCH	Haz Mat - E88 responded to Pepperdine University, arrived on scene to a construction site with a 4" high pressure gas main break without fire, due to digging operation. No injuries or illness reported. In conjunction with Pepperdine DPS, E88 able to handle with single engine response. Ingress/egress immediately controlled by DPS and evacuations initiated of all buildings within an 800' radius. SoCal gas notified, specialty team arrived on scene to commence repairs.
03/10/26	**Haz Sit**	27800 PCH	E71 arrived to find the residents at the entrance to the driveway of the home stating that they had smelled what they believed to be natural gas at the front of their property near the street and the gas meter. E71 inspected and found only the faint smell of gas at the gas meter. Atmospheric monitoring with the Sensit gas meter was conducted which yielded no measurable gas readings.
03/12/26	**Haz Sit**	29329 BLUEWATER	E88 arrived on scene, Gas company on scene pinched the line and stopped gas leak. Gas leak was caused by ongoing construction at the residence. Air monitoring provided by E88 and Gas Company. Sheriff utilized for traffic control. Once gas meter had a reading of zero, E88 left scene.

FIRE ACTIVITY REPORT

City of Malibu | April 2026







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FIRE ACTIVITY REPORT

City of Malibu | April 2026

Fire Incidents:

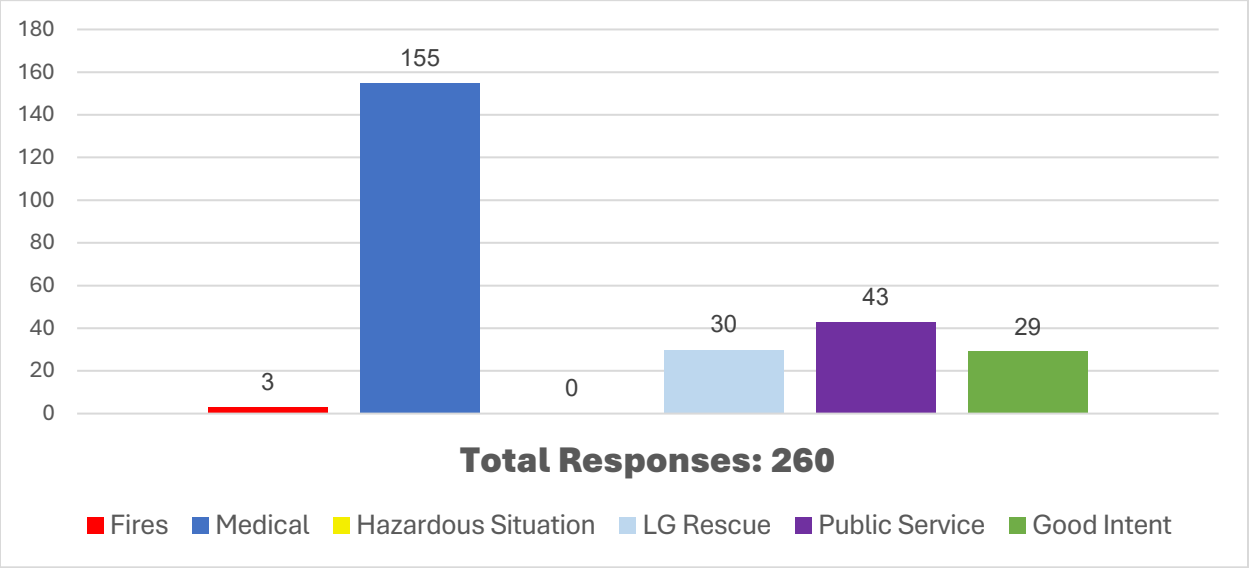
Date	Type	Address	Narrative
04/27/26	**Structure Fire**	29055 GRAYFOX	E71 arrived to find residents outside of their home stating that they returned home to find the smell of what they thought to be electrical fire and light smoke haze inside their home. No fire alarms were active. Upon investigation it was confirmed that there was the smell of electrical smoke inside the home. The circuit breakers were checked and all breakers were in the appropriate ON position and appeared normal. The attic was checked which was visibly clear and showed no signs of abnormal heat signatures with the thermal imaging camera. All rooms were checked in the home and thermal imaged with nothing presenting abnormally. The smell of the smoke was narrowed to a room in which the smell was the strongest. Within the room a small refrigerator was plugged into the wall, hot on the inside and smelled of the electrical smell. After thorough investigation of the home the refrigerator was believed to be the source of the smoke and burning smell. It was removed from the home and the residents were advised to leave the windows/doors open to continue ventilating the home. Prior to E71's departure the residents were advised to recontact 911 should the smell or smoke begin to increase in the home at any point.

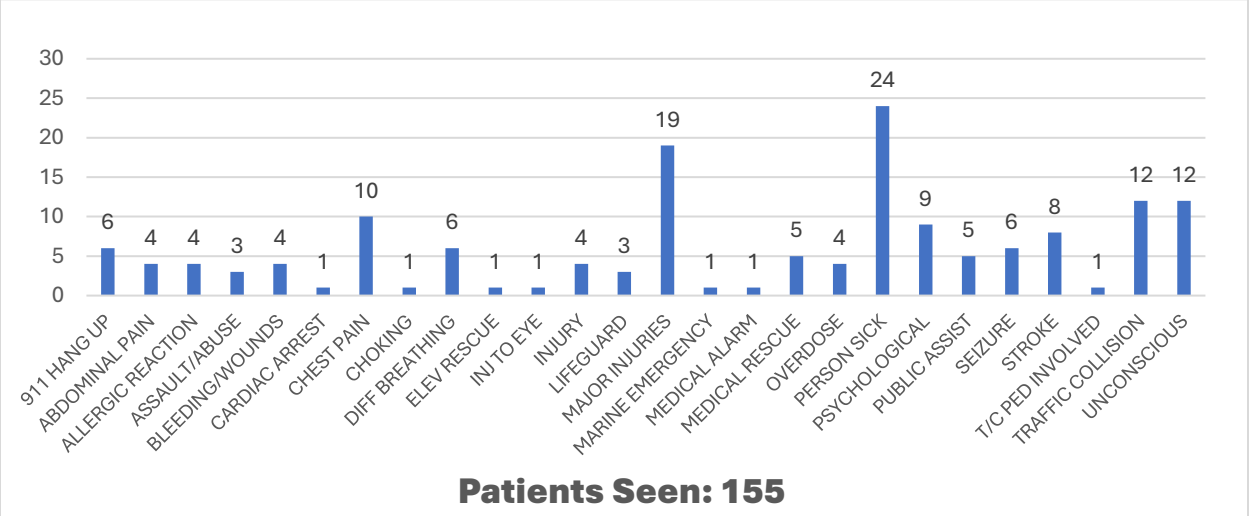
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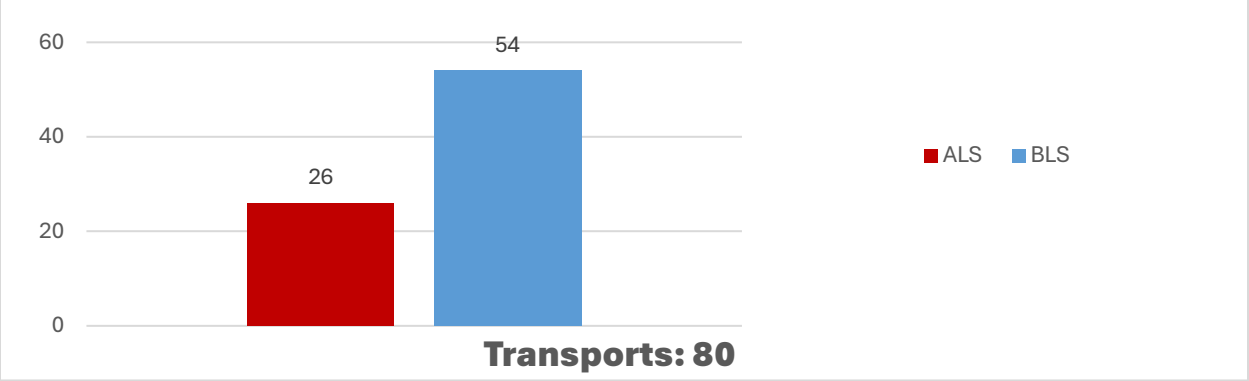
Date	Type	Address	Narrative
04/15/26	**Haz Sit**	29211 HEATHERCLIFF	E71 arrived to find bank personnel outside of the business stating that there had been an abnormal smell coming from the air conditioning ducting prompting the call to 911. Upon entering the building there was a very faint odor emitting from the ceiling vent toward the rear of the business. E71 personnel then laddered the building to inspect the air conditioning units. No abnormal circumstances were observed, no smell coming from the A/C units, no abnormal heat signatures on the thermal imaging camera, no smoke or damage. An issue was observed with a separate A/C unit on the roof which was repeatedly attempting to switch on with no motor activity. The power was isolated to this unit.

FIRE ACTIVITY REPORT

City of Malibu | May 2026







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FIRE ACTIVITY REPORT

City of Malibu | May 2026

Fire Incidents:

Date	Type	Address	Narrative
05/04/26	**Vehicle Fire**	MALIBU CANYON	Owner reports smoke coming from vehicle and pulled over to the shoulder and there was an engine compartment fire. A passerby water tender stopped and attempted to extinguish the fire prior to FD arrival.
05/09/26	**Vehicle Fire**	KANAN DUME	E71 arrived to find a pick-up truck with the hood up and steam coming from the engine compartment. Upon further investigation the radiator cap of the truck had become dislodged spraying coolant on the hot engine causing the steam. No smoke or fire was observed in the engine compartment. The driver stated that he had help on the way and was instructed to recontact 911 immediately if the situation changed.
05/28/26	**Outside Fire**	29888 PCH	Respond to bonfire on beach. Upon arrival small camp fire 3' in diameter. Abandoned and no persons around. LR300 & Area34 extinguish fire and cancel all other resources.

Other Incidents:

Date	Type	Address	Narrative

5/1/2026 - 5/31/2026

Area:	Number of Days for which we have reports	Attd.	Prevs	Ords	EVR	Meds	Rescues		
Northern									
NSH/Day	31		620	290	61	9	3	32100	NSH/Day
NSH/Night	31	15,400	89	31	20	8	5	32200	NSH/Night
33-1	31	147,500	1,855	895	10	84	16	32320	33-1
COR	30	28,500	920	373		10		32330	COR
33-2	31	111,600	1,870	735	26	43	3	32340	33-2
NIC	27	13,850	382	240		5		32350	NIC
34-1	31	228,550	5,060	1,830	33	41	44	32400	34-1
34-2	31	140,300	3,885	1,265	45	47	29	33420	34-2
Northern		685,700	14,681	5,659	195	247	100		
Grand Total:		685,700	14,681	5,659	195	247	100		

June 2026 – LA County Fire Department – Lifeguard Division

Beach Attendance: 946,000

Preventative Actions: 28,872

Ordinance Advisements: 11,197

Emergency Vehicle Response: 340

Medical Assist: 509

Ocean Rescue: 396

Agency Assists: 127

Boat Warnings: 1

Missing Persons: 9

O2 Therapies: 2

OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

HALL OF JUSTICE

ROBERT G. LUNA, SHERIFF

Joseph Irvin, City Manager
City of Malibu
23825 Stuart Ranch Road
Malibu, California 90265

Dear Mr. Irvin:

Attached are the year-to-date statistics for Malibu, California through April 2026.

Noteworthy incidents

- 5/9 - A male adult was arrested for residential burglary at 22816 PCH.
- 5/20 - A Los Angeles resident was arrested for DUI at PCH/Heathercliff Road at 1710 hours.
- 5/29 - A male adult transient was arrested for choking another transient on Civic Center Way.
- 5/23 - A male adult was arrested for DUI in the 22000 blk of PCH.

Attachments
Crime Statistics
Traffic Report
Transparency Report
Juvenile Intervention Team Report
Arrest Statistics

Sincerely,

ROBERT G. LUNA, SHERIFF

Dustin A. Carr, Captain
Malibu/Lost Hills Sheriff's Station

LOST HILLS JUVENILE INTERVENTION UNIT
ACTIVITY REPORT FOR MAY 2026
MALIBU

SCHOOL INCIDENTS

- No school incidents occurred during this reporting period.

INTERVENTIONS

N/A

COMMUNITY/ CRIMINAL ISSUES

- School Resource Deputy attended multiple school meetings focused on enhancing school safety protocols in Malibu.
- Collaborated with the new Deputy District Attorney at Sylmar Court to improve efficiency in case filings with the District Attorney's office.
- Participated in quarterly firearm qualification in accordance with Department policy.
- Conducted referrals related to encounters with uniformed personnel.
- Patrolled juvenile problem areas during weekend evenings and responded to juvenile-related calls for service.
- Ensured record sealing procedures were initiated for subjects who completed CHAMPS diversion for minor offenses.
- Conducted 290 residential verifications for sex registrants.

CRIME STATISTICS MALIBU/MAY 2026								
Part I Crimes	2021		2025		2026		5 YR % CHANGE 2026/2021	1 YR % CHANGE 2026/2025
	YTD Reported Incidents	TOTAL REPORTED INCIDENTS 2021	YTD Reported Incidents	TOTAL REPORTED INCIDENTS 2025	MAY	YTD REPORTED INCIDENTS 2026		
Homicide	**1**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	-100%	NC
Rape	**5**	**8**	**0**	**4**	**1**	**3**	-40%	NC
Agg. Assault	**12**	**46**	**20**	**45**	**1**	**15**	25%	-25.0%
Domestic	1	6	3	5	0	2	100%	-33.3%
Robbery Total	**4**	**15**	**3**	**9**	**1**	**10**	150%	233.3%
Weapon	1	8	2	5	0	2	100%	0.0%
Strong-Arm	3	7	1	4	1	8	167%	700.0%
Burglary Total	**18**	**42**	**24**	**61**	**5**	**21**	17%	-12.5%
Residential	12	28	16	43	4	17	42%	6.3%
Business	6	14	8	18	1	4	-33%	-50.0%
Larceny Theft	**138**	**293**	**45**	**137**	**18**	**76**	-45%	68.9%
Grand Theft ($950+)	23	54	16	40	3	17	-26%	6.3%
Vehicle Burglary	50	116	5	32	8	24	-52%	380.0%
Unlocked Vehicle	30	54	6	16	0	5	-83%	-16.7%
From Locker	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC	NC
From Boat	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC	NC
From Aircraft	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC	NC
Petty Theft	35	69	18	49	7	30	-14%	66.7%
Grand Theft Auto	**22**	**53**	**2**	**7**	**0**	**4**	-82%	100.0%
Arson	**0**	**9**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	NC	NC
Total Part I Crimes	**200**	**467**	**94**	**263**	**26**	**130**	-35%	38.3%
Domestic Violence Misdemeanor	15	31	11	23	0	5	-67%	-54.5%

Los Angeles County
Sheriff's Department

Malibu / Lost Hills Station

City of Malibu
Consolidated Contract City Monthly Traffic Report
May 2026

COLLISION SUMMARY*	This Month	Month Year Prior	Total YTD	Total Prior YTD	Change + / -
Total Collisions - Excluding Private Property	21	19	107	63	+44
Fatal Collisions	0	0	1	0	+1
Injury Collisions	6	6	32	20	+12
Property Collisions	15	12	74	42	+32
Private Property Collisions	2	2	15	10	+5
DUI Collisions with Injuries	0	0	1	0	+1
DUI Collisions with Property Damage	1	1	3	1	+2
Total Pedestrian Collisions	0	0	1	0	+1
Pedestrians Killed	0	0	1	0	+1
Pedestrians Injured	0	0	0	0	0
Total Hit & Run Collisions	6	4	26	12	+14
Hit & Run Fatalities	0	0	0	0	0
Hit & Run Injuries	0	2	1	2	-1
Hit & Run Property Only	6	2	25	10	+15
CITATION SUMMARY*	**This Month**	**Month Year Prior**	**Total YTD**	**Total Prior YTD**	**Change + / -**
Traffic Total	4676	5284	22396	15101	+7295
Hazardous Violations	439	626	2232	1491	+741
Non-Hazardous Violations	79	76	298	726	-428
Parking Violations	4156	4578	19848	12875	+6973
DUI Arrests	2	4	18	9	+9

*Collision Summary and Citation Summary does not reflect all collisions and citations which were not entered into the database.

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
Lost Hills Station

Traffic Analysis Report

6/9/2026 ***City of MALIBU***

Date Range Reported: 5/1/2026 to 5/31/2026

	This Period	Year-to-Date
Total Collisions	21	124
Total Collisions Involving Fatality	0	1
Total Collisions Involving Injury	6	38
Total Collisions Involving Property Damage	15	85
Total Fatalities	0	1
Total Injuries	9	55
Total DUI Collisions	1	6
DUI Collisions Involving Fatality	0	0
DUI Collisions Involving Injury	0	1
DUI Collisions Involving Property Damage	1	5
Total DUI Fatalities	0	0
Total DUI Injuries	0	2
DUI Arrests	2	18
Total Non-DUI Collisions	20	118
Non-DUI Collisions Involving Fatalities	0	1
Non-DUI Collisions Involving Injuries	6	37
Non-DUI Collisions Involving Property Damage	14	80
Total Non-DUI Fatalities	0	1
Total Non-DUI Injuries	9	53
Private Property Collisions	2	18
Total Bicycle Collisions	0	1
Total Pedestrian Collisions	0	2
Total Citations	627	3301
Hazardous Citations	535	2954
Non-Hazardous Citations	92	347
Seat Belt Citations	1	5
Child Restraint Citations	0	0
Traffic Enforcement Index	89.5	76.2
Traffic Collision Index	2.5	2.2
DUI Index	0	18.0
Safety Restraint Index	0.00	0.00
Most Frequent Primary Collision Factor	Unsafe Speed	Unsafe Speed
Most Frequently Cited Violation	22350: UNSAFE SPEED	22350: UNSAFE SPEED

Footnotes:

Traffic Enforcement Index	Haz Citations + DUI Arrests / Fatal & Injury Collisions (20:1)
Traffic Collision Index	Non-Injury Collisions / Fatal + Injury Collisions (2.5:1)
DUI Index	DUI Arrests / DUI Fatal + Inury Collisions (10:1)
Safety Restraint Index	Seat Belt + Child Restraint Citations / Haz + Non-Haz Citations

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
Lost Hills Station
Monthly Traffic Safety Management Report

City of MALIBU

Date Range Reported: 5/1/2026 to 5/31/2026

Total No. of Collisions: 21 Injury: 6 Non-Injury: 15 Fatal: 0 Private Property: 2

Total No. of Citations: 518 Hazardous Cites: 439 Non-Hazardous Cites: 79

Collisions by Reporting Districts

Reporting District	No.	Location
1011		
	2	at Pacific Coast Hwy and Trancas Canyon Rd
1012		
	2	at Sea Vista Dr and Via Escondido
	5	at Separate Locations
1013		
	1	at Birdview Av and Birdview Avenue
1014		
	1	at Malibu Canyon Rd and Pacific Coast Hwy
1015		
	6	at Separate Locations
1016		
	2	at Carbon Canyon Rd and Pacific Coast Hwy
	1	at Carbon Beach Terrace and Pacific Coast Hwy
1018		
	1	at Las Flores Canyon Rd and Pacific Coast Hwy

Collision Occurred Most Frequently On:

Street Name				Number of Collisions
Pacific Coast Hwy				**11**
	2	at	Carbon Canyon Rd	
	9	at	at Separate Locations	
Via Escondido				**3**
	2	at	Sea Vista Dr	
	1	at	Pacific Coast Hwy	
Birdview Av				**1**
	1	at	Birdview Avenue	
Cross Creek Rd				**1**
	1	at	Pacific Coast Hwy	

Malibu Canyon Rd				**1**
	1	at	Pacific Coast Hwy	
Malibu Rd				**1**
	1	at	Bayshore Dr (E)	
Trancas Canyon Rd				**1**
	1	at	Pacific Coast Hwy	

Primary Collision Factors:

Violations	Description	Number of Collisions
22350	Unsafe Speed	**5**
22107	Unsafe Turning Movement	**5**
-	Not Stated	**3**
21804(a)	Failure To Yield Exiting Private Property Or Alley	**2**
21703	Following Too Closely	**2**
23152(a)	Dui; Alcohol	**1**
22106	Unsafe Start Or Backing	**1**
21806(a)(1		**1**
21658(a)	Lane Straddling; Unsafe Lane Change	**1**

Violations Most Frequently Cited:

Violations	Description	Number of Citations
22350	Unsafe Speed	296
4000(a)(1)	Vehicle Registration Required	35
12500(a)	Unlicensed Driver	31
17.12.320	Alcohol On The Beach	23
22349(a)	Speeding, Excess Of 65 Mph	21
23123.5(a)	Texting While Driving	21
38300	Off-Highway Vehicle, Disobey Signs	21
16028(a)	Proof Of Financial Liability-Traffic Accident	18
21461(a)	Obey Traffic Control Sign	16
22450(a)	Failure To Stop For Posted Stop Sign	16
23123.5A		13
12951(a)	Drivers License, Not In Possession	11
4000A1		9
22362	Unsafe Speed In A Construction Zome	7
26708(a)(		7
22101(d)	Req'd Or Prohibited Turn; Fail To Obey Sign	6
5200(a)	License Plates, Two On A Vehicle Front/Rear	6
22107	Unsafe Turning Movement	4
21703	Following Too Closely	3
23103(a)	Reckless Driving	3
23123(a)	Using Wireless Hand Held Phone While Driving	3
26708A1		3

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Monthly Traffic Collision Report

6/9/2026 ***City of MALIBU***

Date Range Reported: 5/1/2026 to 5/31/2026

Collisions

Total Non-Injury Collisions	15
Total Injury and Fatal Collisions	6
Total Collisions (Injury + Non-Injury)	21

DUI Collisions

Number of DUI Collisions with Fatalities	0
Number of DUI Collisions with Injuries	0
Number of DUI Collisions Involving Property Damage	1
Total Number of DUI Collision Deaths	0
Total Number of DUI Collision injuries	0
Total Number of DUI Collisions	1
Total Actual Number of DUI Arrests	2

Non-DUI Collisions

Number of Non-DUI Collisions with Fatalities	0
Number of Non-DUI Collisions with Injuries	6
Number of Non-DUI Collisions Involving Property Damage	14
Total Number of Non-DUI Collision Deaths	0
Total Number of Non-DUI Collision injuries	9

Vehicle/Pedestrian Collisions

Number of Vehicle/Pedestrian Collisions with Fatalities	0
Number of Vehicle/Pedestrian Collisions with Injuries	0
Total Number of Pedestrian Fatalities	0
Total Number of Pedestrian Injuries	0

Vehicle/Bicycle Collisions

Number of Vehicle/Bicycle Collisions with Fatalities	0
Number of Vehicle/Bicycle Collisions with Injuries	0
Total Number of Vehicle/Bicycle Collision Fatalities	0
Total Number of Vehicle/Bicycle Collision Injuries	0

Hit & Run Collisions

Total Number of Hit & Run Fatalities	0
Total Number of Hit & Run Injuries	0
Total Number of PDO Hit & Run Collisions	6

Traffic Citations

Total Number of Radar Citations Issued	131
Total Number of Bicycle Citations Issued	0
Total Number of Pedestrian Citations Issued	0
Total Number of Safety Belt Citations Issued	1
Total Number of Child Restraint Citations Issued	0
Total Number of Financial Responsibility Citations Issued	22
Total Number of Hazardous Citations Issued	535
Total Number of Non-Hazardous Citations Issued	92
Total Number of Citations Issued	627

Parking Citations

Total Number of Parking Citations Issued	0

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

Enforcement Index	89.5

17.12.340	Vending On The Beach	2
21453(c)	Red Arrow; Failure To Obey	2
21460.5(c)	Two-Way Traffic Left Turn Lane	2
23109(a)	Speed Contest	2
24002A		2
24601	License Plate Lamp White Only, Vis 50'	2
14601.1(a)	Driving With Suspended License	1
14601.2(a)	Driving With Suspended License, Dui	1
148.9(a)	Falsely Id Oneself As Another Person	1
21453(a)	Red Signal; Failure To Stop	1
21651(a)(		1
21651(a)(		1
21755(a)	Unsafe Passing On Right	1
22100.5	U-Turn From Left Lane	1
22102	Violation U-Turn; Business District	1
23222(a)	Possess Open Container While Driving	1
23336	Vehicle Crossing, Signs Or Regulations	1
24002(a)	Unsafe Condition Of Vehicle	1
24252(a)	Maintain Required Lighting	1
24252(a)(		1
26708A2		1
27156B		1
27315(d)(		1
27600	Mudguards Required	1
4000.4(a)	Unregistered California Based Vehicle	1
4462.5	Evidence Of Registration, Intent To Avoid Fees	1
4463(a)	False Evidence Of Reg, W/Intent To Defraud	1
5200		1
5201(c)	License Plates, Obstruct Or Impair Recognition	1
5201.1(c)	Altering License Plate To Avoid Detection	1

Collisions Involving Pedestrians: 0

Collisions Involving Bicyclists: 0

City of Malibu
Sheriff's May 2026 Overview

2025-2026 Cost Summary								
Refer to the signed SH-AD 575 for deployment, current cost and estimated charges.								
Service Compliance Levels								
Fiscal Year to Date	**Monthly**	**YTD**		**Monthly**	**YTD**		**Monthly**	**YTD**
Sworn Minutes Scheduled	269,955	2,917,258	Motor Minutes Scheduled	27,350	295,553	Civilian Minutes Scheduled	1,914	52,302
Sworn Minutes Provided	268,095	2,958,619	Motor Minutes Provided	24,445	292,124	Civilian Minutes Provided	2,020	46,849
Sworn Compliance Rate	**99.31%**	**101.41%**	**Motor Compliance Rate**	**89.37%**	**98.83%**	**Civilian Compliance Rate**	**105.51%**	**89.57%**

Monthly Average Response Times / Arrest & Report Activity			
	Emergent Calls	**Priority Calls**	**Routine Calls**
Response Time (Minutes)	7.7	11.3	41.5
Station Avg. Response Time	6.5	12.0	40.6
County Avg. Response Time	10.7	20.6	79.5
Number of Calls for Service	27	126	314
	Arrests	**Reports**	
Arrest & Reports Totals	29	167	
Non-Revocable Parole Arrest	0		

Number of Monthly Service Complaints	**0**
Number of Monthly Personnel Complaints	**1**
Number of Monthly Commendations	**0**
Number of Monthly Public Comment Reports	**1**
Number of Public Contacts (calls & obs.)	**(478 & 1,250) 1,728**
Number of Comment Reports to Contact Ratio	**0.0005**
YTD Totals - Public Comment Reports	**5**
YTD Totals - Public Contacts (calls & obs.)	**(5,373 & 13,872) 19,245**
YTD Totals - Comment Reports to Contact Ratio	**0.0002**

Service Complaints - Based on issues with Department policy and procedures, laws, and not employee conduct
Personnel Complaints - Based on employee conduct

	ADULT	JUVENILE	TOTAL	CONTRACT CITIES TOTAL	UNINCORP TOTAL
PART I ARRESTS					
HOMICIDE	0	0	0	0	0
RAPE	1	0	1	1	0
ROBBERY	0	0	0	0	0
ASSAULT AGGRAVATED(FELONIOUS)	13	0	13	9	4
BURGLARY	7	0	7	5	2
THEFT	1	0	1	1	0
GRAND THEFT AUTO	0	0	0	0	0
ARSON	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL PART I ARRESTS	22	0	22	16	6
PART II ARRESTS					
FORGERY	2	0	2	2	0
FRAUD AND NSF CHECKS	0	0	0	0	0
SEX OFFENSES (FEL)	0	0	0	0	0
SEX OFFENSES (MISD)	1	0	1	1	0
ASSAULT NON-AGGRAVATED(MISD)	2	0	2	2	0
WEAPONS LAWS	0	0	0	0	0
OFFENSES AGAINST FAMILY	1	0	1	1	0
NARCOTICS	16	0	16	8	8
LIQUOR LAWS	0	0	0	0	0
DRUNK	2	0	2	2	0
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	0	0	0	0	0
VAGRANCY	0	0	0	0	0
GAMBLING	0	0	0	0	0
DRUNK DRIVING	17	0	17	10	7
VEHICLE/BOATING LAWS	21	1	22	17	5
VANDALISM	3	1	4	4	0
WARRANTS	2	0	2	2	0
RECEIVING STOLEN PROP	0	0	0	0	0
FEDERAL OFFENSES	0	0	0	0	0
FELONIES MISCELLANEOUS	2	0	2	2	0
MISDEMEANORS,MISCELLANEOUS	15	1	16	10	6
TOTAL PART II ARRESTS	84	3	87	61	26
TOTAL NON-CRIMINAL	0	0	0	0	0
GRAND TOTAL	106	3	109	77	32

	FELONY		MISDEMEANOR		MALE		FEMALE	
	TOTAL	%	TOTAL	%	TOTAL	%	TOTAL	%
ARREST SUMMARY	27	24.8	82	75.2	87	79.8	22	20.2

OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

HALL OF JUSTICE

ROBERT G. LUNA, SHERIFF

Joseph Irvin, City Manager
City of Malibu
23825 Stuart Ranch Road
Malibu, California 90265

Dear Mr. Irvin:

Attached are the year-to-date statistics for Malibu, California through June 2026.

Noteworthy incidents

- 6/16 - A male adult parolee was arrested for residential burglary in the 6600 block of Wildlife Road at 0015 hours.

- 6/17 - A DUI arrest occurred in the 29000 block of PCH at 1610 hours.

Attachments
Crime Statistics
Traffic Report
Transparency Report
Juvenile Intervention Team Report
Arrest Statistics

Sincerely,

ROBERT G. LUNA, SHERIFF

Dustin A. Carr, Captain
Malibu/Lost Hills Sheriff's Station

MALIBU CRIME STATISTICS JUNE 2026

Part I Crimes	2021		2025		2026		5 YR % CHANGE 2026/2021	1 YR % CHANGE 2026/2025
	YTD Reported Incidents	TOTAL REPORTED INCIDENTS 2021	YTD Reported Incidents	TOTAL REPORTED INCIDENTS 2025	JUN	YTD REPORTED INCIDENTS 2026		
Homicide	**1**	**1**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	-100%	NC
Rape	**5**	**8**	**0**	**4**	**0**	**3**	-40%	NC
Agg. Assault	**16**	**46**	**27**	**45**	**3**	**18**	13%	-33.3%
Domestic	4	6	4	5	0	2	-50%	-50.0%
Robbery Total	**5**	**15**	**6**	**9**	**0**	**10**	100%	66.7%
Weapon	1	8	4	5	0	2	100%	-50.0%
Strong-Arm	4	7	1	4	0	8	100%	700.0%
Burglary Total	**26**	**42**	**32**	**61**	**6**	**27**	4%	-15.6%
Residential	17	28	22	43	4	21	24%	-4.5%
Business	9	14	10	18	2	6	-33%	-40.0%
Larceny Theft	**160**	**293**	**55**	**137**	**17**	**93**	-42%	69.1%
Grand Theft ($950+)	26	54	17	40	3	20	-23%	17.6%
Vehicle Burglary	59	116	10	32	8	32	-46%	220.0%
Unlocked Vehicle	34	54	6	16	0	5	-85%	-16.7%
From Locker	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC	NC
From Boat	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC	NC
From Aircraft	0	0	0	0	0	0	NC	NC
Petty Theft	41	69	22	49	6	36	-12%	63.6%
Grand Theft Auto	**26**	**53**	**2**	**7**	**2**	**6**	-77%	200.0%
Arson	**2**	**9**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1**	-50%	NC
Total Part I Crimes	**241**	**467**	**122**	**263**	**28**	**158**	-34%	29.5%
Domestic Violence Misdemeanor	18	31	12	23	0	5	-72%	-58.3%

Los Angeles County
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Malibu / Lost Hills Station

City of Agoura Hills
Consolidated Contract City Monthly Traffic Report
June 2026

COLLISION SUMMARY*	This Month	Month Year Prior	Total YTD	Total Prior YTD	Change + / -
Total Collisions - Excluding Private Property	11	4	63	55	+8
Fatal Collisions	0	0	0	0	0
Injury Collisions	1	2	13	19	-6
Property Collisions	10	2	50	35	+15
Private Property Collisions	4	0	26	12	+14
DUI Collisions with Injuries	0	0	0	1	-1
DUI Collisions with Property Damage	0	0	2	1	+1
Total Pedestrian Collisions	0	0	3	2	+1
Pedestrians Killed	0	0	0	0	0
Pedestrians Injured	0	0	3	2	+1
Total Hit & Run Collisions	6	0	22	17	+5
Hit & Run Fatalities	0	0	0	0	0
Hit & Run Injuries	1	0	2	4	-2
Hit & Run Property Only	5	0	20	13	+7
CITATION SUMMARY*	**This Month**	**Month Year Prior**	**Total YTD**	**Total Prior YTD**	**Change + / -**
Traffic Total	102	92	805	765	+40
Hazardous Violations	61	48	479	334	+145
Non-Hazardous Violations	15	2	73	168	-95
Parking Violations	25	42	244	257	-13
DUI Arrests	1	0	9	6	+3

*Collision Summary and Citation Summary does not reflect all collisions and citations which were not entered into the database.

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
Lost Hills Station

Traffic Analysis Report

7/13/2026 *City of AGOURA HILLS*

Date Range Reported: 6/1/2026 to 6/30/2026	This Period	Year-to-Date
Total Collisions	11	66
Total Collisions Involving Fatality	0	0
Total Collisions Involving Injury	1	14
Total Collisions Involving Property Damage	10	52
Total Fatalities	0	0
Total Injuries	1	14
Total DUI Collisions	0	3
DUI Collisions Involving Fatality	0	0
DUI Collisions Involving Injury	0	0
DUI Collisions Involving Property Damage	0	3
Total DUI Fatalities	0	0
Total DUI Injuries	0	0
DUI Arrests	1	9
Total Non-DUI Collisions	11	63
Non-DUI Collisions Involving Fatalities	0	0
Non-DUI Collisions Involving Injuries	1	14
Non-DUI Collisions Involving Property Damage	10	49
Total Non-DUI Fatalities	0	0
Total Non-DUI Injuries	1	14
Private Property Collisions	4	22
Total Bicycle Collisions	0	0
Total Pedestrian Collisions	0	3
Total Citations	94	798
Hazardous Citations	78	707
Non-Hazardous Citations	16	91
Seat Belt Citations	1	4
Child Restraint Citations	0	1
Traffic Enforcement Index	79.0	51.0
Traffic Collision Index	10.0	3.7
DUI Index	0	0
Safety Restraint Index	0.01	0.01
Most Frequent Primary Collision Factor		Improper Turning
Most Frequently Cited Violation	5(a): TEXTING WHILE DRIVING	23.5A: TEXTING WHILE DRIVING

Footnotes:

Traffic Enforcement Index	Haz Citations + DUI Arrests / Fatal & Injury Collisions (20:1)
Traffic Collision Index	Non-Injury Collisions / Fatal + Injury Collisions (2.5:1)
DUI Index	DUI Arrests / DUI Fatal + Inury Collisions (10:1)
Safety Restraint Index	Seat Belt + Child Restraint Citations / Haz + Non-Haz Citations

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
Lost Hills Station
Monthly Traffic Safety Management Report

City of AGOURA HILLS

Date Range Reported: 6/1/2026 to 6/30/2026

Total No. of Collisions: 11 Injury: 1 Non-Injury: 10 Fatal: 0 Private Property: 4

Total No. of Citations: 76 Hazardous Cites: 61 Non-Hazardous Cites: 15

Collisions by Reporting Districts

Reporting District	No.	Location
2220		
	1	at Canwood St and Reyes Adobe Rd
2222		
	3	at Separate Locations
2223		
	1	at Driver Av and Easterly Rd
2224		
	4	at Separate Locations
2225		
	1	at Agoura Rd and Liberty Canyon Rd (E)
2228		
	1	at 5875 Kanan Rd and 5875 Kanan Road

Collision Occurred Most Frequently On:

Street Name			Number of Collisions
Agoura Rd			**1**
	1	at Liberty Canyon Rd (E)	
Easterly Rd			**1**
	1	at Driver Av	
Kanan Rd			**1**
	1	at Roadside Dr	
Kanan St			**1**
	1	at 101 Northbound	
Reyes Adobe Rd			**1**
	1	at Canwood St	
Roadside Dr			**1**
	1	at Kanan Rd	
Thousand Oaks Blvd			**1**
	1	at Middle Crest Dr	

Primary Collision Factors:

Violations	Description	Number of Collisions
22107	Unsafe Turning Movement	**2**
21801(a)	Left Turns Or U-Turns Yield To Other Vehicles	**2**
20002(a)	Hit-Run Property Damage	**2**
-	Not Stated	**2**
23152(a)	Dui; Alcohol	**1**
22106	Unsafe Start Or Backing	**1**
22101(d)	Req'd Or Prohibited Turn; Fail To Obey Sign	**1**

Violations Most Frequently Cited:

Violations	Description	Number of Citations
22350	Unsafe Speed	20
23123.5(a)	Texting While Driving	20
4000(a)(1)	Vehicle Registration Required	12
22349(a)	Speeding, Excess Of 65 Mph	7
26708(a)(		6
16028(a)	Proof Of Financial Liability-Traffic Accident	5
24002(a)	Unsafe Condition Of Vehicle	4
23123(a)	Using Wireless Hand Held Phone While Driving	3
27156(b)	Altered Air Pollution Control Device	3
38300	Off-Highway Vehicle, Disobey Signs	3
11364(a)(		1
11377(A)	Poss Of Methamphetmine	1
12500(a)	Unlicensed Driver	1
12951(a)	Drivers License, Not In Possession	1
14601.2(a)	Driving With Suspended License, Dui	1
16502A		1
21461(a)	Obey Traffic Control Sign	1
21651(a)(		1
22106	Unsafe Start Or Backing	1
23111	Lighted Substances On;through On Highway	1
24252(a)	Maintain Required Lighting	1
27315(d)(		1
4000A1		1
4462.5	Evidence Of Registration, Intent To Avoid Fees	1
5201(a)	License Plates, Securely Attached And Visible	1

Collisions Involving Pedestrians: 0

Collisions Involving Bicyclists: 0

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
Lost Hills Station

Monthly Traffic Collision Report

7/13/2026 ***City of AGOURA HILLS***

Date Range Reported: 6/1/2026 to 6/30/2026

Collisions

Total Non-Injury Collisions	10
Total Injury and Fatal Collisions	1
Total Collisions (Injury + Non-Injury)	11

DUI Collisions

Number of DUI Collisions with Fatalities	0
Number of DUI Collisions with Injuries	0
Number of DUI Collisions Involving Property Damage	0
Total Number of DUI Collision Deaths	0
Total Number of DUI Collision injuries	0
Total Number of DUI Collisions	0
Total Actual Number of DUI Arrests	1

Non-DUI Collisions

Number of Non-DUI Collisions with Fatalities	0
Number of Non-DUI Collisions with Injuries	1
Number of Non-DUI Collisions Involving Property Damage	10
Total Number of Non-DUI Collision Deaths	0
Total Number of Non-DUI Collision injuries	1

Vehicle/Pedestrian Collisions

Number of Vehicle/Pedestrian Collisions with Fatalities	0
Number of Vehicle/Pedestrian Collisions with Injuries	0
Total Number of Pedestrian Fatalities	0
Total Number of Pedestrian Injuries	0

Vehicle/Bicycle Collisions

Number of Vehicle/Bicycle Collisions with Fatalities	0
Number of Vehicle/Bicycle Collisions with Injuries	0
Total Number of Vehicle/Bicycle Collision Fatalities	0
Total Number of Vehicle/Bicycle Collision Injuries	0

Hit & Run Collisions

Total Number of Hit & Run Fatalities	0
Total Number of Hit & Run Injuries	1
Total Number of PDO Hit & Run Collisions	5

Traffic Citations

Total Number of Radar Citations Issued	48
Total Number of Bicycle Citations Issued	0
Total Number of Pedestrian Citations Issued	0
Total Number of Safety Belt Citations Issued	1
Total Number of Child Restraint Citations Issued	0
Total Number of Financial Responsibility Citations Issued	7
Total Number of Hazardous Citations Issued	78
Total Number of Non-Hazardous Citations Issued	16
Total Number of Citations Issued	94

Parking Citations

Total Number of Parking Citations Issued	0

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

Enforcement Index	79.0

Hit & Run Collisions

Total Number of Hit & Run Fatalities	0
Total Number of Hit & Run Injuries	1
Total Number of PDO Hit & Run Collisions	5

Traffic Citations

Total Number of Radar Citations Issued	48
Total Number of Bicycle Citations Issued	0
Total Number of Pedestrian Citations Issued	0
Total Number of Safety Belt Citations Issued	1
Total Number of Child Restraint Citations Issued	0
Total Number of Financial Responsibility Citations Issued	7
Total Number of Hazardous Citations Issued	78
Total Number of Non-Hazardous Citations Issued	16
Total Number of Citations Issued	94

Parking Citations

Total Number of Parking Citations Issued	0

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

Enforcement Index	79.0

City of Malibu
Sheriff's June 2026 Overview

2025-2026 Cost Summary								
Refer to the signed SH-AD 575 for deployment, current cost and estimated charges.								
Service Compliance Levels								
Fiscal Year to Date	**Monthly**	**YTD**		**Monthly**	**YTD**		**Monthly**	**YTD**
Sworn Minutes Scheduled	261,247	3,178,505	Motor Minutes Scheduled	26,467	322,020	Civilian Minutes Scheduled	1,853	54,155
Sworn Minutes Provided	250,499	3,208,986	Motor Minutes Provided	25,154	317,278	Civilian Minutes Provided	1,717	48,566
Sworn Compliance Rate	**95.88%**	**100.95%**	**Motor Compliance Rate**	**95.03%**	**98.52%**	**Civilian Compliance Rate**	**92.67%**	**89.67%**

Monthly Average Response Times / Arrest & Report Activity			
	Emergent Calls	**Priority Calls**	**Routine Calls**
Response Time (Minutes)	9.2	14.4	38.3
Station Avg. Response Time	9.1	12.5	38.6
County Avg. Response Time	9.8	23.3	61.3
Number of Calls for Service	33	114	315
	Arrests	**Reports**	
Arrest & Reports Totals	26	202	
Non-Revocable Parole Arrest	0		

Number of Monthly Service Complaints	**0**
Number of Monthly Personnel Complaints	**1**
Number of Monthly Commendations	**1**
Number of Monthly Public Comment Reports	**2**
Number of Public Contacts (calls & obs.)	**(496 & 1,031) 1,527**
Number of Comment Reports to Contact Ratio	**0.0013**
YTD Totals - Public Comment Reports	7
YTD Totals - Public Contacts (calls & obs.)	**(5,971 & 14,903) 20,874**
YTD Totals - Comment Reports to Contact Ratio	**0.0003**

Service Complaints - Based on issues with Department policy and procedures, laws, and not employee conduct
Personnel Complaints - Based on employee conduct

LOST HILLS JUVENILE INTERVENTION UNIT
ACTIVITY REPORT FOR JUNE 2026
MALIBU

SCHOOL INCIDENTS

- No school incidents occurred during this reporting period.

INTERVENTIONS

N/A

COMMUNITY/ CRIMINAL ISSUES

- Filed 4x juvenile cases with Van Nuys Court
- Conducted referrals related to encounters with uniformed personnel.
- Patrolled juvenile problem areas during weekend evenings and responded to juvenile-related calls for service.
- Ensured record sealing procedures were initiated for subjects who completed CHAMPS diversion for minor offenses.
- Conducted 290 residential verifications for sex registrants.

	ADULT	JUVENILE	TOTAL	CONTRACT CITIES TOTAL	UNINCORP TOTAL
PART I ARRESTS					
HOMICIDE	0	0	0	0	0
RAPE	0	0	0	0	0
ROBBERY	1	0	1	1	0
ASSAULT AGGRAVATED(FELONIOUS)	14	0	14	11	3
BURGLARY	6	0	6	6	0
THEFT	4	0	4	4	0
GRAND THEFT AUTO	2	0	2	2	0
ARSON	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL PART I ARRESTS	27	0	27	24	3
PART II ARRESTS					
FORGERY	0	0	0	0	0
FRAUD AND NSF CHECKS	1	0	1	1	0
SEX OFFENSES (FEL)	0	3	3	3	0
SEX OFFENSES (MISD)	0	0	0	0	0
ASSAULT NON-AGGRAVATED(MISD)	9	0	9	8	1
WEAPONS LAWS	1	0	1	1	0
OFFENSES AGAINST FAMILY	0	0	0	0	0
NARCOTICS	17	0	17	13	4
LIQUOR LAWS	0	0	0	0	0
DRUNK	5	0	5	5	0
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	0	0	0	0	0
VAGRANCY	0	0	0	0	0
GAMBLING	0	0	0	0	0
DRUNK DRIVING	8	0	8	8	0
VEHICLE/BOATING LAWS	18	0	18	15	3
VANDALISM	2	0	2	2	0
WARRANTS	1	0	1	0	1
RECEIVING STOLEN PROP	1	0	1	1	0
FEDERAL OFFENSES	0	0	0	0	0
FELONIES MISCELLANEOUS	0	0	0	0	0
MISDEMEANORS,MISCELLANEOUS	7	0	7	6	1
TOTAL PART II ARRESTS	70	3	73	63	10
TOTAL NON-CRIMINAL	0	0	0	0	0
GRAND TOTAL	97	3	100	87	13

	FELONY		MISDEMEANOR		MALE		FEMALE	
	TOTAL	%	TOTAL	%	TOTAL	%	TOTAL	%
ARREST SUMMARY	23	23.0	77	77.0	84	84.0	16	16.0

Public Safety Commission Meeting 08-05-26
Item 5.C.

Public Safety Commission Agenda Report

To: Chair Spiegel and Members of the Public Safety Commission

Approved by: Susan Dueñas, Public Safety Director

Date Prepared: July 20, 2026 Meeting Date: August 5, 2026

Subject: Homeless Services Monthly Report

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Discuss recent homeless services activities and receive and file the monthly reports for May and June 2026 from The People Concern.

DISCUSSION: Since 2017, the City of Malibu has provided homeless outreach services through a contract with The People Concern (TPC). TPC provides a three-person Outreach Team that engages people and families experiencing homelessness on the streets, hillsides, and beaches of Malibu. The team provides housing navigation services and individualized support to help them attain housing and become self-sufficient. The monthly report summarizing their services for the months of May and June 2026 are attached.

ATTACHMENTS:
1. May 2026 Monthly Report & Outcomes Chart
2. June 2026 Monthly Report & Outcomes Chart

The People Concern Malibu Outreach Team

May 2026 Report

Outcomes

In May 2026, the total number of contacts made by the outreach team was 179, with 51 unduplicated contacts 7 individuals were contacted in permanent or temporary housing. Of the 44 unduplicated contacts currently on the streets, 6 were new contacts, with 3 of them becoming repeat contacts. There are currently 23 contacts considered in various stages of engagement, and 21 are refusing services at this point. The outreach team continues to contact these individuals with the goal of getting them engaged in the housing process.

Success Story

The Malibu Outreach Team celebrated a significant milestone this month with the successful placement of JB, an elderly woman experiencing homelessness and living with severe physical and mental health challenges, into a supportive interim housing program where she can receive the care and services she urgently needs.

JB's journey has been marked by resilience and perseverance. Several years ago, with the assistance of The People Concern's Malibu Outreach Team, she was successfully housed in a permanent housing unit. Unfortunately, due to untreated mental health symptoms, including severe paranoid delusions, JB ultimately relinquished her housing and returned to homelessness.

Over the following two years, JB moved between various communities while struggling to manage multiple serious health conditions, including heart-related illnesses and other chronic medical issues. Without consistent access to healthcare, medications, or supportive services, her health deteriorated significantly, resulting in multiple hospitalizations and ongoing instability.

When JB returned to Malibu, the Malibu Outreach Team reconnected with her and immediately began providing intensive support. Recognizing the severity of her medical needs, the team worked diligently to secure a temporary placement in an assisted living facility, allowing her to recover from recent health crises, stabilize medically, and reconnect with essential healthcare services.

As JB's condition improved, the team continued advocating on her behalf and exploring longer-term housing options. While two separate interim housing placements were identified, neither proved capable of meeting her unique needs. In both cases, JB chose to leave the programs and returned to the streets, highlighting the importance of finding an environment that could adequately support her physical and mental health challenges.

Undeterred, the Malibu Outreach Team remained engaged and continued searching for a more appropriate placement. Their persistence paid off when they identified an interim housing program better suited to JB's needs. The team coordinated every aspect of the intake process, provided ongoing encouragement and support, and helped ensure a successful transition into the program.

Today, JB is safely indoors and receiving the services, care, and stability she desperately needs. With the support of on-site case management staff and continued collaboration with the Malibu Outreach Team, she is working toward improved health and well-being while awaiting a permanent housing solution that can provide long-term stability and support.

JB's story reflects the importance of persistent outreach, individualized care, and unwavering commitment to those facing complex barriers to housing. Through patience, advocacy, and collaboration, the Malibu Outreach Team helped transform a cycle of homelessness and crisis into a renewed opportunity for safety, healing, and hope.

Next Steps:

Given ongoing fire weather conditions and the increased wildfire risk in Malibu, the outreach team remains highly aware of the safety concerns associated with individuals camping on hillsides and in other high-risk brush areas. The outreach team will continue to educate and encourage clients to relocate from these locations whenever possible and will emphasize the potential dangers posed by fire-related emergencies. The team will also promptly report any known encampments in high-risk areas to the appropriate agencies to support fire prevention efforts and enhance client safety.

MALIBU OUTREACH
OUTCOMES CHART

May 2026	Current Month	Current Month 2025
TOTAL CONTACTS	179	172
Unduplicated Contacts	51	54
New	6	3
ON-STREETS	44	48
Engaged	23	31
MOVED OFF-STREETS	4	4
Permanent Housing	0	1
Temporary Housing	3	2
Relocated	1	1
BACK on STREETS	1	0
OBTAINED VOUCHER	0	0

Legend:

Total Contacts:	**The number of outreach contacts made by the outreach team. This may include multiple contacts with one individual.**
Unduplicated Contacts:	**The number of individuals contacted.**
New:	**The number of individuals who were contacted for the first time.**
On-Streets:	**Individuals who are currently experiencing homelessness in Malibu and are in contact with the outreach team.**
Engaged	**Individuals on the streets who are in contact, and are interested in reciving services towards permanent housing.**
Moved Off-Streets	**The total number of individuals off the streets.**
Permanent housing	**Individuals who have moved into permanent housing, either supported through a housing voucher, or independently.**
Temporary Housing	**Individuals who have moved into temporary housing, such as bridge housing, interim housing, or shelters.**
Relocated	**Individuals who have left Malibu, with or without a housing plan. Individuals who have not been contacted or seen for 12 months are counted as relocated.**
Obtained Voucher	**Indivudals who obtained a voucher in the current month**

The People Concern Malibu Outreach Team

June 2026 Report

Outcomes

In June 2026, the total number of contacts made by the outreach team was 198, with 49 unduplicated contacts 6 individuals were contacted in permanent or temporary housing. Of the 43 unduplicated contacts currently on the streets, 6 were new contacts, with 2 of them becoming repeat contacts. There are currently 17 contacts considered in various stages of engagement, and 26 are refusing services at this point. The outreach team continues to contact these individuals with the goal of getting them engaged in the housing process.

Success Story

For nearly two years, The People Concern's Malibu Outreach team remained committed to supporting a soft-spoken elderly woman experiencing homelessness whom the team first met at the Malibu Library.

When they initially engaged with her, she shared that she simply needed financial assistance to move into a home she claimed to have purchased in Malibu. However, she was reluctant to provide details about the arrangement, and the amount of money she said she needed changed from conversation to conversation. While the story raised concerns, the team continued to build trust through consistent, compassionate outreach rather than judgment.

As their relationship with her deepened, the team discovered that she had become the victim of an online romance scam. Someone posing as a celebrity had manipulated her into believing they were helping her secure a home in Malibu while repeatedly requesting money. Recognizing that she was being financially exploited and was particularly vulnerable due to her age and mental health needs, the Malibu Outreach team submitted multiple Adult Protective Services (APS) reports and coordinated additional support.

The team referred her to the Department of Mental Health Homeless Outreach & Mobile Engagement (HOME) team and connected her with the Venice Family Clinic Street Medicine Outreach team. Through this collaboration, she began receiving medical care, psychiatric support, and medications to address both her physical health and mental health needs.

Over many months, the Malibu Outreach team continued having patient, supportive conversations with her about the online relationship. Rather than pressuring her, they consistently provided education, reassurance, and encouragement. Eventually, she experienced a breakthrough and recognized that she had been the victim of fraud. She made the courageous decision to end contact with the scammer and begin focusing on her own health and future.

With renewed trust in her care team, she agreed to accept interim housing, something she had consistently declined since her very first encounter with outreach staff. After several weeks in shelter, she experienced remarkable improvements in both her physical and mental health and began rebuilding connections with her support system.

Most importantly, she successfully reconnected with her family in Idaho, who welcomed the opportunity to bring her home.

In June, the Department of Mental Health HOME team, interim housing case management staff, and The People Concern's Malibu Outreach team worked together to coordinate her family reunification. Their collaboration included arranging transportation to the airport, ensuring she departed with at least a one-month supply of her medications, and maintaining ongoing communication with her family to support a smooth transition.

Today, she is no longer living on the streets. She is safely reunited with her family, housed, medically stable, and surrounded by the support she deserves.

Her story is a powerful reminder that meaningful outreach is built on persistence, patience, and trust. What began as a series of conversations at the Malibu Library evolved into a life changing partnership that protected a vulnerable older

adult from financial exploitation, connected her to critical medical and behavioral health services, and ultimately helped her return home to the people who love her.

Next Steps:

With increasing summer temperatures on the horizon, the Outreach Team will prioritize heat related outreach efforts to help reduce the risk of heat illness among vulnerable community members. Outreach staff will provide cold drinking water, cooling supplies, and other essential items while educating individuals on staying safe during periods of extreme heat. The team will also distribute information on Los Angeles County cooling centers and assist clients in accessing these resources when needed. During declared extreme weather events, outreach staff will work with eligible individuals to connect them with County funded Extreme Weather Motel programs when available, ensuring access to safe, temporary shelter during dangerous heat conditions.

MALIBU OUTREACH
OUTCOMES CHART

June 2026	Current Month	Current Month 2025
TOTAL CONTACTS	198	188
Unduplicated Contacts	49	52
New	8	6
ON-STREETS	43	42
Engaged	17	22
MOVED OFF-STREETS	1	2
Permanent Housing	0	0
Temporary Housing	0	2
Relocated	1	0
BACK on STREETS	0	2
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