



**CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS
REGULAR MEETING OF THE
TRAFFIC COMMISSION
AGENDA**

APRIL 17, 2025

6:00 P.M.

**CITY HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS
11710 TELEGRAPH ROAD
SANTA FE SPRINGS, CA 90670**

TRAFFIC COMMISSION

Blake Carter, Chairperson

Felix Miranda, Vice Chairperson

Johana Coca, Commissioner

Sally Gaitan, Commissioner

CITY STAFF

Public Works Director

Traffic Engineer

Whittier Police Services Sergeant

Secretary

James Enriquez, PE

Roy Kim

Matthew J. Handlen

Vivian De León

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viviandeleon@santafesprings.org.

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

INSTALLATION OF CHAIRPERSON AND VICE CHAIR

PRESENTATIONS - NONE

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON NON-AGENDA AND AGENDA ITEMS

At this time, the public may address the Traffic Commission on both non-agenda and agenda items. Please be aware that the maximum time allotted for members of the public to speak shall not exceed three (3) minutes per speaker. State Law prohibits the Traffic Commission from taking action or entertaining extended discussion on a topic not listed on the agenda. Please show courtesy to others and direct all comments to the Chairperson.

OLD BUSINESS – NONE

REGULAR BUSINESS - NONE

STAFF COMMUNICATIONS ON ITEMS OF COMMUNITY INTEREST

CONSENT CALENDAR

All matters listed under the Consent Calendar are considered to be routine. Any items a Traffic Commissioner wishes to discuss should be designated at this time. All other items may be approved in a single motion.

1. **MINUTES OF JANUARY 16, 2025 REGULAR TRAFFIC COMMISSION MEETING.**
RECOMMENDATION: IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE TRAFFIC COMMISSION:
 - 1) Approve the minutes as submitted.
2. **TRAFFIC BUREAU REPORTS – OCTOBER, NOVEMBER, AND DECEMBER 2024**
RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Traffic Commission:
 - 1) Receive the reports for October, November, and December 2024.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION COMMENTS

Traffic Commission announcements; requests for future agenda items.

ADJOURNMENT

I, Vivian De Léon, Secretary to the Traffic Commission hereby certify that a copy of this agenda has been posted no less than 72 hours before the meeting at the following locations: City's website at www.santafesprings.org; Santa Fe Springs City Hall, 11710 Telegraph Road; Santa Fe Springs City Library, 11700 Telegraph Road; and the Town Center Plaza (Kiosk), 11740 Telegraph Road.



Vivian De Léon, Secretary

April 10, 2025
Date



**MINUTES OF THE CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS
REGULAR MEETING OF THE
TRAFFIC COMMISSION
JANUARY 16, 2025**

CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson Carter called the meeting to order at 6:0 PM.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: Commissioners Coca, Gaitan, and Hayes, and Chairperson Carter

Member Absent: Commissioner Coca, and Vice Chair Miranda.

PRESENTATIONS: None.

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON NON-AGENDA AND AGENDA ITEMS

There was no one present for public comments.

STAFF COMMUNICATIONS ON ITEMS OF COMMUNITY INTEREST

Public Works Director Enriquez provided an overview of the grant the City received from the Federal Railroad Administration for the Norwalk/Los Nietos Grade Separation project. This grant includes a \$330,000 local match to the City and an additional \$330,000 to BNSF Railway. The City plans to use part of the funding to conduct a grade separation study and acquire the necessary right-of-way properties, with a study completion date of December 2026.

CONSENT CALENDAR

All matters listed under the Consent Calendar are considered routine. Any items a Traffic Commissioner wishes to discuss should be designated at this time. All other items may be approved in a single motion.

1. MINUTES OF THE NOVEMBER 21, 2024 TRAFFIC COMMISSION MEETING.

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Traffic Commission:

- 1) Approve the minutes as submitted.

2. TRAFFIC BUREAU REPORTS FOR JULY, AUGUST, AND SEPTEMBER 2024.

RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the Traffic Commission:

- 1) Receive the reports for July, August, and September 2024.

Traffic Sergeant Handlen provided a brief rundown of the traffic report statistics for each month.

Commissioner Hayes motioned the approval of the consent calendar, and Commissioner Gaitan seconded the motion by the following roll call vote:

AYES: Hayes, Gaitan and Carter

NAYES: None

ABSENT: Coca, and Miranda

RECUSED: None

TRAFFIC COMMISSION COMMENTS

Commissioner Hayes thanked Sergeant Handlen for his service to the community.

Chairperson Carter thanked the firefighters and police personnel for their service to the community.

ADJOURNMENT

Chairperson Carter adjourned the meeting at 6:18 PM.



CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS

TRAFFIC COMMISSION AGENDA STAFF REPORT

TO: Honorable Chairperson and Commissioners
FROM: Arlene Salazar, Director of Police Services
BY: Maricela Gomez, Administrative Assistant
SUBJECT: TRAFFIC BUREAU REPORTS – OCTOBER 2024 – DECEMBER 2024
DATE: April 17, 2025

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Traffic Commission:

- 1) Receive and file the reports from October 2024 to December 2024.

FISCAL IMPACT

N/A

BACKGROUND

The attached Traffic Bureau Reports reflect detail statistical information from October 2024 to December 2024. Currently, the Traffic Bureau are preparing January – March 2025 statistics.

ANALYSIS

A summary of primary collision factors and special conditions is provided below:

Total Accidents from October 2024 to December 2024: 187

Fatalities: 1

Injuries: 72

Property Damage: 114

Special Conditions:

DUI: 16

Bicycle: 1

Pedestrian: 7

ENVIRONMENTAL

N/A

DISCUSSION

N/A

SUMMARY/NEXT STEPS

N/A

ATTACHMENTS:

A. Attachment A – Traffic Bureau Monthly Reports October 2024 – December 2024

ITEM STATUS:

APPROVED: ☐

DENIED: ☐

TABLED: ☐

DIRECTION GIVEN: ☐

WHITTIER POLICE DEPARTMENT

TRAFFIC BUREAU MONTHLY REPORT

Santa Fe Springs

October 2024

COLLISION REPORTS				COLLISIONS BY TIME	
Property Damage	41			Morning (0000-0800)	15
Injury	24			Day (0800-1600)	27
Fatal	1			Night (1600-0000)	24
Total	66			Unknown	0
DUI Related	8			ENFORCEMENT	
CPI	6			Moving Citations	190
Pedestrian	3			Moving Violations	250
Bicycle	1			Hazardous Violations	159
Hit and Run	22			Parking Citations	483
Traffic Enforcement Operations: (9) Operations, (81) stops, and (74) citations				HIGH COLLISION INTERSECTIONS	
PRIMARY COLLISION FACTORS				Year-to-Date	
				Florence/Orr and Day	13
Improper Turning	108			Telegraph/Shoemaker	13
Auto R/W Violation	97			Florence/Pioneer	11
Unsafe Speed	88			Florence/Bloomfield	10
Other Improper Driving	81			Valley View/Alondra	9
Traffic Signals and Signs	53			Florence/Shoemaker	8
YEAR-TO-DATE	2023	2024	DIFF	% CHANGE	
Property Damage	289	329	40	14%	
Injury	222	235	13	5.86%	
Fatal	10	5	-5	-50%	
Total	521	569	48	9%	
DUI Related	39	41	2	5%	
CPI	71	75	4	6%	
Pedestrian	25	13	-12	-48%	
Bicycle	12	7	-5	-42%	
Hit and Run	163	185	22	13%	
Persons Injured	324	355	31	10%	
Persons Killed	10	5	-5	-50%	

October 2024 Pedestrian / Bicycle Report

Case Number	Date	Time	Location	Type	Special Conditions
Pedestrian v.s. Vehicle					
24-903347	10/2/2024	21:02	Cedardale/Telegraph	Pedestrian	Fatal
24-903467	10/12/2024	0:50	12588 Florence Ave.	Pedestrian	Complaint of Pain
24-903771	10/23/2024	8:00	Broadway/Washington	Pedestrian	Other Visible Injury
Bicycle v.s. Vehicle					
24-903619	10/24/2025	14:08	Slauson/Allport	Bicycle	Complaint of Pain

WHITTIER POLICE DEPARTMENT

TRAFFIC BUREAU MONTHLY REPORT

Santa Fe Springs

November 2024

COLLISION REPORTS		COLLISIONS BY TIME	
Property Damage	32	Morning (0000-0800)	15
Injury	23	Day (0800-1600)	27
Fatal	0	Night (1600-0000)	24
Total	55	Unknown	0
DUI Related	6	ENFORCEMENT	
CPI	13	Moving Citations	234
Pedestrian	1	Moving Violations	289
Bicycle	0	Hazardous Violations	191
Hit and Run	14	Parking Citations	645
Traffic Enforcement Operations: (11) Operations, (100) stops, and (94) citations		HIGH COLLISION INTERSECTIONS	
PRIMARY COLLISION FACTORS		Year-to-Date	
Year-to-Date		Florence/Pioneer	14
Improper Turning	118	Florence/Orr and Day	13
Auto R/W Violation	104	Telegraph/Shoemaker	13
Unsafe Speed	95	Florence/Bloomfield	11
Other Improper Driving	86	Florence/Shoemaker	10
Traffic Signals and Signs	59	Valley View/Alondra	10

YEAR-TO-DATE	2023	2024	DIFF	% CHANGE
Property Damage	325	361	36	11%
Injury	246	258	12	5%
Fatal	10	5	-5	-50%
Total	581	624	43	7%
DUI Related	41	47	6	15%
CPI	77	88	11	14%
Pedestrian	28	14	-14	-50%
Bicycle	12	7	-5	-42%
Hit and Run	181	199	18	10%
Persons Injured	369	391	22	6%
Persons Killed	10	5	-5	-50%

November 2024 Pedestrian / Bicycle Report

Case Number	Date	Time	Location	Type	Special Conditions
Pedestrian v.s. Vehicle					
24-903944	11/22/2024	4:45	Alondra/Valley View	Pedestrian	Complaint of Pain
Bicycle v.s. Vehicle					
No Bicycle Crashes to Report					

WHITTIER POLICE DEPARTMENT

TRAFFIC BUREAU MONTHLY REPORT

Santa Fe Springs

December 2024

COLLISION REPORTS		COLLISIONS BY TIME	
Property Damage	41	Morning (0000-0800)	15
Injury	25	Day (0800-1600)	17
Fatal	0	Night (1600-0000)	33
Total		Unknown	0
DUI Related	2	ENFORCEMENT	
CPI	8	Moving Citations	137
Pedestrian	3	Moving Violations	162
Bicycle	0	Hazardous Violations	112
Hit and Run	19	Parking Citations	434
Traffic Enforcement Operations: (9) Operations, (72) stops, and (69) citations		HIGH COLLISION INTERSECTIONS	
PRIMARY COLLISION FACTORS		Year-to-Date	
Improper Turning	133	Telegraph/Shoemaker	17
Auto R/W Violation	119	Pioneer/Florence	16
Unsafe Speed	105	Florence/Orr & Day	15
Other Improper Driving	93	Florence/Bloomfield	13
Traffic Signals and Signs	63	Florence/Shoemaker	11
		Valley View/Alondra	10

YEAR-TO-DATE	2023	2024	DIFF	% CHANGE
Property Damage	351	402	51	15%
Injury	279	283	4	1%
Fatal	10	5	-5	-50%
Total	640	690	50	8%
DUI Related	44	49	5	11%
CPI	85	96	11	13%
Pedestrian	31	17	-14	-45%
Bicycle	14	8	-6	-43%
Hit and Run	201	219	18	9%
Persons Injured	424	430	6	1%
Persons Killed	10	5	-5	-50%

December 2024 Pedestrian / Bicycle Report

Case Number	Date	Time	Location	Type	Special Conditions
Pedestrian v.s. Vehicle					
24-904065	12/2/2024	15:05	Florence/5 FWY	Pedestrian	Complaint of Pain
24-904090	12/4/2024	21:27	Sunglow/Arlee	Pedestrian	Other Visible Injury
24-904295	12/23/2024	17:15	8121 Broadway	Pedestrian	Complaint of Pain
Bicycle v.s. Vehicle					
No Bicycle Crashes to Report					