



City of Santa Fe Springs

AGENDA

FOR THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE: TRAFFIC COMMISSION

Council Chambers
11710 Telegraph Road
Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670

AUGUST 16, 2012
6:00 P.M.

Sally Gaitan, Chairperson
Ted Radoumis, Vice Chairperson
Gregory Berg, Traffic Commissioner
Lillian Puentes, Traffic Commissioner
Ruben Madrid, Traffic Commissioner

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1. **CALL TO ORDER**2. **ROLL CALL**

Gregory Berg, Commissioner
Lillian Puentes, Commissioner
Ruben Madrid, Commissioner
Ted Radoumis, Vice Chairperson
Sally Gaitan, Chairperson

3. **ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE AUDIENCE**

This is the time when comments may be made by interested persons on matters not on the agenda having to do with City traffic-related matter.

NEW BUSINESS4. Traffic Bureau Report – July 2012

Recommendation: That the Commission receive and file the report for July 2012.

5. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

a. Regular Traffic Commission Meeting of July 19, 2012.

Recommendation: That the Traffic Commission approve the minutes as submitted.

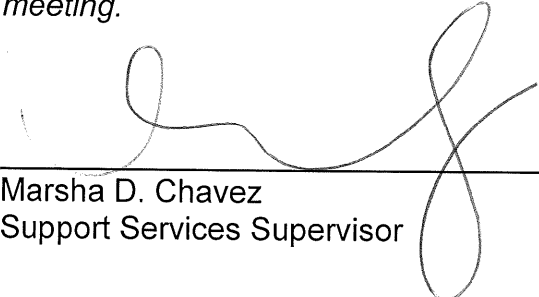
6. **COMMUNICATIONS**

Commission

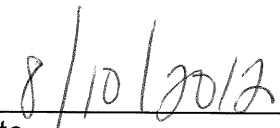
Staff

7. **ADJOURNMENT**

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Marsha D. Chavez
Support Services Supervisor



Date



City of Santa Fe Springs

Traffic Commission Meeting

August 16, 2012

NEW BUSINESS

Traffic Bureau Report – July 2012

RECOMMENDATION

That the Commission receive and file the report for July 2012.

BACKGROUND

The attached Traffic Bureau Report has been prepared that details statistical information for the month of July 2012.

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

Total Accidents for Month: 55

Fatalities:	0
Injuries:	18
Property Damage:	37

Special Conditions

DUI:	3
Bicycle:	3
Pedestrian:	0

Dino Torres
Director of Police Services

Attachment(s):

Traffic Bureau Report

City of Santa Fe Springs Served by Whittier Police Department **Traffic Bureau Report**

IN THE MONTH OF JULY 2012, THERE WERE 55 COLLISIONS REPORTED WHICH IS AN INCREASE OF 14 FROM THE SAME MONTH LAST YEAR.

JULY 2011

FATAL	0
INJURY	23
PROPERTY DAMAGE	18
TOTAL	41

JULY 2012

FATAL	0
INJURY	18
PROPERTY DAMAGE	37
TOTAL	55

COLLISIONS TO DATE 2011

FATAL	1
INJURY	114
PROPERTY DAMAGE	230
TOTAL	345

COLLISIONS TO DATE 2012

FATAL	2
INJURY	115
PROPERTY DAMAGE	226
TOTAL	343

INJURED PERSONS TO DATE	114
PERSONS KILLED TO DATE	1

INJURED PERSONS TO DATE	115
PERSONS KILLED TO DATE	2

NUMBER OF COLLISIONS BY WATCH

MORNING	12
DAY	25
NIGHT	17
UNKNOWN	1

NUMBER OF COLLISIONS BY DAY

SUNDAY	8	THURSDAY	10
MONDAY	6	FRIDAY	5
TUESDAY	8	SATURDAY	10
WEDNESDAY	8	UNKNOWN	0

NUMBER OF COLLISIONS BY TIME OF DAY

0001-0059	1	1200-1259	5	UNKNOWN	1
0100-0159	2	1300-1359	1		
0200-0259	1	1400-1459	3		
0300-0359	0	1500-1559	5		
0400-0459	1	1600-1659	3		
0500-0559	2	1700-1759	6		
0600-0659	4	1800-1859	4		
0700-0759	1	1900-1959	4		
0800-0859	1	2000-2059	1		
0900-0959	0	2100-2159	1		
1000-1059	2	2200-2259	1		
1100-1159	5	2300-2359	0		

THERE WERE 3 COLLISIONS INVOLVING PERSONS DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF ALCOHOL/DRUGS.

THERE WERE 0 PEDESTRIAN AND 3 BICYCLE COLLISION REPORTED DURING THE MONTH. THERE WERE 16 HIT & RUN COLLISIONS REPORTED. THERE WERE 5 COLLISIONS INVOLVING CITY PROPERTY.

PERSONS INJURED 27

PERSONS KILLED 0

PRIMARY COLLISIONS FACTORS

RIGHT OF WAY	(6)	21800, 21801, 21802, 21803, 21804
SPEED	(17)	22350, 22348, 22349 CVC
SIGNS/SIGNAL VIOLATIONS	(6)	21453, 22450 CVC
DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE	(3)	23152, 23153 CVC

CITATION STATISTICS

YTD

NO INSURANCE	(42)	16028(A), 16028(C) CVC	183
UNLICENSED DRIVER	(42)	12500(A) CVC	259
SUSPENDED LICENSE	(1)	14601, 14601.1, 14601.2 CVC	23
SEATBELT/CHILD RESTRAINT	(9/0)	27315(D),(E), 27360(A), (B)	82/6
CELL PHONE/TEXTING	(26/5)	23123/23123.5	130/16

JULY 2011

MOVING CITATIONS	324
MOVING VIOLATIONS	406
HAZARDOUS VIOLATIONS	
PARKING CITATIONS	300

Traffic Enforcement Index-

JULY 2012

MOVING CITATIONS	269
MOVING VIOLATIONS	365
HAZARDOUS VIOLATIONS	172
PARKING CITATIONS	215

Traffic Enforcement Index-9.5

YEAR TO DATE 2011

MOVING CITATIONS	2829
MOVING VIOLATIONS	3748
HAZARDOUS VIOLATIONS	
PARKING CITATIONS	2007

Traffic Enforcement Index-

YEAR TO DATE 2012

MOVING CITATIONS	2139
MOVING VIOLATIONS	2862
HAZARDOUS VIOLATIONS	1136
PARKING CITATIONS	1380

Traffic Enforcement Index- 9.9

THREE HIGH COLLISION INTERSECTIONS FOR THE MONTH:

1. Telegraph Rd/Shoemaker Ave
2. Telegraph Rd/Bartley Ave (W)
3. Telegraph Rd/Bartley Ave (E)

- 2 T/C Unsafe Speed/Signals & Signs
- 2 T/C Unsafe Speed/Signals & Signs
- 2 T/C Signals & Signs/ Unknown

JULY 2012 PEDESTRIAN/BIKE ACCIDENT REPORT

<u>Accident Address</u>	<u>Accident Date and Time</u>	<u>Accident Motor Vehicle Involved With</u>	<u>Accident Number</u>
13800 E IMPERIAL HWY	07/05/2012 19:00:00	G, BICYCLE	12902193
12700 S SHOEMAKER AVE	07/10/2012 16:38:00	G, BICYCLE	12902256
9500 S ORR AND DAY RD	07/16/2012 18:38:00	G, BICYCLE	12902310

**MINUTES
REGULAR TRAFFIC COMMISSION MEETING
CITY OF SANTA FE SPRINGS
JULY 19, 2012**

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson Gaitan called the Traffic Commission meeting to order at 6:10 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

Present: Traffic Commissioners Puentes, Vice Chairperson Radoumis, and Chairperson Gaitan.

Absent: Traffic Commissioners Berg and Madrid.

Also present: Noe Negrete, Director of Public Works; and Marsha D. Chavez, Support Services Supervisor.

3. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE AUDIENCE

Chairperson Gaitan announced that this is the time when comments may be made by interested persons on matters not on the agenda having to do with any City traffic-related matter. There being no one who addressed the Commission, Oral Communications were declared closed.

NEW BUSINESS

4. Traffic Bureau Report – May 2012

Mr. Negrete reviewed the Traffic Bureau Report for the month of May. The report reflected that there were 49 accidents reported during the month of May 2012, a slight decrease from May 2011. There were four driving under the influence incidents, no bicycle incidents, and two pedestrian incidents. There were six hit and run accidents reported. Moving Citations, Moving Violations, Hazardous Violations, and Parking Citations decreased from May 2012 compared to May 2011. The Traffic Enforcement Index was at 9.3 for the month. The intersections with the most accidents for the month were Florence Avenue/Pioneer Boulevard, Los Nietos Road/Painter Avenue, and Rosecrans Avenue/Marquardt Avenue.

Commissioner Puentes made a motion to receive and file the report for May 2012; Vice Chairperson Radoumis seconded the motion which carried unanimously.

5. Traffic Bureau Report – June 2012

Mr. Negrete reviewed the Traffic Bureau Report for the month of June. The report reflected that there were 41 accidents reported during the month of June 2012, a slight decrease from June 2011. There were two driving under the influence incidents and no bicycle or pedestrian incidents. There were sixteen hit and run accidents reported. Moving Citations, Moving Violations and Parking Citations decreased from June 2012 compared to June 2011. The Traffic

Enforcement Index was at 18.2 for the month. The intersections with the most accidents for the month were Lakeland Road/Bloomfield Avenue, Valley View Avenue/Stage Road, and Carmenita Road/Telegraph Road.

Vice Chairperson Radoumis made a motion to receive and file the report for June 2012; Commissioner Puentes seconded the motion which carried unanimously.

6. Procedures for Setting Speed Limits on City Streets

Mr. Negrete gave an in-depth presentation on the legal requirements and procedures for setting speed limits in various areas. The Commission generally discussed the information presented.

7. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Commissioner Puentes made a motion to approve the minutes of the Regular Traffic Commission meeting of May 17, 2012 and Vice Chairperson Radoumis seconded the motion which carried unanimously.

8. **COMMUNICATIONS**

Commission

Vice Chairperson Radoumis mentioned that unfortunately the firework sales were down for the Sister-City Committee this year. He further noted that the community's Relay for Life event was published in the Chamber Newsletter.

Commissioner Puentes mentioned that she was in attendance at the recent concert at Los Nietos Park and that it was an inexpensive enjoyable event.

Chairperson Gaitan noted that there will be a historical book sale at the City Library.

Staff

None.

9. **ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business to come before the Traffic Commission, it was motioned by Vice Chairperson Radoumis and seconded by Commissioner Puentes that the meeting be adjourned, the time being 7:11 p.m.

CHAIRPERSON

ATTEST:

SUPPORT SERVICES SUPERVISOR