



MOUNTAINS RECREATION & CONSERVATION AUTHORITY
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MEMORANDUM

DATE: October 28, 2010
TO: Tom Odom, City of Rancho Palos Verdes
FROM: Jewel Johnson, Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority
RE: Ranger Services Invoice#B0910-04

Park Visitor Contacts

- August 1 – September 19, 2010
- 295 patrol hours
- 400-600 Park Visitors

8 Warned and Advised

- 3 Dogs off Leash (1 – Point Vicente Interpretive Center / 2 - Portuguese)
- 5 No dogs on the beach (2 - Shoreline Park parking lot / 3 - above Sacred Cove)

5 Citations Issued

- 1 Dogs off Leash (1 - Portuguese)
- 2 Dogs Prohibited on Beach (LA County Code – Sacred Cove)
- 2 Nude Sunbathing (Sacred Cove)
- 1 Fishing without license (Fisherman Access)

Park Maintenance

Portuguese Bend Reserve:

- Picked up litter around trash cans (lids needed to keep birds out)
- Pick up litter on trails (i.e. water bottles)
- Removed sticker off front desk

Abalone Cove Reserve:

- Picked up litter around trash cans (lids needed to keep birds out)
- Dismantled stone cabanas (Sacred Cove)



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Park Maintenance continued

Forrestal Reserve

- Pick up trash and litter off trail and around trash cans

Interpretative / Signage

- Junior Ranger Program (PILOT)

Abalone Cove Tide Pools – No unusual activity. No after hour activity during the four (4) late patrols.

Abalone Cove Reserve (Sacred Cove) – We continue to see a diverse group of people using the cove. We issued two (2) nude sunbathing citations and two (2) No dogs on beach (LA County code violations). No after hour activity during the four (4) late patrols.

Portuguese Bend - Continued education on being prepared for hiking (i.e. bring water and proper footwear). All user groups were present during this period. We have continued to reach out to mountain bikers regarding responsible usage (i.e. speed). The signage along the "Rim" Trail needs to be clearer. We had some rain days and the park usage dropped considerably due to trail conditions. No after hour activity during the four (4) late patrols.

Forrestal Reserve – Park usage remains during morning hours and after work hours. The usage of the soccer fields have decreased. No after hour activity during the four (4) late patrols.

Three Sisters – No unusual activity

Fisherman Access – Issued one (1) Fish and Game violation (fishing without license)

Torrance Superior Court – The court is in possession of all documentation and their should be no further issues regarding our citations.

- Bail Schedule approved
- Re-submit/file citations
- Hand delivered copy of Bail Schedule approval