



## **TRAFFIC**

The Lomita Station Traffic Office oversees traffic collision investigations, traffic violation enforcement, and general traffic safety concerns in the community.

### ***WHAT IF I GET A TRAFFIC TICKET?***

Nobody enjoys getting a traffic ticket, but if you do receive one, you have three options on to handle it:

1. Your first option is to simply pay the fine.
2. Your second option is to attend traffic school. Traffic school will keep the moving violation off of your driver's record and keep it from your insurance company, which helps keep your insurance rates lower.
3. Your final option is to contest the ticket in front of a judge.

Whichever option you pick, you must contact the court before the designated court date to arrange one of the above. Please wait approximately two weeks before contacting the court so that your citation can be processed into the court system.

There are three ways you can contact the court. If you have internet access, you may pay the fine, request an extension, request traffic school, or look up your citation by [clicking here](#) or visiting [www.LASuperiorCourt.org](http://www.LASuperiorCourt.org). You can also appear in person at the designated courthouse or use the automated phone system by calling (310) 860-0070.

If you have received a "Fix-It" ticket (vehicle registration or repair), Lomita Station personnel can sign off your ticket for a \$15 service charge once the repair has been made. Simply bring your repaired vehicle and the citation to the Lomita Sheriff's Station and we will be happy to provide you with proof of repair / correction for the court.

### ***WHAT IF I'M INVOLVED IN A TRAFFIC COLLISION?***

The most important thing is to make sure you and the other parties are not injured. If someone is injured and requires EMERGENCY medical assistance by paramedics, call 911 immediately.

If there are no injuries and you need a Sheriff's deputy to respond and take a report, please call (310) 539-1661. Be prepared to present your driver's license, vehicle registration, and proof of insurance to the deputy when he or she arrives.

Traffic reports take 10-14 business days before they are processed and available. If you would like to request a copy of a traffic collision report, please call the traffic office and have your report number ready. Copies of traffic collision reports cost \$23 and are payable by check or cash. Be aware, you must be listed on the report to receive a copy.

### ***I WANT TO REPORT A TRAFFIC PROBLEM***

If you live in the city of Lomita, Rancho Palos Verdes, Rolling Hills, or Rolling Hills Estates, please contact Traffic Sergeant Blanchard at 310-539-1661. Please include the nature of the problem or concern, the time of occurrence and the exact street location or intersection, including the city.