



Los Angeles County Operational Area Disaster Communications Service

After Action Report (AAR)

District: LMT

Date: 10/22/2023

Activity: 2023 Prepared Peninsula Expo

Date of Event: 10/22/2023 **Time:** 0800

To Date: 10/22/2023 **Time:** 1330

Number of DCS Members: 5 **Hours:** 23.2 **Please Attach A Copy of the Sign-In Sheet**

DCS Incident Commander: D. Bouvier Staff 50

Net Control Operator(s): n/a., .

DCS Safety Officer(s): D. Bouvier Staff 50, .

Command Post Location / Address: 27118 Silver Spur Road, Rolling Hills Estates, CA 90274

Purpose of Activity: DCS booth/exhibit at Prepared Peninsula Expo, 1000-1300 hours. Promoting Disaster Preparedness, amateur radio and DCS. Setup began at 0800.

Who Requested DCS? Name: Sgt McCoy who was in attendance **Agency:** LASD Lomita Station

Overview of the Event / How Was DCS Used: Lomita DCS was specifically invited to participate as an exhibitor in a community event sponsored by the 4 cities on the Palos Verdes Peninsula. There was good traffic and conversation with the visitors at our booth. Our business cards were distributed for follow up to those who might be interested. Flyers for the upcoming amateur radio classes were handed out. A 1953 Ford PV Estates patrol car and the Area G Mobile Command Post vehicle were prominent display items.

Suggestions / Issues: This event is completely consistent with the DCS mission and should be supported in future years. Suggest one of the MCUs be deployed to gain more LASD visibility.

Equipment / Modes of Communications Used: 2m mobile and multi-band handhelds with Winlink demonstrations. A solar generator was used to power the the computer and display.

Other Agencies Involved: LASD Lomita, LASD Narcotics, LACoFire, LACo Animal Control, PV Estates PD plus numerous volunteer organizations such as PV CERT, PVE NART, Rancho PV PVAN

Prepared By: D. Bouvier Staff 50.

Date: 10/24/2023

After Action Reports are to be submitted to the Administrative Staff no later than 10 working days after the Event / Incident