

## **Los Angeles County Operational Area Disaster Communications Service**

## After Action Report (AAR)

District: 17 - Lomita Date: 10/4/2013

Activity: City of Rancho Palos Verdes Annual EOC Activation and Disaster Drill

**Date of Event:** 9/26/2013 **Time:** 0930 **To Date:** 9/26/2013 **Time:** 1445

Number of DCS Members: 7 Hours: 41 Please Attach A Copy of the Sign-In Sheet

DCS Incident Commander: Deane Bouvier, T-02

Net Control Operator(s): Deane Bouvier T-02, Jerry Kendrick T-03

DCS Safety Officer(s): Deane Bouvier T-02, Unit I.D.

Command Post Location / Address: Lomita Sheriff's Station, 26123 S. Narbonne Ave., Lomita, CA, and

Rancho Palos Verdes City Hall, 30940 Hawthorne Blvd., Rancho Palos Verdes, CA.

Purpose of Activity: Annual test of activating the city's Emergency Operations Center, staffing it, and handling information flows associated with reported events. The city also tests a "shift change" within the EOC for practicing hand-over to other EOC managers. From DCS perspective, message handling to/from Lomita Sheriff's station and Rancho Palos Verdes Emergency Communications Center at RPV City Hall.

Who Requested DCS? Name: Tracy Bonano, Emergency Services **Agency:** City of Rancho Palos Coordinator Verdes

Overview of the Event / How Was DCS Used: DCS sent and received inject messages for the City's EOC drill through the Rancho Palos Verdes Emergency Communications Center. T-01 was inside the City EOC during the entire drill as an Evaluator for the City.

Suggestions / Issues: None pertaining to DCS. Suggestions and issues have been directed to the City of Rancho Palos Verdes for improvement of EOC operations and next year's EOC drill.

Equipment / Modes of Communications Used: 440-MHz repeaters, 220-MHz simplex

Other Agencies Involved: City of Rancho Palos Verdes, Los Angeles County Fire Department, LASD, Area G

Disaster Management Area Coordinator

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