

Outreach Coordinator Weekly Update

June 28 - July 2, 2021

Agoura Hills:

OC engaged A06 to re-visit the recent opportunity to move into Bridge Taper Housing. OC met with Amanda Alvarado regarding the LAHOP that was submitted last week. Because prior contact was made with IND, the current request will be canceled. Amanda requested OC submit a referral for Bridge Taper. IND stated that he wasn't interested in going to N. Hollywood at this time. OC to continue to follow up with IND.

OC contacted JT Manwell, Public Safety Liaison, on a daily basis.

OC canvassed Twin Oaks and Agoura Meadows. Engaged Dimantha and discussed shelter opportunities.

OC canvassed Kanan Rd and T.O. Blvd. Daily. No new contacts.

OC connected with Shane True, LAHSA Outreach, in Malibu. Shane verified that A01 was placed in Project RoomKey and continues to participate in the program. IND is waiting for permanent housing. OC updated JT Manwell, Public Safety Liaison.

OC canvassed Twin Oaks and Agoura Meadows. OC engaged A06. IND stated that he did not want to go to shelter because the air conditioning is poisonous. OC suggested he enroll in a shelter program next winter when the facility is not running the AC. IND stated that being inside with the heater running is worse. IND does not like the idea of living in N. Hollywood.

OC contacted JT Manwell who stated that an individual experiencing homelessness that was seen at the Library several days ago is back. JT stated that the IND was not causing any disturbances. OC to attempt to locate IND tomorrow.

OC stopped at the Library to meet the manager and staff. Because of COVID-19, the Library shut down prior to OC starting outreach activities. Yesterday an individual experiencing homelessness caused a disturbance and the Sheriff was called. IND was harassing a patron and was asked to stop several times. SDs escorted IND off the property. A written warning is to be issued to IND. OC left contact info with staff. OC to check in at library occasionally.

Calabasas:

OC checked in with Michael McConville, Management Analyst. Nothing of concern to report.

OC canvassed The Commons, Calabasas Rd and Old Town on several occasions this week. No new contacts.

OC contacted Deputy Mateo to check in. SD stated that there had been a call regarding an individual experiencing homelessness at Albertsons. IND was agitated and swinging a stick at people. OC unsure how the situation was resolved. SD also stated that another complaint was received regarding an IND at the bus stop on Park Grenada. IND was urinating into the gutter. OC was unable to locate INDs.

OC engaged Male, 30s near Las Virgenes and Agoura Rd. IND was walking around Shell gas station. IND was carrying a large stick. OC asked IND if he had a conversation with Lost Hills Sheriff the day prior. IND stated that he had. IND was willing to engage. OC donated shoes and socks to IND. IND stated that he is from the Pacoima area. OC spoke to IND about Hope of the Valley and the services that they provide. IND stated that he would look up the organization on his phone. IND does not have cell service but is able to connect to the internet. OC stated that he will follow up with IND. IND here forward to be identified as C04.

Hidden Hills:

OC did not receive any requests from the city this week.

Malibu:

OC checked in with Deputy Espinoza who stated that he spoke to M12, who is camped in Legacy Park. IND is required to move as the city is clearing the area of all encampments due to the recent fire. IND stated that he has found a new place to go.

OC checked in with Securitas at Ralphs shopping center who stated that she has had to deal with recent minor issues regarding individuals experiencing homelessness. OC to continue to work with security at the location.

OC received an email from a local faith based organization regarding two new individuals who stopped by the facility seeking assistance. OC responded by phone and left a voicemail. OC to follow up.

OC canvassed Zuma Beach Boardwalk. No contacts.

OC canvassed Ralphs shopping center and checked in with security who was responding to a call regarding IND female, 40s. IND has frequented the area for many years. IND was asking patrons for money and causing a disturbance. IND was asked to leave the area. IND continues to be service resistant. OC was informed on Thursday that IND was arrested.

OC checked in at Malibu Pacific Church. Two INDs experiencing homelessness asked the church for assistance, filled out paperwork and never returned to follow through with the process. OC to continue working with MPC.

OC connected with Shane True, LAHSA Outreach, who was looking for an IND who had an appointment scheduled for intake at transitional housing. IND had missed his previous appointment but Shane was able to reschedule. OC was later notified that IND was located and transported to his appointment. IND to be identified as M16 here forward.

OC engaged M16 at lunch on Friday who stated that he was not happy at the bridge shelter and exited the program.

OC checked in with M12 at Legacy Park. IND stated that he found a new location and is preparing to move early Friday morning. The city is pushing INDs out of the park due to the recent brush fire.

OC checked in with Deputy Espinoza who stated that he engaged a new IND near Las Tunas. IND was in the area visiting a friend.

OC assisted with lunch. Approximately 30 INDs participated. Two new contacts. Male, 30s, has already engaged with TPC and is going to contact Veterans Services and assist IND with housing. Another Male, 30s, came to lunch and is not interested in services at this time.

OC canvassed Central Malibu daily.

OC engaged M14 who stated that he is soon to receive funds and wants to rent a vehicle. IND to use vehicle to look for housing. IND is holding a Section 8 Voucher and has had issues with securing housing. IND is working with a Case Manager.

Westlake Village:

OC canvassed Westlake Village Community Park, Agoura Rd. And T.O. Blvd. No contacts.

OC was contacted by email from Philippe Eskandar, Deputy City Manager, to set up a meeting to discuss the upcoming Homeless Study Session. OC to attend both events.

Other Activities:

OC participated in the Malibu Homeless Working Group.

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