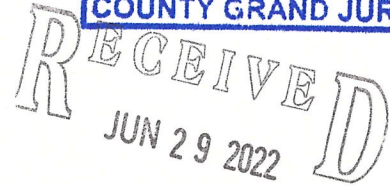




June 24, 2022

The Honorable Michael T. Smyth, Presiding Judge
Superior Court of California, County of San Diego
P.O. Box 122724
San Diego, CA 92102-2724



Re: Grand Jury Report on "Low Income Parking Citation Payment Plan – Compliance with Vehicle Code §40220 Legislative Requirements"

Dear Judge Smyth:


On June 23, 2022, the San Diego County Grand Jury released its report on "Low Income Parking Citation Payment Plan – Compliance with Vehicle Code §40220 Legislative Requirements", which included a number of findings and recommendations for local government and law enforcement agencies. State law requires that any public agency that the Grand Jury has reviewed, and about which it has issued a final report, provide comments to the Presiding Judge of the Superior Court on the findings and recommendations pertaining to the matters under the control of the agency. This letter will provide the comments for the City of La Mesa, signed by City Manager Greg Humora, and the La Mesa Police Department, signed by Chief of Police Ray Sweeney, for Recommendation 22-49.

Recommendation


22-49: Revise their parking citation notices to be CVC 40220 compliant with the most recent AB 3277 amendment.

This recommendation has been accepted and has already been implemented. Each of the La Mesa Police Department's parking citations on hand were modified with a sticker in February 2022 to reflect the compliant language recommended by the Grand Jury. All parking citations ordered in the future will have the compliant language printed on them.

Respectfully,



Greg Humora
City Manager



Ray Sweeney
Chief of Police

CC: La Mesa City Council