

HYBRID CAR RESEARCH

August, 2007

AGENCY	HYBRID - Y/N	TYPE - MARKED, UNMARKED, BOTH	ASSIGNMENT -ADMIN, INVEST, CSO, PATROL	MAKE OF VEHICLE	CODE 3 EQUIPPED RADIOS	COMMENTS
Randy Mendosa, Chief, Arcata PD, (707) 825- 2507	N	---	---	---	---	Looking at leasing unmarked through Enterprise Fleet Mgmt; if so, will include Toyota Camry as Admin option
Doug Hambleton, Chief, Berkeley PD, (510) 981- 5700	Y	Marked - White w/blue shield on door	CSO in traffic and cold calls, ID techs, parking enf. supervisors	Toyota Prius sedans (3)	---	Very positive feedback received from non-sworn who use cars. Other depts. use Prius for admin vehicles and are happy with them.
Robert Curtis, Beverly Hills PD (not Chief) rcurtis@beverlyhills.org	N	---	---	---	---	Used in other departments, i.e., Parking Enforcement, etc.
Bill Hutchinson, Captain, Brea PD (714) 990-7744	Y	Unmarked	School Resource Officers	Prius	---	Sedan used by School Resource Officers.
Paul Cooper, Chief, Claremont PD, (909) 399- 5401	Y	Unmarked	Admin. Services Detective Bureau	Toyota Highlander (1) Toyota Camry (1)	---	Regular emergency equipment installers not certified to install lights, sirens, radios, etc., so took time to find an installer. Vehicles cost significantly more than gas counterparts.
Sue Varend, Fleet Mgr., Clovis PD, SueV@ci.clovis.ca.us	Y	Unmarked	Generic travel, Court Liaison, DARE	Honda Civic (3)	---	Performed flawlessly; gas mileage awesome, no maintenance issues in 4 years of use
Gary McLane, Chief, Daly City PD, gmclane@dalycity.org	Y	Unmarked	Chief and two Captains	Toyota Camry (3)	---	Still being outfitted. Test drove a Ford Escape, but didn't like performance/feel
David Cummings, Chief, El Segundo PD, cummings@elsegundo.org	N	---	---	---	---	Would like results of hybrid survey.
Robert Watson, Lieutenant, Ft. Bragg PD, rwatson@fortbragg.com	N	---	---	---	---	Currently looking into hybrids/GEM or T3 electric for parking and spec. events. <u>City of Lindsey has Toyota Highlanders for front line; purchased with a grant.</u> Would like results of hybrid survey.

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Susan Jones, Chief, Healdsburg PD, (707) 431-3368	Y	Unmarked	Chief	Toyota Prius	Y	Will replace two unmarked with hybrids; Fire has a couple; Public Works has fleet of 6
Fred Deltorchio, Chief, Hercules PD, (510) 799- 8262	Y	Unmarked	Detectives	Honda Accord (1) Toyota Highlander (1)	N	Will replace his vehicle with a Ford Escape Hybrid next month. Dealer will equip with Code 3 equipment so as not to void warranty on battery.
David Mihalik, Deputy Chief, Irvine PD, (949) 724-7110	Y	Marked	Civilian Police Service Aides (ranger-type position)	Ford Escape 4x4	---	Will purchase 2 more Toyota Highlanders for use at a closed military base. Had civilian traffic investigator vans equipped w/natural gas, but had to be filled up several times per day.
Michael Sellers, Chief, Laguna Beach PD, (949) 497-0385	Y	Marked	Parking	Toyota Prius	---	Looking at adding some larger vehicles to fleet; however, initial operating costs are much higher, i.e., battery Haz Mat fee and not all vehicles can sustain the many add on "avionics" that draw amperage from system and changing overhead lights to the LED versions which draw less juice
Tom Connelly, Captain, Los Altos PD Tom.Connelly@ci.los- altos.ca.us	N	---	---	---	---	Had two electric Rav 4s several years ago used as pool cars for all City departments, which were good.
Randy Leaf, Captain, Manhattan Beach PD (310) 802-5108	Y	Unmarked	Detectives and Parking Enforcement	Honda Civic (2)	---	In process of getting another Mercury Mariner SUV for Parking Enforcement. Have five hybrids in City fleet with no problems so far.
Charles Halford, Chief, Manteca PD chalford@ci.manteca.ca.us	Y	Marked	Community Service Officers	Ford Escape (2)	---	City's Recycling Coordinator also has one; however, puts limited miles on it. Purchased on State bid.

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Dennis Graham, Chief, Milpitas PD, dgraham@ci.milpitas.ca.gov	N	---	---	---	---	---
Cmdr. Joe Sampson, Morgan Hill PD (408) 776-7318	N	---	---	---	---	Least expensive is Honda Civic at \$24,000 on State bid, which is over their price cap.
Scott Vermeer, Chief, Mountain View PD (650) 903- 6355	Y	Unmarked Marked	Admin CSO	Ford Escape	Y	---
Joe Cortez, Pismo Beach PD (805) 773-7029	Y	Unmarked	Chief (1) Commander (1)	2007 Honda Accord (2)	Y	Plenty of power (265 hp), very comfortable, plenty of space in the cabin. Gas mileage about 25 mpg. Question durability as service vehicle. Have LED emer. lights behind rear view mirror, radio, and mic installed in center console. Accords come in only two models – cheaper comes with power everything, sun roof, leather seats, XM radio, etc. More expensive adds navigation system. Honda is phasing out Accord after 2008 model.
George Nielsen, Chief, Placerville PD gnielsen@cityofplacerville.org	Y	Unmarked	Investigations Unit	Ford Escape SUV	---	Car funded through local Air Quality Management District grant.
Richard Bull, Chief, Ripon PD, (209) 599-2102	Y	Marked	Patrol	CNG (natural gas)	---	Cars were very bad and have been discontinued.
Stan Lumsden, Captain, Roseville PD (916) 774-5044	Y	Marked w/park enf. lettering on it	Parking Enforcement	Honda Civic	---	---
Greg Rothaus, Chief, San Carlos PD (650) 802-4223	Y	Unmarked	Chief	Ford Escape	Y	Currently purchasing it.

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Bruce Goitia, Chief, Menlo Park PD, BAGoitia@menlopark.org	N	---	---	---	---	---
John Maier, Sergeant, Sanger PD, (559) 801-3119	Y	Marked (black and white)	CSO But no light bar	Ford Escape (2)	---	Cars on order. Purchases all vehicles from Philpott Ford in Nederland, TX. They equip the vehicles turnkey at the best price. (<i>See attachment for more info.</i>)
Deborah Linden, Chief, San Luis Obispo PD (805) 781-7337	Y	Unmarked	DARE	Ford Escape SUV	---	Ordering soon. Additional educational opportunity for kids as DARE vehicle. As cars come up for replacement, and hybrid technology gets better, possibly they will be purchased for Admin.
Tony Levantino, Admin Bureau, Santa Ana PD TLevatino@ci.santa-ana.ca.us	Y	Unmarked Unmarked	Parking Control Lieutenants	Ford Escape SUV Honda Accord (3)	---	Fords are working well. Evaluated three Honda Accords for detectives but no one liked them; they wanted gas V-8 Chevy Impalas in the event of a pursuit.
Steve Lodge, Chief, Santa Clara PD slodge@ci.santa-clara.ca.us	Y	Unmarked	Admin. Services	Toyota Camry	---	We like them.
Scott Paulin, Chief, Sausalito PD (415) 289-4181	Y	Unmarked	Chief and Captain	2006 Honda Accord Sedans (2)	---	---
James Hawkins, Lieutenant, Sebastopol PD (707) 829-4400	Y	Unmarked	Parking/Animal Control	2004 Toyota Prius	---	Would not recommend for Animal Control vehicle.
Sebastopol PD (cont.)	Y	Unmarked	Chief	2006 Ford Escape	Y	Fully equipped with radio, lights, and siren; not used for regular patrol.

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Sebastopol PD (cont.)	Y	Unmarked	Captain	2008 Ford Escape	Y	Will be equipped in future. 2008 model has better amenities and more room for driver and front passenger. Two more 2008 Escapes were purchased for Fire Chief and Building Inspector. Fire Chief's is fully marked fire equipped with radio, lights, and siren, plus command setup in rear hatch which includes a radio.
Don Johnson, Chief, Sunnyvale DPS DJohnson@ci.sunnyvale.ca.us	N	---	---	---	---	---
Scott Berry, Chief, Truckee PD (SBerry@townoftruckee.com)	Y	Unmarked	Traveling to training, evidence to lab, etc.	Ford Escape SUV	---	Expect delivery in two weeks. Obtained through Quality Air Board grant
Carey Sullivan, Chief, Woodland PD (530) 661-7834	N	---	---	---	---	---

Toyota Prius	6
Toyota Highlander	2
Toyota Camry	5
Honda Civic	6
Honda Accord	8
Ford Escape	13
Total	40