SAFE PARKING

WHAT IS SAFE PARKING?

The Safe Parking program gives people living in their cars, vans, and RVs/campers a safe and legal place to park and sleep at night.

WHY DO SAFE PARKING PROGRAMS EXIST?

According to the 2019 Greater Los Angeles Homelessness Count. there are 16.525 people living in their cars, vans, or RVs/campers on any given night in Los Angeles County, which is 37% of all unsheltered people.

People living in their vehicles are often unaware of safe places to rest at night and often lack access to the homeless services delivery system and other community resources. Safe Parking programs can help fill this important gap and need.

Safe Parking is an approved strategy to address homelessness under the City of Los Angeles' Enhanced Comprehensive Homeless Strategy. Funding for the Safe Parking programs is administrated by the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA). Funding was made possible through the City and County of Los Angeles, and the State of California.

WHO CAN PARTICIPATE IN SAFE PARKING PROGRAMS?

The Safe Parking program is open to the following people:

- Those who are living in their cars, vans, or RVs/campers and have an operable vehicle. Since our Safe Parking programs are not 24 hours, participants must leave the lot by a certain time each morning.
- Those who have a valid driver's license. If someone has lost their driver's license. Safe Parking providers may be able to help pay for a replacement. Contact your Safe Parking provider to confirm.

WHAT SERVICES DO SAFE PARKING PROGRAMS PROVIDE?

- Safely park and rest their vehicle in a parking lot. On-site security is available at all hours of the program.
- Access and use a restroom and handwashing station on-site
- Get referrals to community resources such as housing, medical, benefits, education, employment.

Some programs may also have limited financial assistance available for participants. Site amenities vary according to each site. Please see site information on back.

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Safe Parking Locations

Where Can I Access This Program?

The Safe Parking Program operates throughout Los Angeles County. Site amenities vary according to each site.

Service Planning Area 1 | Antelope Valley

Provider: Volunteers of America Los Angeles -

Lancaster

of Available Parking Spaces: 40 Population Served: Adults, Youth

Days/Hours of Operation: 8:30 PM-6:30 AM Daily

Contact Information: (213) 999-5378

Amenities: On-site restrooms

Are RV's Allowed?: Yes

Provider: Hope of the Valley - Palmdale # of Available Parking Spaces: 30 Population Served: Adults, Families, Youth Days/Hours of Operation: 7 PM-7 AM Daily Contact Information: (661) 644-0915 or safeparking1@hopeofthevalley.org

Website: N/A

Amenities: On-site restrooms

Are RV's Allowed?: No

Service Planning Area 2 | San Fernando Valley

Provider: North Valley Caring Services - North Hills

Number of Spaces: 20

Population Served: Adults, Families

Hours of Operation: 7 p.m.- 7 a.m. Mon-Fri,

7 p.m. to 6 a.m. Sat & Sun

Contact Information: (818) 891-0481 Ext. 25

Website: www.nvcsinc.org **Amenities:** restrooms.

showers and breakfast available Mon, Wed & Fri,

food pantry available Tues, Wed, & Fri.

Are RV's Allowed?: Yes

Provider: Safe Parking LA - North Hollywood

Number of Spaces: 25

Population Served: Adults. Families

Hours of Operation: 8:30p.m.- 6:30a.m., Daily

Contact Information: (323)-210-3375 Website: www.safeparkingla.org Amenities: Portable Restrooms Are RV's Allowed?: As Available

Provider: Safe Parking LA - Reseda

Number of Spaces: 20

Population Served: Adults, Families

Hours of Operation: 8:30p.m.- 6:30a.m., Daily

Contact Information: (323)-210-3375
Website: www.safeparkingla.org
Amenities: Portable Restrooms

Are RV's Allowed?: No

Provider: Volunteers of America Los Angeles - Van Nuys

Number of Spaces: 20 Population Served: Adults

Hours of Operation: 9 p.m.- 6 a.m., Daily **Contact Information:** (213) 999-5378

Website: N/A

Amenities: Portable Restrooms

Are RV's Allowed?: No

Service Planning Area 3 | San Gabriel Valley

There are currently no LAHSA-administered Safe Parking sites in SPA 3.

Safe Parking Locations

Service Planning Area 4 | Metro Los Angeles

Provider: End Homelessness CA / Shower of Hope -

Glassell Park

Number of Spaces: 20 Population Served: Adults

Hours of Operation: 7 p.m.- 7 a.m. Daily **Contact Information:** (424) 343-7752

Website: N/A

Amenities: Portable restroom, 3 meals/week

Are RV's Allowed?: Yes

Provider: End Homelessness CA / Shower of Hope -

Westlake

Number of Spaces: 20 Population Served: Adults

Hours of Operation: 7 p.m.- 7 a.m. Daily **Contact Information:** (424) 343-7752

Website: N/A

Amenities: Portable restroom, 3 meals/week

Are RV's Allowed?: Yes

Provider: Safe Parking LA - Koreatown

Number of Spaces: 15

Population Served: Adults, Families Hours of Operation: 7 p.m.- 7 a.m. Daily Contact Information: (323)-210-3375 Website: www.safeparkingla.org Amenities: Portable restrooms

Are RV's Allowed?: No

Provider: Safe Parking LA - East Hollywood

Number of Spaces: 25 Population Served: Adults

Hours of Operation: 8:30 p.m.- 6:30a.m., Daily

Contact Information: (323)-210-3375 Website: www.safeparkingla.org Amenities: Portable restrooms

Are RV's Allowed?: No

Provider: Safe Parking LA - Echo Park

Number of Spaces: 14

Population Served: Adults, Families, Youth **Hours of Operation:** 8:30 p.m.- 6:30a.m., Daily

Contact Information: (323)-210-3375 Website: www.safeparkingla.org Amenities: Portable restrooms

Are RV's Allowed?: No

Provider: Volunteers of America Los Angeles-

Downtown LA

Number of Spaces: 20

Population Served: Adults, Families, Youth **Hours of Operation:** 9 p.m. – 6 a.m., Daily **Contact Information:** (213) 999–5378

Website: N/A

Amenities: Portable restrooms

Are RV's Allowed?: No

Safe Parking Locations

Service Planning Area 5 | West Los Angeles

Provider: Safe Parking LA - Pico-Robertson

Number of Spaces: 10

Population Served: Adults, Families

Hours of Operation: 8:30 p.m.- 6:30a.m., Daily

Contact Information: (323)-210-3375 **Website:** www.safeparkingla.org

Amenities: Portable restrooms, Wi-Fi, and

bi-weekly community dinners

Are RV's Allowed? No

Provider: Safe Parking LA - Sawtelle

Number of Spaces: 15

Population Served: Adults, Families

Hours of Operation: 8:30 p.m.- 6:30a.m., Daily

Contact Information: (323)-210-3375 Website: www.safeparkingla.org Amenities: Portable restrooms

Are RV's Allowed?: No

Provider: Safe Parking LA - Westchester

Number of Spaces: 5

Population Served: Women ONLY

Hours of Operation: 8:30 p.m.- 6:30a.m., Daily

Contact Information: (323)-210-3375 Website: www.safeparkingla.org Amenities: Portable restrooms

Are RV's Allowed?: No

Provider: Safe Parking LA - West Los Angeles

Number of Spaces: 50

Population Served: Veterans, Adults, Families,

and Youth

Hours of Operation: 8:30 p.m.- 6:30a.m., Daily

Contact Information: (323)-210-3375 Website: www.safeparkingla.org Amenities: Portable restrooms

Are RV's Allowed?: No

Service Planning Area 6 | South Los Angeles

Provider: SSG / HOPICS - South LA Crocker

Number of Spaces: 35

Population Served: Adults, Families

Hours of Operation: 8:15 p.m.- 7 a.m., Daily Contact Information: (323) 948-0444 Ext. 115

Website: www.hopics.org
Amenities: Portable restrooms

Are RV's Allowed?: No

Provider: WLCAC-Watts Number of Spaces: 30

Population Served: Adults, Youth **Hours of Operation:** 7 p.m.- 7 a.m., Daily **Contact Information:** (323) 563-4721

Website: N/A

Amenities: On-site restrooms

Are RV's Allowed?: No

Service Planning Area 7 | East Los Angeles

Provider: Volunteers of America Los Angeles -

Whittier

Number of Spaces: 20

Population Served: Adults, Families

Hours of Operation: 8 p.m.- 6:30 a.m., Daily **Contact Information:** (213) 999-5378

Website: N/A

Amenities: On-site restrooms

Are RV's Allowed?: No

Service Planning Area 8| South Bay

There are currently no LAHSA-administered Safe Parking sites in SPA 8.