



NOTICE OF COMPLAINT
AVA 001-2012
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

Ekh. 1

John Humen
Post Office Box 758
Buellton CA 93427

SENT: 12/9/11

Dear John Humen

A complaint has been filed in our office regarding a non-operable vehicle on the property at:
925 Ballard Canyon Road, Solvang CA 93463

I have attached a photo of the vehicles as well as a copy of County Ordinance 23-16, which gives the authority, purpose, and definition of this ordinance. Operable, as defined by our regulation, is the ability to start the vehicle and drive it. Registration is not required for compliance.

Please contact my office within the next 7 days of the above date so we may discuss the complaint and how we may resolve it. I look forward to working cooperatively with you during this process. If, however, I do not here from you within the next 7 days a formal complaint will be issued. If compliance is not obtained or proven 10 days after that, the County will remove the vehicle and you will be billed for that expense.

Sincerely,

Brad Spencer
Code Enforcement Officer
Santa Barbara County
805-681-4342
bspence@cosbpw.net



CHAPTER 23 MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC

Article III. Abandoned Vehicles

Sec. 23-16. Authority; purpose; definitions.

In addition to and in accordance with the determination made and the authority granted by the state under section 22660 of the Vehicle Code to remove abandoned, wrecked, dismantled or inoperative vehicles or parts thereof as public nuisances, the board of supervisors hereby makes the following findings and declarations:

The accumulation and storage of abandoned, wrecked, dismantled or inoperative vehicles or parts thereof on private or public property, not including highways, is hereby found to create a condition tending to reduce the value of private property, to promote blight and deterioration, to invite plundering, to create fire hazards, to constitute an attractive nuisance creating a hazard to the health and safety of minors, to create a harborage for rodents and insects and to be injurious to the health, safety and general welfare. Therefore, the presence of an abandoned, wrecked, dismantled or inoperative vehicle or parts thereof, on private or public property not including highways, except as expressly hereinafter permitted, is hereby declared to constitute a public nuisance which may be abated as such in accordance with the provisions of this article.

For the purposes of this article, the following words and phrases shall have the meanings respectively ascribed to them by this section:

Highway. A way or place of whatever nature, publicly maintained and open to the use of the public for purposes of vehicular travel. Highway includes street.

Owner of the Land. The owner of the land on which the vehicle, or parts thereof, is located, as shown on the last equalized assessment roll.

Owner of the Vehicle. The last registered owner and legal owner of record.

Public Property. Does not include highway.

Vehicle. A device by which any person or property may be propelled, moved or drawn upon a highway, except a device moved by human power or used exclusively upon stationary rails or tracks. (Ord. No. 2534, § 1; Ord. No. 2653, § 1)

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Exh 2

John 2 Humen
P.O. Box 758
Buellton, California
93427
December 15th 2011

Brad Spencer, Code Enforcement Officer
Public Works Department, County of Santa Barbara
130 East Victoria Street, Suite 100
Santa Barbara, California 93101

NOTICE of continued *ABUSIVE HARASSMENT* by the County of Santa Barbara

Dear Mr. Brad Spencer;

Your letter to me of December 9th 2011 is unwelcome. You know or should know that Code Enforcement of the County of Santa Barbara has, already, processed a complaint against the same exact two (hand made historic) vans and found that I have a legal right to keep said vans on my property at 925 Ballard Canyon Road.

Your said letter to me constitutes malicious harassment, whereby, you have forfeited government immunity and are now personally liable for any and all damages. A Supreme Court ruling holds your superiors liable, also.

The County of Santa Barbara Anti-Harassment Policy provides for punitive action, among others for *abuse*.

ANY employee(s) of the County of Santa Barbara and/or their agents are forbidden on my property. ANY employee(s) of the County of Santa Barbara and/or their agents found to have been on my property will be charged with criminal trespass and other charges to the full extent of the law.

Yours truly,



CC: other concerned parties

Received 1/3/12
1st letter from Mr. Humen

sent certified
on 1/6/12

Exh 3

January 6, 2012

Mr. John Humen
Post Office Box 758
Buellton, California 93427

Mr. Humen,

I have received both your letters dated 12/15/2011 regarding the property at 925 Ballard Canyon Road, APN: 137-100-016. It's unfortunate that the notice of complaint I sent to you was so upsetting and I thought I would explain exactly why the notice was sent and what is needed to rectify the issue.

On November 10, 2011 my office received a complaint against your property. The complainant addressed three issues:

- 1) An accumulation of inoperable vehicles
- 2) An accumulation of solid waste
- 3) A possible homeless person camping on the property

I told the complainant that our office could not address the camping issue and referred them to the Sheriff's Department. As for the other two issues, the vehicles and solid waste, I said I would make a site visit and determine if there were any violations.

On November 17, 2011 I made a site visit to the property. Based on the information from the complainants, as well as my visual inspection, I felt that the vehicles I could see may be inoperable and in violation of Chapter 23-16. I could not determine if there was an accumulation of solid waste.

During the week of November 21, 2011 I received a second complaint from a different person. This complaint was specifically about the inoperable vehicles.

On December 9, 2011 a Notice of Complaint was sent to you to make you aware that our office received complaints and asked you to contact the County so we could address this matter.

Please be aware that once our office receives a complaint, and in this case two, we are obligated to respond, determine if there is a violation, and then take the necessary action to gain compliance. Your letter indicated that the County of Santa Barbara has participated in "continued abusive harassment" against you at this property, specifically the inoperable vehicles. I checked our records and determined that our office has not had any contact with you or this parcel for at least the past 8 years. Records before that are unavailable.

I also checked with the County Planning and Development Department who also has enforcement officers. They checked back 10 years and have no record of contact. If there was a site visit by a code enforcement officer and the vehicles were found to be operable and in compliance there should be a record. If the complaint you're speaking of in your letter is older than 8 years, it is reasonable that the new complaint needs to be addressed and the vehicles re-inspected for operability to gain compliance with Chapter 23-16.

If you have any documentation from the original complaint indicating compliance or permission to store the vehicles, I would be happy to review it and take it into consideration for the current complaint. Please submit copies of any documentation you would like me to review by Monday January 23, 2012. If you are unable to provide documentation, please call my office by the same date to arrange a site visit for you to demonstrate the vehicles are operable.

Sincerely,

Brad Spencer
County of Santa Barbara
Code Enforcement Officer
805-681-4342
bspence@cosbpw.net

Attached: Copy Chapter 23-16, Photos

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*JOHN HUMZU
P.O. BOX 758
BOSTON, CA
93427*

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 Addressee

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JOHN HUMEN
 P.O. BOX 758
 BUELLTON, CA
 93427

2. Article Number

(Transfer from service label)

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A. Signature

X *[Signature]*

- Agent
- Addressee

B. Received by (Printed Name)

John Humen

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1-10-12

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Spencer, Brad

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Exh 4

John 2 Humen
P.O. Box 758
Buellton, California
93427
January 11th 2012

Brad Spencer, Code Enforcement Officer
Public Works Department, County of Santa Barbara
130 East Victoria Street, Suite 100
Santa Barbara, California 93101

SUBJECT: Vehicle 'Screening' Fence at 925 Ballard Canyon Road, Private Property.

Dear Mr. Brad Spencer;

Enclosed you shall find a copy of my Certified Mail (7002-0510-0004-4770-1736) dated November 4th 2002, addressed to Barbara Walshon, Planner/Code Enforcement for the County of Santa Barbara. The text of said letter suggests building a 'screening' fence. Said fence was built at 925 Ballard Canyon Road 'screening' the view of my vehicles, as can be seen in your photograph dated November 17th 2011. Also, said photograph clearly shows broken pieces of said fence where a sixteen foot (16') section was damaged. Said damage is now being repaired to screen the vehicles shown in said photograph.

You were sent a copy of above cited Certified Mail and are, therefore, a party to the Code Enforcement proceedings, thereby validating my Certified Mail (7011-0470-0003-6552-0939) to you, dated December 15th 2011.

Yours truly,

*Received 1/20/12
2nd ltr from Mr. Humen*

Certified Mail – Return Receipt
7002-0510-0004-4770-1736

John Humen
P.O. Box 758
Buellton, California
93427
November 4th 2002

BARBARA WALSHON, Planner/Code Enforcement
North County Division
County of Santa Barbara Planning and Development
624 Foster Road, Suite C
Santa Maria, California 93455-3623

RE: Legal Use of Vehicles at 925 Ballard Canyon Road, Solvang, CA.
(APN 137-100-015)

Dear Ms. Walshon;

The alleged “Motor Home Storage” is unsupported by evidence and your correspondence admits that the contrary is true.

However, I do agree to construct an eight-foot (8’) high fence for “screening”, with the suggestion to have a roof attached to said fence to complete the “screening”. Should the foregoing establish an accord, work shall commence to perfect the “screening” at the present location.

Yours truly,

CC: John Davies, Environmental Health Specialist, Public Health Department
CC: Brad Spencer, Public Works Department, Solid Waste Division

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January 24, 2012

John Humen
Post Office Box 758
Buellton, Ca 93427

Dear Mr. Humen,

I have reviewed your letter dated 1/11/2012 as well as its attached letter sent to Barbara Walshon, who is now retired, dated 11/4/2002. It was extremely helpful. Your more recent letter stated that the 16' section of damaged fence was currently being repaired to screen the vehicles currently located on the property. Please notify my office when the repairs are complete so a site visit can be arranged.

With the assistance of the letter you sent to Barbara Walshon in 2002, I was able to contact Planning and Development with a precise date of occurrence. They were able to locate several documents relating to the original case in their archives. After reviewing these documents I wanted to touch on a few issues regarding the original case that overlap with our current case.

At the time of the original case, 2002-2003, you and Ms. Walshon were dealing specifically with the screening of operable motor homes, an ordinance enforced by Planning and Development. Based on the documents found, at least one of the vehicles in question was not operable and was a violation of Chapter 23-16 which was, and still is, enforced by the Solid Waste Division, currently known as the Resource Recovery and Waste Management Division (RRWM). The inoperable vehicle(s) were referred by Ms. Walshon to the South County Office and assigned to Code Enforcement Officer Geoff Simpson, also retired. Records of 2002-2003 have been destroyed so there is no record of any action taken by Officer Simpson. Although letters were cc'd to me, I was assigned to the North County office and was not involved in any actions taken regarding the original case. As you can see there were actually two cases going on, one was regarding the screening of the operable motor homes and one involving inoperable vehicles. It appears that you and Ms. Walshon came to the agreement that you would construct a fence with a roof to screen the operable motor homes. It appears the roof was never completed. As for the fence you constructed, Ms. Walshon did not feel that it adequately addressed the issue of screening. In a letter to you dated 4/28/2003, Ms. Walshon stated that during her site visit on 3/13/2003 she could still see vehicles on your property from Ballard Canyon Road. She said that you needed to extend the fencing down the driveway. I have attached that letter and a photo of the property from Ballard Canyon Road taken in 3/2003.

Although the fencing may gain compliance with regards to the screening of the operable motor homes, it may not be sufficient for compliance with Chapters 23-16 & 23-17(a) which addresses inoperable vehicles. 23-17(a) states that any inoperable vehicle visible from the highway or adjoining private property is in violation of Chapter 23-16. I have attached copies of both ordinances for your convenience. Please note that if any of the vehicles on your property are operable, 23-16 does not apply to that vehicle and therefore is not in violation. When I make a site visit I will check whether your fencing completely shields any inoperable vehicle from the highway, or any adjoining parcels. If the vehicles are adequately screened, I will conclude the case and send you a letter of compliance. If the vehicles are still visible, you will need to consider further screening or removal of all inoperable vehicles.

As mentioned above, please contact me when the repairs to your fence are completed so that I can conduct a site visit. Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Sincerely,

Brad Spencer
County of Santa Barbara
Code Enforcement Officer
805-681-4342
bspence@cosbpw.net

Attached: Copy Chapter 23-16, 23-17(a), Walshon Letter Dated: 4/28/2003, Photo of 925 Ballard Canyon Road Dated: 3/13/2003

April 28, 2003

RRR

John Humen
P.O. Box 758
Buellton, CA 93427

RE: 925 Ballard Canyon Road, APN 137-100-015, 02ZEV-00000-00336
Motor Home Storage

Dear Mr. Humen:

On March 13, 2003 I performed a site visit to your property. I tried several times to get your attention but you were working with something that made a lot of noise and I could not get you to hear even the truck's horn. I walked around, photographed the existing fencing, came back to the truck and tried again to get your attention but could not.

When I drove from Buellton to your property, I could clearly see both trailers on your property from Ballard Canyon Road. I stood on Ballard Canyon Road and took the enclosed photograph dated March 13, 2003. Article III, Sec. 35-281.10. states:

The storage of trailers designed for or capable of human habitation or occupancy shall be classified as an accessory use to a residential use only if the trailer does not exceed eight (8) feet in width, 13 feet 6 inches in height (as measured from the surface upon which the vehicle stands), and 40 feet in length. All such trailers shall be screened from view from abutting streets. (Bolding added for emphasis.)

I discussed the photograph with staff and it is clear that the existing fencing does not screen the trailers from the view of Ballard Canyon Road. You need to extend the fencing down your driveway so that screening is provided for both trailers.

Comparing the March 13, 2003 photograph to the enclosed July 26, 2002 photograph of the covered trailer, it appears that you replaced the original white cantilevered cover with one that is supported by posts. By the Article III definition of structure, if the cover is supported by posts and is over 120 square feet in projected roof area, you must obtain a Land Use Permit (LUP) for it. However, Planning & Development has no information regarding the creation of your parcel. Based upon the information in the enclosed April 4, 2002 memorandum from John Patton, you would need to provide staff with proof that the parcel was legally created prior to any LUP being approved.

John Humen
925 Ballard Canyon Road, APN 137-100-015, 02ZEV-00000-00336
April 28, 2003
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If the existing cover is supported by posts and is over 120 square feet in projected roof area, your options regarding the trailer cover are:

1. Provide staff with one of the items listed in the April 4, 2002 memorandum to prove the legality of your parcel and obtain a LUP to legalize the cover.
2. Remove the cover supported by posts and replace it with one that is only cantilevered from the trailer.

Please contact me at 934-6252 **on or before Thursday, May 8, 2003** to:

1. Discuss a time line for completion of the fencing to screen both trailers.
2. Schedule an appointment for Land Use Permit Application submittal if option #1 applies.
3. Schedule a site visit so that I can confirm that the existing cover is less than 120 square feet projected roof area or that it has been replaced with one that is completely cantilevered from the trailer.

Please call me at that same number if you have questions about any of this information.

Sincerely,

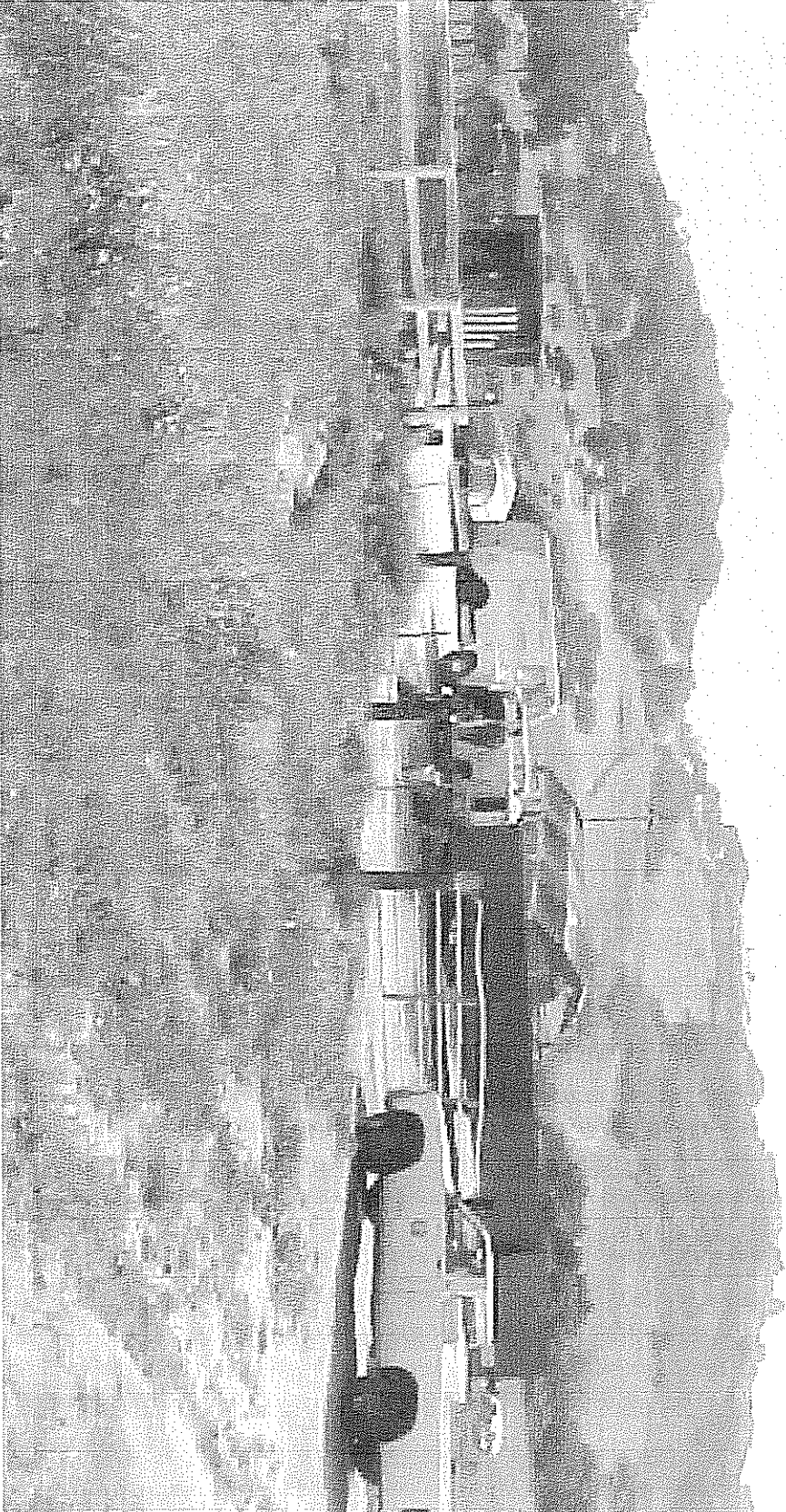
BARBARA WALSHON, Planner/Code Enforcement
North County Division

xc: 02ZEV-00000-00336 Case File

Enclosures: Photographs Dated July 26, 2002 and March 13, 2003
Article III Definition of "Structure"
John Patton's April 4, 2002 Memorandum

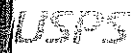
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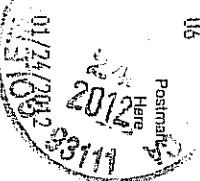
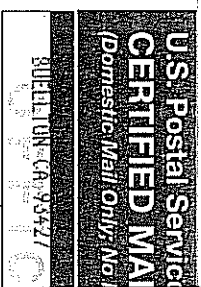
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January 24, 2012, 3:12 pm

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John 2 Humen
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Buellton, California
93427
February 6th 2012

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Brad Spencer, Code Enforcement Officer
County of Santa Barbara Public Works Department
130 East Victoria Street, Suite 100
Santa Barbara, California 93101

Ekh 6

NOTICE of Continued Malicious Harassment and Constitutional Law.

Dear Mr. Brad Spencer;

On November 4th 2002 and January 11th 2012, I mailed you a copy of my Certified Mail (7002-0510-0004-4770-1736), addressed to County of Santa Barbara Planner/Code Enforcer, Barbara Walshon, dated November 4th 2002, "RE: Legal Use of Vehicles at 925 Ballard Canyon Road, Solvang, CA.". "Legal Use" is important because "**use**" rules out storage and abandonment. The First Amendment protects freedom of expression.

Private property on private land is protected by privacy laws. Inspection of any private property on private land constitutes a violation of privacy and is criminal trespass. The Forth Amendment is protection from search and seizure.

Also, the owner of private land is constitutionally protected from making any disclosure that would be self incriminating. Requiring any disclosure to self incriminate is "malicious harassment".

Since you are party to Santa Barbara County Code Enforcement on my property (925 Ballard Canyon Road, Solvang, California) dating back to 2002 and continuing into 2004, you know or should know there is an established precedence for the "**use**" of *recreational/camping* vehicles on my land. The citing of Santa Barbara County Code against my property was and is a tool to "maliciously harass" me. Still, you continue to "maliciously harass" me.

The Fifth Amendment requires due process of law. You know or should know, that your letters to me contain inconsistencies, ambiguities and contradiction of facts. You are required to provide a hearing before a Court of Law for evaluation of evidence.

Yours truly,



CC: Other concerned parties

Received 2/27/12

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February 8, 2012

John Humen
Post Office Box 758
Buellton, Ca 93427

Dear Mr. Humen,

On January 24, 2012 a letter was sent to you asking you to notify my office when the repairs to your fence at 925 Ballard were complete and to contact us so we could make an appointment for a site visit to determine which of the vehicles on your property are operable. To date we have not been contacted by you.

Mr. Humen, it is important to maintain communication between yourself and the Resource Recovery and Waste Management Division. As I stated before, all we need to do is determine if the vehicles are operable. If they are, this case will be concluded. If the vehicles are not operable you will need to consider further screening or removal. Determining whether the vehicles are operable can only be accomplished with a site visit.

Please call my office by Friday February 24, 2012 to arrange a time for a site visit. It is requested that you call my office versus using mail so we can expedite the process. Failure to contact my office by this date will result issuance of an inspection warrant through the Santa Barbara County District Attorneys Office.

Sincerely,

Brad Spencer
County of Santa Barbara
Code Enforcement Officer
805-681-4342
bspence@cosbpw.net

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John 2 Humen
P.O. Box 758
Buellton, California
93427
February 16th 2012

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Brad Spencer, Code Enforcement Officer
Public Works Department, County of Santa Barbara
130 East Victoria Street, SUITE 100
Santa Barbara, California 93101

RE: Historic Vans are Motor Homes **not** Vehicles

Dear Mr. Brad Spencer;

You know or should know, the Historic Vans, I own, on my land, at 925 Ballard Canyon Road, Solvang, California; are by **LAW not** vehicles. According to **LAW**, the primary use of my Historic Vans is as Motor Homes used for camping and **not** transportation. Your photograph of 11/17/2011 partially shows the said Motor Homes.

Yours truly,



CC: other concerned parties

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John 2 Humen
P.O. Box 758
Buellton, California
93427
February 6th 2012

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Brad Spencer, Code Enforcement Officer
County of Santa Barbara Public Works Department
130 East Victoria Street, Suite 100
Santa Barbara, California 93101

NOTICE of Continued Malicious Harassment and Constitutional Law.

Dear Mr. Brad Spencer;

On November 4th 2002 and January 11th 2012, I mailed you a copy of my Certified Mail (7002-0510-0004-4770-1736), addressed to County of Santa Barbara Planner/Code Enforcer, Barbara Walshon, dated November 4th 2002, "RE: Legal Use of Vehicles at 925 Ballard Canyon Road, Solvang, CA.". "Legal Use" is important because "**use**" rules out storage and abandonment. The First Amendment protects freedom of expression.

Private property on private land is protected by privacy laws. Inspection of any private property on private land constitutes a violation of privacy and is criminal trespass. The Forth Amendment is protection from search and seizure.

Also, the owner of private land is constitutionally protected from making any disclosure that would be self incriminating. Requiring any disclosure to self incriminate is "malicious harassment".

Since you are party to Santa Barbara County Code Enforcement on my property (925 Ballard Canyon Road, Solvang, California) dating back to 2002 and continuing into 2004, you know or should know there is an established precedence for the "**use**" of *recreational/camping* vehicles on my land. The citing of Santa Barbara County Code against my property was and is a tool to "maliciously harass" me. Still, you continue to "maliciously harass" me.

The Fifth Amendment requires due process of law. You know or should know, that your letters to me contain inconsistencies, ambiguities and contradiction of facts. You are required to provide a hearing before a Court of Law for evaluation of evidence.

Yours truly,



CC: Other concerned parties

Department of Public Works – County of Santa Barbara
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ABATE AND REMOVE AN
ABANDONED, WRECKED, DISMANTLED OR INOPERABLE
VEHICLES OR PARTS THEREOF AS A PUBLIC NUISANCE

CASE NO(S): AVA- 001-2012



John Humen
Post Office Box 758
Buellton CA 93427

Thursday, March 01, 2012

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Dear: John Humen

As owner shown on the last equalized assessment roll of the land located at:

925 Ballard Canyon Road, Solvang CA 93463

You are hereby notified that the undersigned pursuant to Chapter 23, Article III of the Santa Barbara County Code, has determined that a vehicle (or parts of a vehicle) exists as an abandoned, wrecked, dismantled or inoperative vehicle on your property and constitutes a public nuisance pursuant of Section 23-16 of the Santa Barbara County Code.

The vehicle in question was last registered to: **UNKNOWN**

License number: **UNKNOWN**

Make: **FORD**

Located at: **925 Ballard Canyon Road, Solvang CA 93463**

As owner of the land on which said vehicle (or said parts of a vehicle) is located, you are hereby notified that you may, within 10 days after the mailing of this notice of intention, request a public hearing and if such a request is not received by the Department of Public Works within such 10-day period, the County Department of Public Works shall have the authority to abate and remove said vehicle (or said parts of a vehicle) as a public nuisance and may assess the costs as aforesaid without a public hearing. You may submit a sworn written statement within such 10-day period denying responsibility of the presence of said vehicle (or said parts of a vehicle) on said land, with your reasons for denial, and such statement shall be construed as a request for hearing at which your presence is not required.

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CASE NO(S): AVA- 001-2012

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If you choose to submit a sworn written statement in time for consideration at such hearing, you may indicate whether any or all of the following are applicable to your case:

1. The vehicle, or parts thereof, is completely enclosed within a building in a lawful manner where it is not visible from the street or other public or private property; or
2. The vehicle, or parts thereof, is not plainly visible from a highway, other property open to the public, or from adjoining private property; or

The vehicle, or parts thereof, is stored or parked in a lawful manner on private property in connection with a business of a licensed dismantler, licensed vehicle dealer or a junk dealer, or that such storage or parking is necessary to the operation of a lawfully conducted business or commercial enterprise.

The request for a hearing must be timely delivered or mailed to:

Resource Recovery & Waste Management
Code Enforcement Officer Spencer
130 E. Victoria Street, Suite 100
Santa Barbara, CA 93101

Notice of the hearing shall be mailed by registered or certified mail, at least ten days before the hearing, to the owner of the land and to the owner of the vehicle, unless the vehicle is in such condition that identification numbers are not available to determine ownership. Contact the Code Enforcement Officer listed below at 805-681-4342 as soon as possible to arrange the safe and legal removal of the listed vehicle. If you wish to have the vehicle removed by the County please sign the attached 80-C FORM as indicated and return it to the address listed below with a check or money order made out to Santa Barbara County in the amount of: \$125.00

If you fail to remove the vehicle yourself or fail to contact us with the above requirements, the vehicle will be removed and you will be billed.

Brad Spencer: Code Enforcement Officer
County Of Santa Barbara
4430 Calle Real
Santa Barbara, CA 93110
bspence@cosbpw.net

Form 80 (C)**Report of Vehicle Abatement**

VEHICLE DESCRIPTION AND OWNERSHIP

Invoice ID 315	First Violation Date 11/10/2011			
AVA Number 001-2012	Make FORD	Year	Model PICKUP	Color WHITE
State or Province	License Plate Number UNKNOWN	VIN UNKNOWN	Registration Date	

VIN and Registration the Same VIN Altered VIN Clear License Clear

Condition of Vehicle INOPERABLE	Name of Registered Owner UNKNOWN
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Address of Registered Owner

VEHICLE LOCATION

Location of Vehicle 925 Ballard Canyon Road, Solvang CA 93463
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REQUEST FOR REMOVAL/WAIVER OF LIABILITY

I request this public nuisance vehicle to be removed. In requesting the removal I understand and agree that I am releasing the abating agency from liability:

Property Owner: John Humen

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

Vehicle Owner UNKNOWN

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

As owner of this vehicle, I disclaim any future interest:

Vehicle Owner UNKNOWN

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

Investigating Agency: **County of Santa Barbara Department of Public Works, Solid Waste and Utilities Division**

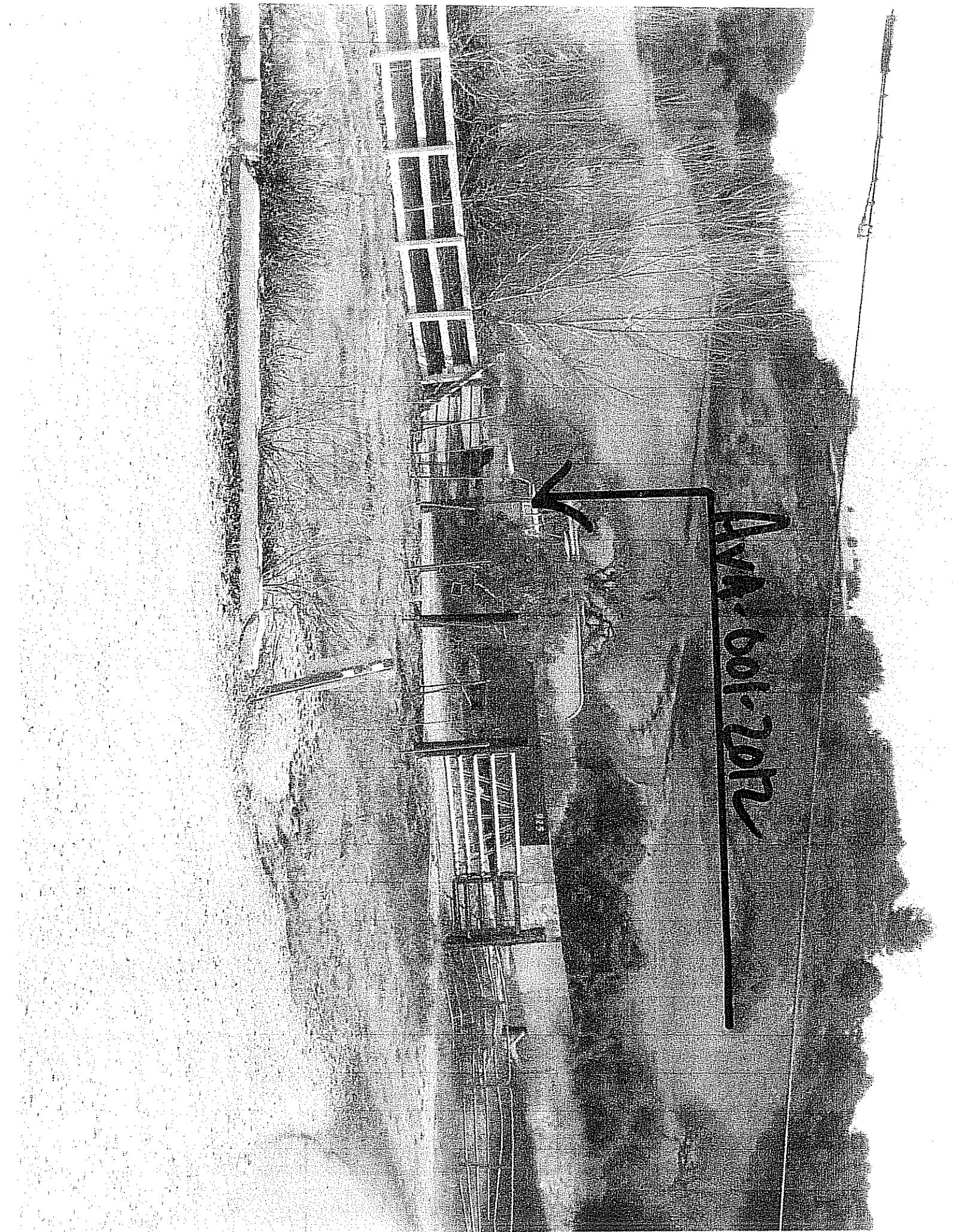
INSPECTOR'S SIGNATURE: **Brad Spencer** _____ DATE: _____

Towing Company Name: **Black Road Auto** Contact Information: **805-346-2770**

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Thursday, March 01, 2012

Area 601-2012



Department of Public Works – County of Santa Barbara
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ABATE AND REMOVE AN
ABANDONED, WRECKED, DISMANTLED OR INOPERABLE
VEHICLES OR PARTS THEREOF AS A PUBLIC NUISANCE
CASE NO(S): AVA- 002-2012



John Humen
Post Office Box 758
Buellton CA 93427

Thursday, March 01, 2012

Dear: John Humen

As owner shown on the last equalized assessment roll of the land located at:

925 Ballard Canyon Road, Solvang CA 93463

You are hereby notified that the undersigned pursuant to Chapter 23, Article III of the Santa Barbara County Code, has determined that a vehicle (or parts of a vehicle) exists as an abandoned, wrecked, dismantled or inoperative vehicle on your property and constitutes a public nuisance pursuant of Section 23-16 of the Santa Barbara County Code.

The vehicle in question was last registered to: **UNKNOWN**

License number: **UNKNOWN**

Make: **UNKNOWN**

Located at: **925 Ballard Canyon Road, Solvang CA 93463**

As owner of the land on which said vehicle (or said parts of a vehicle) is located, you are hereby notified that you may, within 10 days after the mailing of this notice of intention, request a public hearing and if such a request is not received by the Department of Public Works within such 10-day period, the County Department of Public Works shall have the authority to abate and remove said vehicle (or said parts of a vehicle) as a public nuisance and may assess the costs as aforesaid without a public hearing. You may submit a sworn written statement within such 10-day period denying responsibility of the presence of said vehicle (or said parts of a vehicle) on said land, with your reasons for denial, and such statement shall be construed as a request for hearing at which your presence is not required.

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CASE NO(S): AVA- 002-2012

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If you fail to remove the vehicle yourself or fail to contact us with the above requirements, the vehicle will be removed and you will be billed.

Brad Spencer: Code Enforcement Officer
County Of Santa Barbara
4430 Calle Real
Santa Barbara, CA 93110
bspence@cosbpw.net

VEHICLE DESCRIPTION AND OWNERSHIP

Invoice ID 316	First Violation Date 11/10/2011			
AVA Number 002-2012	Make UNKNOWN	Year	Model VAN	Color WHT/TAN
State or Province	License Plate Number UNKNOWN	VIN UNKNOWN	Registration Date	

VIN and Registration the Same VIN Altered VIN Clear License Clear

Condition of Vehicle INOPERABLE	Name of Registered Owner UNKNOWN
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Address of Registered Owner

VEHICLE LOCATION

Location of Vehicle. 925 Ballard Canyon Road, Solvang CA 93463

REQUEST FOR REMOVAL/WAIVER OF LIABILITY

I request this public nuisance vehicle to be removed. In requesting the removal I understand and agree that I am releasing the abating agency from liability:

Property Owner: John Humen

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

Vehicle Owner UNKNOWN

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

As owner of this vehicle, I disclaim any future interest:

Vehicle Owner UNKNOWN

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

Investigating Agency: **County of Santa Barbara Department of Public Works, Solid Waste and Utilities Division**

INSPECTOR'S SIGNATURE: **Brad Spencer** DATE: _____

Towing Company Name: Black Road Auto Contact information: 805-346-2770

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Department of Public Works – County of Santa Barbara
NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ABATE AND REMOVE AN
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CASE NO(S): AVA- 003-2012



John Humen

Thursday, March 01, 2012

Post Office Box 758

Buellton CA 93427

Dear: John Humen

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License number: **UNKNOWN**

Make: **UNKNOWN**

Located at: **925 Ballard Canyon Road, Solvang CA 93463**

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CASE NO(S): AVA- 003-2012

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If you choose to submit a sworn written statement in time for consideration at such hearing, you may indicate whether any or all of the following are applicable to your case:

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VEHICLE DESCRIPTION AND OWNERSHIP

Invoice ID 317	First Violation Date 11/10/2011			
AVA Number 003-2012	Make UNKNOWN	Year	Model VAN	Color TAN
State or Province	License Plate Number UNKNOWN	VIN UNKNOWN	Registration Date	

VIN and Registration the Same VIN Altered VIN Clear License Clear

Condition of Vehicle INOPERABLE	Name of Registered Owner UNKNOWN
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Address of Registered Owner

VEHICLE LOCATION

Location of Vehicle
925 Ballard Canyon Road, Solvang CA 93463

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SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

Vehicle Owner UNKNOWN

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

As owner of this vehicle, I disclaim any future interest:

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SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

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INSPECTOR'S SIGNATURE: **Brad Spencer** DATE: _____

Towing Company Name: Black Road Auto Contact Information: 805-346-2770

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Thursday, March 01, 2012

AVA-002-2012



AVA-003-2012



11/17/2011

Sec. 23-16. - Authority; purpose; definitions.

In addition to and in accordance with the determination made and the authority granted by the state under section 22660 of the Vehicle Code to remove abandoned, wrecked, dismantled or inoperative vehicles or parts thereof as public nuisances, the board of supervisors hereby makes the following findings and declarations:

The accumulation and storage of abandoned, wrecked, dismantled or inoperative vehicles or parts thereof on private or public property, not including highways, is hereby found to create a condition tending to reduce the value of private property, to promote blight and deterioration, to invite plundering, to create fire hazards, to constitute an attractive nuisance creating a hazard to the health and safety of minors, to create a harborage for rodents and insects and to be injurious to the health, safety and general welfare. Therefore, the presence of an abandoned, wrecked, dismantled or inoperative vehicle or parts thereof, on private or public property not including highways, except as expressly hereinafter permitted, is hereby declared to constitute a public nuisance which may be abated as such in accordance with the provisions of this article.

For the purposes of this article, the following words and phrases shall have the meanings respectively ascribed to them by this section:

Highway. A way or place of whatever nature, publicly maintained and open to the use of the public for purposes of vehicular travel. Highway includes street.

Owner of the Land. The owner of the land on which the vehicle, or parts thereof, is located, as shown on the last equalized assessment roll.

Owner of the Vehicle. The last registered owner and legal owner of record.

Public Property. Does not include highway.

Vehicle. A device by which any person or property may be propelled, moved or drawn upon a highway, except a device moved by human power or used exclusively upon stationary rails or tracks.

Sec. 23-17. - Applicability.

This article shall not apply to:

(a)

A vehicle, or parts thereof, which is completely enclosed within a building in a lawful manner where it is not visible from the street or other public or private property;

(b)

A vehicle which is not plainly visible from a highway, from other property open to the public, or from adjoining private property;

(c)

A vehicle, or parts thereof, which is stored or parked in a lawful manner on private property in connection with the business of a licensed dismantler, licensed vehicle dealer, a junk dealer, or when such storage or parking is necessary to the operation of a lawfully conducted business or commercial enterprise;

(d)

Vehicles or parts thereof placed and used for flood and erosion control purposes with prior approval of the county flood control and water conservation district engineer.

Per State of California Vehicle Code Section 670 CVC:

670. A "vehicle" is a device by which any person or property may be propelled, moved, or drawn upon a highway, excepting a device moved exclusively by human power or used exclusively upon stationary rails or tracks.

PROOF OF SERVICE
(C.C.P. §§ 1013(a), 2015.5)

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

I am a citizen of the United States and a resident of the county aforesaid; I am over the age of eighteen years and not a party to the within entitled action; my business address is 4430 Calle Real, Santa Barbara, California.

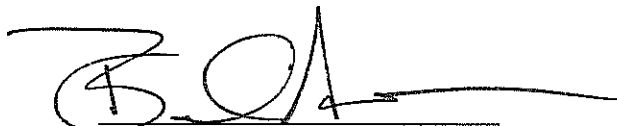
On March 1, 2012 I served a true copy of the within **NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ABATE AND REMOVE AN ABANDONED, WRECKED, DISMANTLED OR INOPERABLE VEHICLES OR PARTS THEREOF AS A PUBLIC NUISANCE** on the interested parties identified below by:

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John Humen
Post Office Box 758
Buellton, CA 93427

- I Brad Spencer declare, under penalty of perjury, that the above is true and correct.

Executed on March 1, 2012 at Santa Barbara, California.


Brad Spencer

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Buellton, CA
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Acceptance	SANTA BARBARA CA 93111	03/01/12 1:56pm

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Date of email request: 03/02/12

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Evdh. 11

John 2 Humen
P.O. Box 758
Buellton, California
93427
March 5th 2012

Resource Recovery & Waste Management
Code Enforcement Officer Spencer
130 East Victoria Street, Suite 100
Santa Barbara, California 93101

RE: Schedule HEARING date for CASE AVA-001-2012
CASE AVA-002-2012
CASE AVA-003-2012

Dear Mr. Spencer;

Please schedule a HEARING date for the above cited cases related to the use of my vehicles on my agricultural property at 925 Ballard Canyon Road, Solvang, California.

Thank you, in anticipation of you notifying me by return mail at my P.O. Box 758, Buellton, California 93427.

Yours truly,



Received 3/12/12

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
123 East Anapamu Street
Santa Barbara, CA 93101
805\568-3000 FAX 805\568-3019



SCOTT D. MCGOLPIN
Director

Exh. 12

Mr. John Humen
PO Box 758
Buellton, CA 93427

March 28, 2012

Re: Case Nos: AVA – 001-2012
AVA – 002-2012
AVA – 003-2012

Dear Mr. Humen:

Pursuant to your mailed request, dated March 5, 2012, for a public hearing as allowed under sections 23-24 and 23-25 of Chapter 23, Article III (Abandoned Vehicles) of the County Code, a hearing has been scheduled for April 11 at 1:30pm at the Public Works Conference Room #1 located at 123 East Anapamu Street, Santa Barbara, CA. Please plan to attend this hearing or, pursuant to section 23-25, you may present a sworn written statement in lieu of your appearance. If you have any questions, please contact Leslie Wells at (805)882-3611.

Sincerely,

Mark Schleich

Mark Schleich
Deputy Director, Public Works Department

Cc: Kelly Scott, County Counsel
Marie LaSala, County Counsel
Leslie Wells, Resource Recovery & Waste Management Division

AA /EEO Employer

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Rochelle Camozzi, Chief Financial Officer

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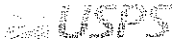
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March 28, 2012, 11:59 am

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11/10/2011 Thursday

First complaint received. Complaint of AVA's, solid waste, and campers.

11/17/2011 Thursday

S/V: confirmed complaint

Attached: photos

Evh. 13

11/21/2011

Second complaint received

12/9/2012 Friday

7-day C/N sent regular mail

Attached: Copy of letter, 23-16, photos

1/3/2012

Received: First Letter from Mr. Humen dated 12/15/2011, postmarked 12/19/2011

Covers: legal rights to keep VANS on property, harassment

Attached: copy of letter

1/5/2012 Thursday

E-mail to Leslie

1/6/2012 Friday

Sent letter, photos and copy of 23-16 to Mr. Humen, certified, responding to his 12/15/2011 letter.

Covers: Why of complaint, request for documentation, request for s/v

Attached: Copy of letter, photo, 23-16, original RR & certified, signed r/r, USPS tracking

1/10/2012 Tuesday

0800 hours: Per USPS.com letter sent 1/6 delivered but not signed for

0951 hours: sent second copy of letter delivery certified

1123 hours: notified via e-mail first letter signed for

1/20/2012 Friday

Second Letter received from Mr. Humen: dated 1/11/2012, postmarked 1/12/2012.

Covers: He attached a copy of a letter dated 11/4/2002 sent to Barbara Walshon and cc: Brad Spencer. Discusses SCREENING

Attached: copy of both letters

1/24/2012 Tuesday

Sent third letter to Mr. Humen in response to his letter dated 1/11/2012: certified

Covers: It is our second request for a site visit, Walshon & screening

Delivered/Signed for 1/26/2012

Attached: Letter, 4/28/2003 letter to Humen from Walshon, 2003 Walshon photo, tracking

1/31/2012 Tuesday

No contact from Mr. Humen. Made S/V: Fence repaired

Attached: Photos of before/after

2/8/2012 Wednesday

No response from Mr. Humen. Sent another letter requesting an appointment for a s/v

Sent certified, Signed: 2/14/12

Attached: letter & tracking

2/17/2012

Letter from Mr. Humen postmarked 2/16/2012 delivered.

Covers: Mr. Humens vehicles are not vehicles

Attached: copy

2/21/2012 Tuesday

Letter TO MIKE LEADBETTER from Mr. Humen dated 2/17/2012, delivered 2/18/2012 forwarded to me on 2/21 @ 1711

Covers: Request for hearing

Attached: Copy

2/27/2012 Monday

While on vacation a letter dated 2/6/2012 was delivered to V Street from Mr. Humen. Covers: use, harassment & 5th amendment.

3/1/2012

Formal correction notice sent today.

Due date is Monday 3/12/2012

3/2/2012

2 letters received from Mr. Humen. One dated 2/21/2012 & one dated 2/06/2012 post marked 2/21.

Covers: Hearing and contacting county council.

Attached: copy of both letters.

3/12/2012

Official request for hearing received from Mr. Humen

Attached: copy & tracking

3/28/2012

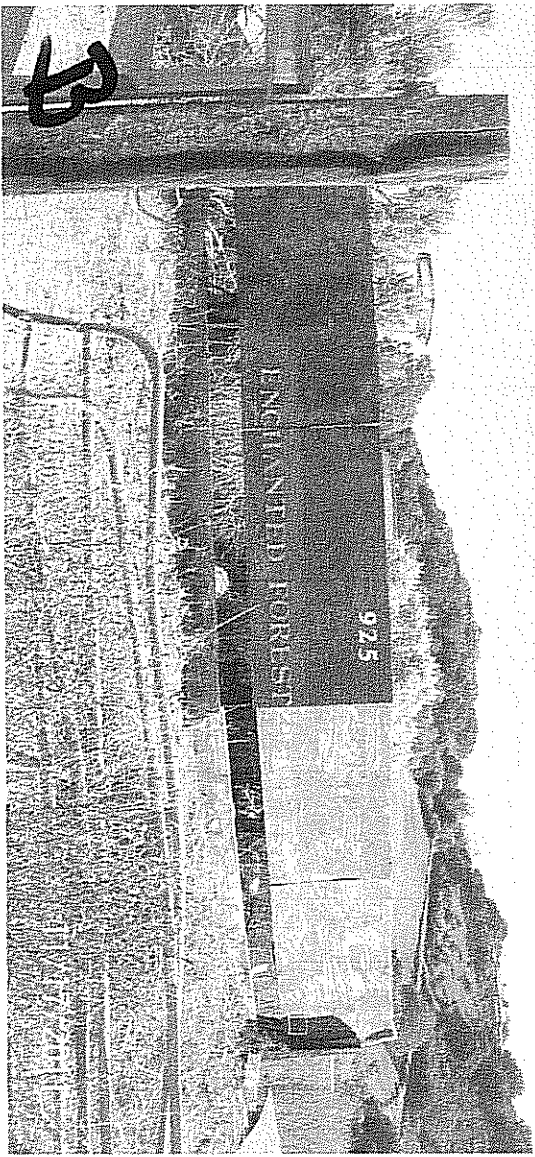
Letter sent to Mr. Humen

Covers: Hearing date, 4/11/2012, sent to Mr. Humen

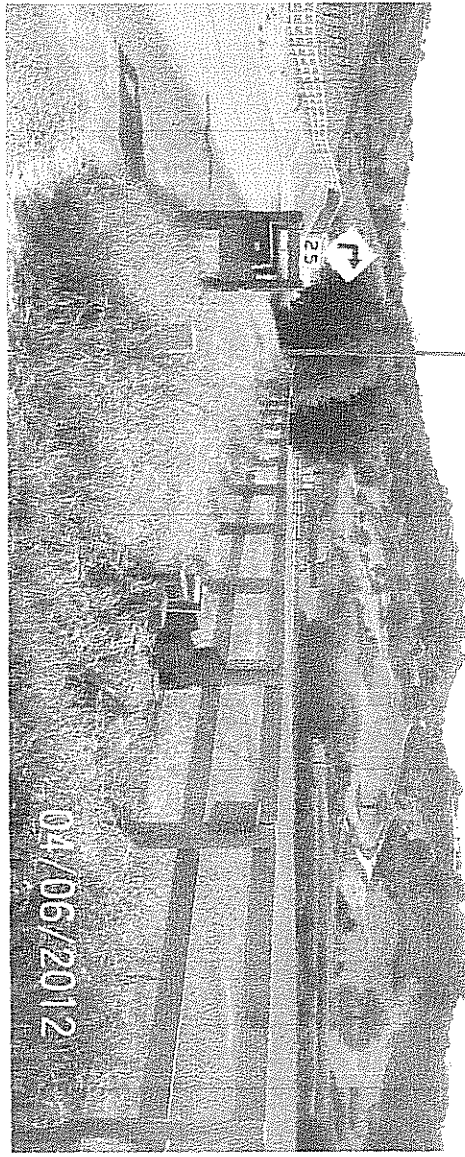
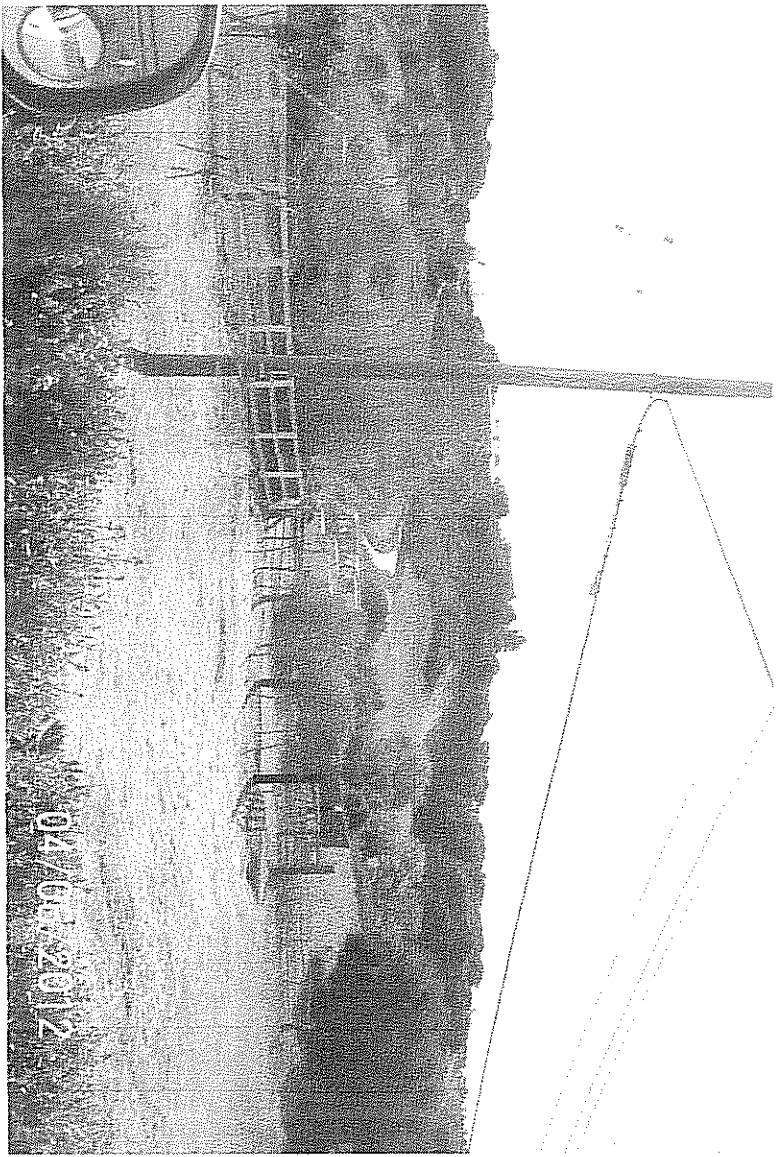
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4/6/2012

S/V: no change



Evk. 14 1st Site Visit
on 11/17/11



Esk. 15



E.M. 110

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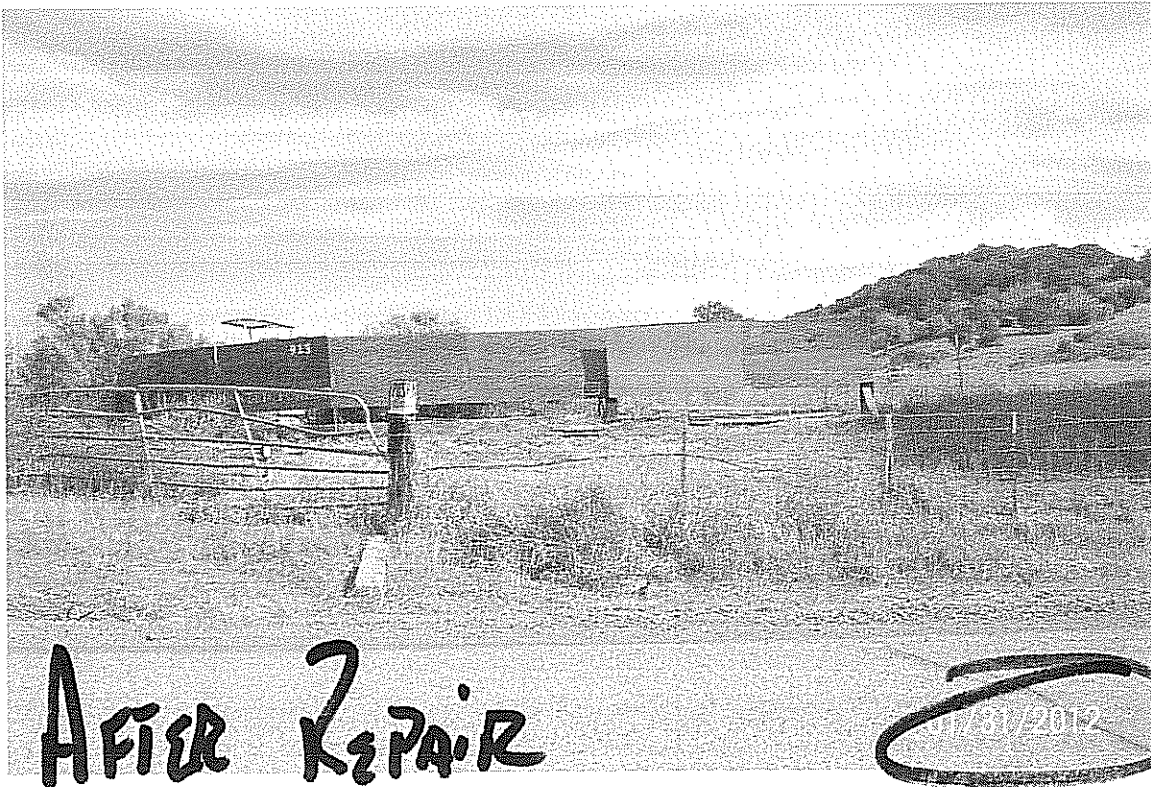
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Before Repair

11/7/2011

#4



After Repair

11/31/2012

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