

"HOW AM I DRIVING?" BUMPER STICKER PROGRAM

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Background

Since 1992, the Board of Supervisors has encouraged County Departments to implement a "How Am I Driving?" Program and instructed the Chief Executive Officer to assist in the process.

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Purpose

A program of this kind can benefit participating departments. Public feedback of employee driving performance may help identify training needs and can be a valuable tool in assessing individual vehicle operator driving practices. Furthermore, the visibility offered by such a program encourages employees to exercise safe driving practices, caution, and courtesy while operating County vehicles, thereby helping reduce vehicle accidents, injuries, equipment damage and liability claims.

Resource Materials

Loss Control and Prevention has developed a comprehensive resource manual detailing the main components of "How Am I Driving" programs implemented by County of Los Angeles departments. The overview provided in the manual includes such topics as Vehicle Maintenance/Equipment, Public Feedback, Incident Processing, Recognition and Discipline. Also included is an exhaustive collection of reference policies and procedures along with relevant departmental contacts. This resource manual is intended to be utilized by departments to help develop or enhance their own programs and improve the department's overall vehicle safety programs.

"How Am I Driving?" Bumper Sticker Program Resource Manual may be viewed at: http://riskmanagement.mylacounty.info/