

DEPARTMENT: Administration

BY: Rick Benson
PHONE: 966-3222

RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION:

Approve the assignment of county vehicles and take-home vehicles. Chapter 2.76 of the County Code requires that the Board of Supervisors annually assign county vehicles as well as authorize which vehicles are allowed to be take-home vehicles. There have been no substantive changes to the previous list that the Board approved on December 6, 2005, with the exception that the Chief Probation Officer is now taking a vehicle home, and there are now Division Chiefs and Battalion Chiefs in the Fire Department that have take home vehicles. Other minor changes include the addition and deletion of county vehicles, and changes in personnel.

Attached is a list of assigned county vehicles indicating if the vehicles are take home or not. Also attached is memorandum with a justification for having a take home vehicle. At this time I am not recommending any changes to the current status of take home vehicles.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

The Board adopted Resolution 05-570 approving the assignment of county vehicles and which vehicles are take home vehicles.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

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|---|---------------------|--|
| Financial Impact? () Yes (X) No | Current FY Cost: \$ | Annual Recurring Cost: \$ |
| Budgeted In Current FY? () Yes () No () Partially Funded | | |
| Amount in Budget: \$ | | List Attachments, number pages consecutively |
| Additional Funding Needed: \$ | | County Assigned Vehicles |
| Source: | | Memorandum on Take Home Vehicles |
| Internal Transfer _____ | | _____ |
| Unanticipated Revenue _____ 4/5's vote | | _____ |
| Transfer Between Funds _____ 4/5's vote | | _____ |
| Contingency _____ 4/5's vote | | _____ |
| () General () Other | | _____ |

CLERK'S USE ONLY:

Res. No. 08-489 Ord. No. _____
Vote - Ayes: 5 Noes: _____
Absent: _____
Law Approved
 Minute Order Attached () No Action Necessary

The foregoing instrument is a correct copy of the original on file in this office.

Date: _____
Attest: MARGIE WILLIAMS, Clerk of the Board
County of Mariposa, State of California

By: _____
Deputy

COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER:

Requested Action Recommended
 No Opinion
Comments:

CAO: RJB



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MARIPOSA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

MINUTE ORDER

TO: RICHARD J. BENSON, CAO

FROM: MARGIE WILLIAMS, Clerk of the Board *MW*

SUBJECT: Approve the Assignment of County Vehicles and Take-home Vehicles
RESOLUTION 08-489

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF MARIPOSA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

ADOPTED THIS Order on October 14, 2008

ACTION AND VOTE:

Approve the Assignment of County Vehicles and Take-home Vehicles (County Administrative Officer/Personnel/Risk Manager)

BOARD ACTION: Discussion was held with Rick Benson relative to the assignment of take-home vehicles – whether this could create a taxable benefit for volunteers; relative to expanding on the justification of the take-home vehicle for the District Attorney Investigator to include response to drug labs, murders, and high profile cases; and relative to accounting for the use of the vehicles.

Input from the public was provided by the following:

Ruth Catalan stated she still does not have answers to all of the questions she presented; she asked whether family members are allowed to ride in the vehicles, she would like to see the written responses submitted by the department heads to justify the take-home use, she feels that log books should be kept, and she questioned who monitors the department heads. She feels that the take-home use is a financial impact.

Paul Chapman stated he agrees with requiring log books and he does not feel that the vehicles should be used to take spouses to lunch or shopping; and he questioned the use of County vehicles for personal use and for church attendance.

MaryAnn Huff referred to her personal experiences, having been raised by a Los Angeles Fire Chief, with the log-in requirements. She stated she feels there is a difference between the emergency personnel and other County workers with the take-home vehicle use.

Further discussion was held relative to the use of County vehicles. Dana Hertfelder, Public Works Director, provided input on the assignment of a vehicle to the Solid Waste Manager and justification for take-home use – it is used for take-home when the employee has an out-of-town meeting to attend the following day. Rick Benson advised that he will bring back a more encompassing report on the usage of County vehicles. Motion by Pickard, Res. 08-489 was adopted approving the assignment of County vehicles and take-home vehicles. Further discussion was held. The motion was amended to give direction to bring back a recommendation to allow staff to take a vehicle home overnight to go on out-of-town business. The motion was seconded by Aborn. Ayes: Unanimous.

Cc: Mary Hodson, Deputy CAO
All Affected Departments
File

**COUNTY ASSIGNED VEHICLES
SEPTEMBER 2008**

AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONER

| Department | Year Make | Assigned To | Take Home? |
|-------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Ag. Commissioner | 1992 Chev. S-10 Pickup 4wd | Department | No |
| Ag. Commissioner | 2005 Ford Explorer 4wd | Department | No |
| Ag. Commissioner | 2007 Chevy Colorado | Department | No |

ASSESSOR-RECORDER

| Department | Year Make | Assigned To | Take Home? |
|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Assessor Recorder | 2008 Ford Escape | Department | No |

BUILDING

| Department | Year Make | Assigned To | Take Home? |
|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Building | 2007 Chevrolet Silverado | Department | No |
| Building | 2004 GMC Sierra 4x4 | Department | No |
| Building | 2005 Chevrolet Silverado | Department | No |
| Building | 2005 Chevrolet Silverado | Department | No |

CHILD SUPPORT

| Department | Year Make | Assigned To | Take Home? |
|-------------------|------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Child Support | 2003 Ford Explorer 4x4 | Department | No |

COMMUNITY SERVICES

| Department | Year Make | Assigned To | Take Home? |
|-------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|
| Transit | 2001 Chev. Venture Activan | Department | No |
| Transit | 2001 Chev. Venture Activan | Department | No |
| Transit | 2001 Champion Shuttle Bus | Department - North County | No |
| Comm. Svcs. | 2002 Chev. Malibu | Department | No |
| Transit | 2002 El Dorado Aerotech | Department | No |
| Transit | 2002 El Dorado Aerotech | Department | No |
| Transit | 2007 Ford E350 Braun | Department | No |
| Comm. Svcs. | 2006 Chev. Impala | Department | No |

COOPERATIVE EXTENSION

| Department | Year Make | Assigned To | Take Home? |
|-----------------------|------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Cooperative Extension | 2002 Chev. S-10 Pickup | Department | No |

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

| Department | Year Make | Assigned To | Take Home? |
|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| DA - Prosecution | 2003 Ford Expedition 4wd | Harry Estep | Yes |

FIRE

| Department | Year Make | Assigned To | Take Home? |
|-------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------|
| Fire | 2008 Ford Expedition | Chief Wilson | Yes |
| Fire | 2001 Ford Expedition | Deputy Chief Middleton | Yes |
| Fire | 2007 Dodge 1500 4x4 | Vol. Division Chief Jackson | Yes |
| Fire | 2008 Ford F150 Supercab | Vol. Division Chief Nolen | Yes |
| Fire | 1999 Chev. Tahoe | Vol. Division Chief Laursen | Yes |
| Fire | 1999 Chev. Tahoe | Vol. Batt. Chief Sula/ Faleski | Yes |
| Fire | 2000 Ford F150 4wd pickup | Department | Yes |
| Fire | 1992 Geo Tracker 4x4 | Department | No |

HEALTH

| Department | Year Make | Assigned To | Take Home? |
|-------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Health | 2004 Toyota Prius | Department | No |
| Health | 2005 Ford Escape 4wd | Department | No |
| Health | 2006 Toyota Highlander | Department | No |
| Health | 2006 Toyota Highlander | Department | No |
| Health | 2007 Chevrolet Silverado 1500 | Department | No |
| Health | 2007 Chevrolet Silverado 1500 | Department | No |
| Health | 2002 Electric Vehicle | Department | No |

HUMAN SERVICES

| Department | Year Make | Assigned To | Take Home? |
|-------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Community Action | 1983 Chev. Cargo Van | Department | No |
| Community Action | 2002 Chev. 2500 Van | Department | No |
| Housing Dev. | 2008 Ford Escape Hybrid | Department | No |
| Human Services | 2006 Toyota Highlander | Department | No |

HUMAN SERVICES (cont.)

| Department | Year Make | Assigned To | Take Home? |
|-------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Mental Health | 2002 Dodge Durango 4wd | Department | No |
| Mental Health | 2002 Subaru Outback | Department | No |
| Mental Health | 2002 Ford Winstar | Department | No |
| Mental Health | 1997 Dodge Grand Caravan | Department | No |
| Mental Health | 1998 Dodge Caravan | Department | No |
| Mental Health | 2007 Ford Focus | Department | No |
| Mental Health | 2005 Jeep Liberty | Department | No |
| Mental Health | 2005 Dodge Stratus | Department | No |
| Social Services | 2004 Jeep Liberty | Department | No |
| Social Services | 2000 Chev. Malibu | Department | No |
| Social Services | 2001 Jeep Cherokee 4wd | Department | No |
| Social Services | 2001 Chev. S-10 Blazer | Adult Services - On Call | Yes |
| Social Services | 2001 Chev. S-10 Blazer | Child Welfare - On Call | Yes |
| Social Services | 2002 Chev. Impala | Child Welfare - On Call | Yes |
| Social Services | 2002 Chev. Impala | Department | No |
| Social Services | 2002 GMC Safari Van | Department | No |
| Social Services | 2002 Jeep Liberty | Child Welfare - On Call | Yes |
| Social Services | 2005 Jeep Liberty | Child Welfare - On Call | Yes |
| Social Services | 2005 Jeep Liberty | Department | No |
| Social Services | 2007 Jeep Grand Cherokee | Child Welfare - On Call | Yes |
| Social Services | 2008 Ford Escape Hybrid | Adult Services - On Call | Yes |
| Social Services | 1995 Chev. Corsica | Department | No |
| Social Services | 1997 Chev. Lumina | Department | No |
| Social Services | 1999 Ford Taurus | Department | No |
| Social Services | 2007 Ford E150 Van | Department | No |
| Social Services | 2007 Ford E150 Van | Department | No |

PROBATION

| Department | Year Make | Assigned To | Take Home? |
|-------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Probation | 2006 Ford E150 Van | Department | No |
| Probation | 2008 Chev. Impala | Gail Neal | Yes |
| Probation | 2001 Mercury Grand Marquis | Department | No |
| Probation | 2001 Chev. Impala | Department | No |
| Probation | 2002 Ford Explorer 4wd | Department | No |
| Probation | 2002 Ford Explorer 4wd | Department | No |
| Probation | 2003 Ford Crown Victoria | Department | No |

PUBLIC WORKS

| Department | Year Make | Assigned To | Take Home? |
|------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|
| Airport | 1985 Chev. S-10 Pickup | Department | No |
| Airport | 2002 Electric Car | Department | No |
| Airport | 2002 Electric Car | Department | No |
| DPW Administration | 2002 Dodge Stratus | Vacant Assistant Position | Yes |
| DPW Administration | 2008 Ford F150 Crew Cab | Dana Hertfelder | Yes |
| Facilities Maintenance | 2004 Chev. 2500 | Department | No |
| Facilities Maintenance | 2004 Chev. 2500 | Department | No |
| Facilities Maintenance | 2006 Ford F350 4x4 | Department | No |
| Facilities Maintenance | 2006 Ford F350 w/crane | Department | No |
| Facilities Maintenance | 2006 Ford F350 w/crane | Department | No |
| Facilities Maintenance | 2008 Ford F250 supercab | Department | No |
| Facilities Maintenance | 2008 Ford F150 4x4 | Greg Craine | Yes |
| Facilities Maintenance | 2008 Ford F250 4x4 Crew Cab | Department | No |
| Facilities Maintenance | 2008 Ford F250 4x4 Super Cab | Department | No |
| Facilities Maintenance | 1999 Chev. Pickup 4x4 | Department | No |
| Facilities Maintenance | 2000 Ford F150 | Department | No |
| Facilities Maintenance | 1998 Yamaha Grizzly | Department | No |
| Facilities Maintenance | 1998 Chev. Express Van | Department | No |
| Fleet | 1993 Chev. HD3500 1 Ton 4x4 | Department | No |
| Fleet | 1990 Chev. Pickup | Department | No |
| Fleet | 2004 GMC 1500 4x4 Pickup | Joe Halencak | Yes |
| Fleet | 2002 Electric Car | Department | No |
| Fleet | 2002 Electric Car | Department | No |
| Fleet | 1996 Chev. 1500 4x4 Pickup | Department | No |
| Fleet | 1992 Geo 4wd Tracker | Department | No |
| Fleet | 2002 Dodge Stratus | Department | No |
| Fleet | 2006 Chev. Impala | Department | No |
| Fleet | 2006 Chev. Impala | Department | No |
| Fleet | 2002 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Department | No |
| Parks & Recreation | 2002 Dodge Stratus | Department | No |
| Parks & Recreation | 2002 Dodge Stratus | Department | No |
| Parks & Recreation | 2002 Pace American Cargo Van | Department | No |
| Roads | 2000 Chev. C2500 4wd w/snowplow | Department | No |
| Roads | 2001 Ford F450 | Department | No |
| Roads | 2001 Ford F451 | Department | No |
| Roads | 2001 Ford F350 xlt | Department | No |
| Roads | 2001 Ford F350 xlt | Robby Olson | Yes |
| Roads | 2001 Ford F350 xlt | Mike Ziegenfuss | Yes |
| Roads | 2001 Ford F350 xlt | Stacy Deutsch | Yes |
| Roads | 2002 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Department | No |
| Roads | 2004 Ford F550 4x4 | Department | No |
| Roads | 2006 Ford F550 4x4 w/utility | Andy Jay | Yes |
| Roads | 2005 Chev. Colorado | Department | No |

PUBLIC WORKS (cont.)

| Department | Year Make | Assigned To | Take Home? |
|----------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| Roads | 2005 Chev. Colorado | Department | No |
| Roads | 2006 Ford E350 Van 4x4 | Department | No |
| Roads | 2008 Ford F450 4x4 flatbed | Department | No |
| Roads | 2008 Chev. 2500 Pickup | Randy McAndrews | Yes |
| Roads | 1989 Nissan Pickup | Department | No |
| Roads | 1989 Chev. Suburban 4x4 | Department | No |
| Roads | 1989 Nissan Pickup w/shell | Department | No |
| Roads | 1990 Chev. 1500 4x4 Pickup | Department | No |
| Roads | 1990 Chev. 1500 4x4 Pickup | Department | No |
| Roads | 1990 Chev. 1500 4x4 Pickup | Department | No |
| Roads | 1994 Ford F350 4x4 w/snowplow | Department | No |
| Roads | 1994 Ford F350 4x4 w/snowplow | Department | No |
| Roads | 1994 Chev. C2500 4wd | Department | No |
| Roads | 1999 Chev. C2500 4wd | Scott Childers | Yes |
| Roads | 1999 Chev. 1 Ton Pickup w/snowpl. | Department | No |
| Roads | 1999 Chev. 1 Ton Pickup w/snowpl. | Department | No |
| Roads | 1999 Chev. 1 Ton Pickup w/snowpl. | Department | No |
| Roads | 1999 Ford F150 4x4 | Department | No |
| Roads | 1989 Nissan 4x4 Pickup | Department | No |
| Roads | 1992 Ford F250 4x4 | Department | No |
| Roads | 1989 Nissan 4x4 Pickup | Department | No |
| Solid Waste | 2003 Dodge Dakota 4x4 | Michelle Miller | Yes |
| Transportation/Plan. | 2003 Dodge Dakota 4x4 | Department | No |

SHERIFF

| Department | Year Make | Assigned To | Take Home? |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| Boating Safety | 2003 Ford Expedition 4x4 | Deputy Conrad | Yes |
| Boating Safety | 1998 Chev. C2500 4x4 Pickup | Deputy Debenedetto | Yes |
| Boating Safety | 2000 Chev. C2500 4x4 Pickup | Deputy Weeks | Yes |
| Boating Safety | 2002 Ford F250 | Department | No |
| Jail | 2002 Dodge Stratus | Department | No |
| Jail | 2001 Chev. Cargo Van | Transport | No |
| Jail | 2003 Ford Econovan | Transport | No |
| Sheriff | 2003 Ford Explorer | Detective Sarno | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2007 Chev. Impala | Sheriff Muller | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2008 Chev. Impala | Detective Ramirez | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2008 Chev. Impala | Undersheriff Binnewies | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2001 Ford F150 4x4 | Narcotics | No |
| Sheriff | 2002 Ford F150 4x4 | Detective Jay | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2002 Dodge Stratus | Department | No |
| Sheriff | 2002 Dodge Stratus | Department | No |

SHERIFF (cont.)

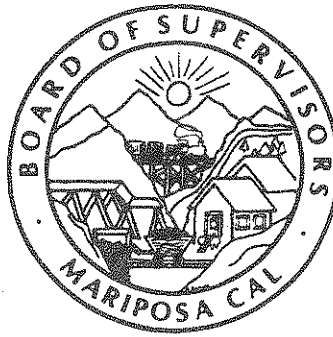
| Department | Year Make | Assigned To | Take Home? |
|-------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| Sheriff | 2002 Dodge Stratus | Department | No |
| Sheriff | 1999 Ford Crown Victoria | Scope | No |
| Sheriff | 2002 Ford Crown Victoria | Scope | No |
| Sheriff | 2004 Dodge Intrepid | Department - Patrol | No |
| Sheriff | 1999 Ford Explorer 4x4 | Scope | No |
| Sheriff | 2002 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Scope | No |
| Sheriff | 2003 Ford Expedition 4x4 | Sergeant Jones | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2003 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Patrol | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2003 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Patrol | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2003 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Patrol | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2004 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Deputy Mirelez | No |
| Sheriff | 2004 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Patrol | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2004 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Patrol | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2004 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Deputy Miller | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2004 Dodge Durango | Patrol | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2004 Dodge Durango | Deputy Akbiyikian | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2004 Dodge Durango | Patrol | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2005 Dodge 1500 Pickup | Patrol | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2005 Dodge 1500 Pickup | Deputy Charman | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2005 Dodge Durango | Patrol | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2006 Dodge 1500 Pickup | Deputy Rumfelt | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2006 Dodge 1500 Pickup | Deputy Williams | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2006 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Deputy Bobman | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2006 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Deputy Jackson | No |
| Sheriff | 2006 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Deputy Serena | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2006 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Deputy Boehm | No |
| Sheriff | 2006 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Deputy Sturm | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2006 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Captain Bibby | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2006 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Deputy Lunquist | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2006 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Captain Robles | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2006 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Sergeant Cramer | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2006 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Deputy Sponhaltz | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2007 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Sergeant Briese | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2007 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Deputy Hendricks | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2007 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Sergeant Rumfelt | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2007 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Sergeant Land | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2007 Dodge 1500 Pickup 4x4 | Transferring to County Fire | No |
| Sheriff | 2008 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Deputy King | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2008 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Deputy Gilmore | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2008 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Deputy Packard | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2008 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Deputy Phillips | Yes |
| Sheriff | 2008 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Deputy Sullivan | Yes |
| Sheriff | 1984 Chev. Pickup 4x4 | No longer in use. | No |

SHERIFF (cont.)

| Department | Year Make | Assigned To | Take Home? |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|
| Sheriff | 1973 Ford Van 4x4 w/winch | No longer in use. | No |
| Sheriff | 1986 Ford Ambulance | No longer in use. | No |
| Sheriff | 1998 Chev. 3500 4x4 w/crane | Search and Rescue | No |
| Sheriff | 2002 Ford Excursion | Search and Rescue | No |
| Sheriff | 2002 Dodge Durango 4x4 | Scope | No |
| Sheriff | 1996 Chev. Cargo Van | No longer in use. | No |
| Sheriff | 2001 Ford F350 | Animal Control - Warkentin | No |
| Sheriff | 2003 Ford F250 Superduty | Animal Control - Andrews | No |
| Sheriff | 2005 Ford F250 4x4 Supercab | Animal Control - Benedetti | No |
| Sheriff | 2008 Ford F350 4x4 Supercab | Evidence Tech. - Brantley | No |
| Sheriff | 1972 Winnebago Motor Home | No longer in use. | No |

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October 9, 2008

To: Rick Benson, County Administrative Officer

 From: Mary Hodson, Deputy County Administrative Officer

Subject: Take Home Vehicle Justification

Detailed below is the justification for certain positions within county departments being allowed to take county vehicles home.

District Attorney

The take home vehicle is assigned to the District Attorney Investigator who is a sworn law enforcement officer and the vehicle is equipped with safety equipment (emergency lights, sirens, radio, and firearms). This position is subject to being asked to respond to any emergency by either the District Attorney or when requested by other law enforcement agencies. In the event of an officer involved shooting it is necessary for the District Attorney Investigator position to respond immediately to the scene of the incident as a member of the investigation team.

Fire

Both the Fire Chief and Deputy Fire Chief positions are on call twenty-four hours a day, seven-days a week to respond to emergencies. The Volunteer Division Chiefs and Battalion Chiefs are not paid county employees, but may have coverage for emergency response on weekdays, weekends, holidays, and evenings depending on the response schedule determined by the Fire Chief. Two of the Volunteer Division Chief positions are assigned to various areas in the County because of their residences – Fish Camp, Wawona, & Yosemite West; and Greeley Hill, Coulterville, and Don Pedro. The third Volunteer Division Chief has responsibility for all fire investigations. The Volunteer Battalion Chiefs only take the vehicle home when on duty.

Human Services

There are seven (7) vehicles in the Department that are take home vehicles when the employee is “on call” for incidents that involve Child Protective and Adult Protective Services. Child Welfare and Adult Services Social Workers are required and must be available to respond to incidences after hours as warranted in program regulations. These are rotating shifts of “on call” duty and will vary from week to week between certain employee positions.

Probation

The Chief Probation Officer is taking a vehicle home for emergency responses to the juvenile hall after normal work hours, weekends, and holidays. Other positions within the department may on occasion take a vehicle home when assigned as "on call."

Public Works

Both the Public Works Director and the Assistant Public Works Director (currently vacant) have take home vehicles as these positions attend a variety of meetings during and after normal work hours. Certain emergency situations may also require their level of decision making authority.

The Facilities Maintenance Manager position is assigned a take home vehicle for responding to any county facility, park, or sewer facility emergency or crisis that occurs, whether during normal work hours or after hours, weekends, or holidays. The vehicle assigned to this position is equipped with maintenance equipment.

The Fleet Superintendent position is assigned a take home vehicle for responding to emergency repairs on county vehicles including fire equipment after normal work hours, weekends, and holidays. This position also has the authority to authorize towing and to assign a replacement vehicle for one that is out of service. The vehicle assigned to this position is outfitted with vehicle repair equipment.

The Road Superintendent is assigned a take home vehicle and is available to attend all varieties of road emergencies and/or road problems that may occur after normal work hours and during weekends and holidays. This position receives calls concerning road conditions and many of these calls necessitate travel to the site to ascertain a remedy and notify the appropriate personnel. The vehicle assigned to this position is outfitted with repair and maintenance equipment.

The Maintenance Construction Supervisor positions are assigned take home vehicles that are equipped with snow removal capabilities, chain saws, and other necessary repair/maintenance equipment. These positions are on called upon for snow removal, and removing downed trees and large dead animals from county maintained roadways after normal work hours, weekends, and holidays. Some of these positions have residences in Jerserydale, Greeley Hill, and Catheys Valley which allow for timely responses outside of the Mariposa town area.

Sheriff

The Sheriff, Undersheriff, Captain, Sergeant, and Deputy Sheriff positions are all assigned take home vehicles. These positions are on call twenty-four hours a day, seven-days a week for emergency responses. Having a marked Sheriff's car in the community also gives the constituents a sense of security and may ward off potential criminal acts. A Deputy Sheriff position is not allowed to take a vehicle home if they have not yet completed the required training or live out of county.