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Four Cited During Bicycle, Pedestrian Safety Operation

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The Torrance Police Department issued four citations for a variety of violations made by bicyclist during a bicycle and pedestrian safety operation on June 14, 2023.

Three bicyclist were cited for violations of 21201(d) - Bicyclist riding at night without lighting equipment, and one bicyclist was cited for a Municipal Code of riding a bicycle on a sidewalk within a Business District.

The operation took place from 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. A total of seven bicyclist were contacted during the operation.

"Safety is a shared responsibility, with drivers holding the greatest responsibility to keep other road users safe," Torrance Police Department Sergeant David Koenig said. "We hope this operation serves as a reminder to everyone to practice due care and to look out for one another."

The Torrance Police Department will be holding another bicycle and pedestrian safety operation in the near future.

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Lieutenant Chad Farley Traffic and Special Events Division Commander



