

10-COES

10-CODE	EXPLANATION
10-1	Unit Transmitting Poorly
10-2	Unit Transmitting Well
10-3	Stop Transmitting
10-4	Acknowledged
10-6	Busy
10-7	Out of Service
10-8	In Service
10-9	Repeat
10-15	Prisoner in Custody
10-19	Return to Indicated Location
10-20	Location
10-21	Telephone Indicated Location or Person
10-22	Disregard/Cancel
10-28	Wants and Warrants Check
10-29F	Felony Subject
10-29M	Misdemeanor Subject
10-29V	Stolen Vehicle
10-31	Switch to Frequency
10-33	Emergency Request for Patch
10-97	Arrived on Scene
10-98	Finished with Assignment

Service Codes

Service Code	Explanation
Code 3	Emergency. Use lights and siren.
Code 4	No further assistance required.
Code 4A	No further assistance required, scene not yet secure.
Code 4N	No further assistance required, no evidence of crime at location.

Service Codes (cont)

Code 5	Stake out at location. All units stay away unless emergency.
Code 6	Unit is Out of Service to Investigate
Code 7	Unit is on a Meal Break.
Code 9	Unit is Conducting Pre-Stop Coordination
Code 14	Scene concluded. All units attached to call considered in-service.
Code 20	Notify media of newsworthy incident.
Code 77	Possible ambush, use caution.

Quick Links

MDC Useful Resources	HERE
Arrest Charges Calculator	HERE
Penal Code	HERE
Master Roster	HERE
LSSD Uniforms	HERE

APCO PHONETIC ALPHABET

LETTER	PHONETIC
A	ADAM
B	BOY
C	CHARLES
D	DAVID
E	EDWARD
F	FRANK
G	GEORGE
H	HENRY
I	IDA
J	JOHN
K	KING
L	LINCOLN
M	MARY
N	NORA

APCO PHONETIC ALPHABET (cont)

O	OCEAN
P	PAUL
Q	QUEEN
R	ROBERT
S	SAM
T	TOM
U	UNION
V	VICTOR
W	WILLIAM
X	X-RAY
Y	YOUNG
Z	ZEBRA

STATUS CODES

CODE	EXPLANATION
125	Disturbance
125G	Disturbance (<i>Gang Activity</i>)
201	Capital Murder
203	Murder
306	Grand Theft Auto
902	Person Sick or Injured
902R	Rescue/Ambulance Responding
902T	Traffic Collision (<i>Unk Injuries</i>)
918	Insane Person
923	Illegal gunfire
925	Person acting suspiciously
927	Suspicious Circumstances
929	Person down
997	Deputy requires Urgent Assistance
998	Deputy involved in shooting
999	Deputy requires Immediate Assistance. All units respond.

SITUATION CHEAT SHEET

SITUATION RADIO EXAMPLE

Traffic Stop **UNIT**, code six on a t-stop on **STREET**, vehicle is a **MODEL**, occupied **AMOUNT**, plate reads **PLATE**. Requesting **AMOUNT** backup unit(s).

Felony Stop **UNIT**, code six on a felony stop on **STREET**, vehicle is a **MODEL**, occupied **AMOUNT**, plate reads **PLATE**. Requesting assistance in L-TAC #.

Vehicle Pursuit **UNIT**, in pursuit of a **VEHICLE MODEL** going **DIRECTION** on **STREET**, requesting assistance (*optional: airship*) and a supervisor to A-TAC #

Foot Pursuit **UNIT**, in foot pursuit of a **DESCRIPTION SEX** headed **DIRECTION** on **STREET**. Requesting assistance (*optional: airship*) and a supervisor to A-TAC #.

Requesting Backup/Assistance **UNIT**, requesting **AMOUNT** backup units to **STREET** for **REASON**. / **UNIT**, requesting assistance to **STREET** for **REASON**.

Non-emergent response **UNIT**, responding to **UNIT's** backup request/last call for service in **ETA**.

SITUATION CHEAT SHEET (cont)

Emergent response **UNIT**, code to **UNIT's** assistance request/call for service in **ETA**.

Deputy involved Shooting **UNIT 998** at **LOCATION!**

Requesting an ambulance Sheriff's **UNIT** for Fire Metro. *wait for response UNIT*, requesting an RA unit to **LOCATION** for **RACE/BRIEF DESCRIPTION** suffering from **INJURIES**. **CONSCIOUS/UNCONSCIOUS** and **BREATHING/NOT BREATHING**.

Crime Broadcast Sheriff's **UNIT**. Clear the air for a crime broadcast. break **CRIME(S)** occurred at **TIME** on **STREET**. Vehicle is a **MODEL** occupied **AMOUNT** with plate reading **PLATE**. **DESCRIPTION OF SUSPECTS**, known to carry **FIREARM/NO WEAPONS KNOWN**. Last seen driving/running to **LOCATION**. No further details.

