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## **BEVERLY HILLS STEPPING UP ENFORCEMENT ON USE OF MOTORIZED SCOOTERS**

*City Council to Consider Additional Action at July 24 Study Session*

**Beverly Hills, CA** – The City of Beverly Hills is carefully monitoring the use of ‘Bird’ and ‘Lime’ motorized scooters within city limits and citing violators of the California Vehicle Code.

The Beverly Hills Police Department has issued more than 100 warnings and citations over the last week for riders not wearing helmets or not possessing a valid driver’s license.

The use of scooters was brought to the City’s Traffic and Parking Commission (TPC) for discussion earlier this week. The Beverly Hills City Council will review the TPC’s input and recommendations regarding additional regulation at an upcoming study session on Tuesday, July 24 at 2:30 p.m.

“The safety of our residents and visitors is always our top priority,” said Beverly Hills Police Chief Sandra Spagnoli. “We work to ensure all traffic laws are obeyed and that pedestrians, bicyclists, drivers and scooter riders themselves are not put at unnecessary risk.”

Beverly Hills police may remove scooters from the sidewalk upon determining they are obstructing the normal movement of traffic or creating a hazard.

Residents or visitors who come across a scooter that is obstructing vehicular or pedestrian traffic are urged to call the Beverly Hills Police Department Non-Emergency Line at (310) 550-4951 to request removal.

For details on the California Vehicle Code, please visit the Police Department’s [Motorized Scooter Regulations](#) page.

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