

Keeping Monterey County Moving

These roving tow trucks:

- Reduce the number of traffic jams by quickly clearing accidents and other incidents - the cause of more than 50 percent of traffic congestion.
- Through quick response, lessen the chain of further accidents and bottlenecks caused by passing drivers.
- Help save fuel and cut air-pollution emissions by reducing stop-and-go traffic.
- Provide a benefit of over \$7 for each \$1 invested in the program, statewide.

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TRANSPORTATION AGENCY
FOR MONTEREY COUNTY



The Transportation Agency for Monterey County's goal is to develop and maintain a multimodal transportation system that enhances mobility, safety, access, environment quality, and economic activities in Monterey County.

Questions and Answers

How will I recognize the Freeway Service Patrol drivers?

All Monterey County Freeway Service Patrol trucks are white and display the easily recognizable blue and yellow Freeway Service Patrol logo. Their drivers wear blue uniforms with the Freeway Service Patrol logo.

Are there any costs or tips involved?

No. Drivers are not allowed to accept any compensation for their service. The Program is already paid for by the State of California.

Will the Monterey County Freeway Service Patrol tow me to a private repair facility?

No. The Monterey County Freeway Service Patrol can tow vehicles only to California Highway Patrol identified locations. Freeway Service Patrol drivers are prohibited from recommending tow service companies, or repair or body shops.

Is there a number that I can call to reach the Freeway Service Patrol driver if I need help?

The drivers cannot be reached by phone. They patrol the highways constantly during peak commute hours to maintain smooth traffic flow.

For more information, please call the Transportation Agency for Monterey County at (831) 775-0903.



Monterey County

Freeway Service Patrol



To submit the Freeway Service Patrol survey
online visit: www.TAMCMonterey.org/fsp.html

Tow Trucks to the Rescue...

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The Monterey County Freeway Service Patrol Is Here to Help You

If you have car trouble while on the freeway, the Monterey County Freeway Service Patrol can assist you with the following services free of charge:

- Changing a flat tire
- "Jump starting" your vehicle
- Taping hoses and refilling your radiator
- Providing you a gallon of fuel

If the Monterey County Freeway Service Patrol is not able to have your vehicle running within a few minutes by providing the above services, we will tow your car, absolutely free of charge, to the nearest California Highway Patrol-identified location off the freeway.

If needed, the Freeway Service Patrol driver will transport you to the nearest pay telephone, or call the California Highway Patrol to request additional assistance for you.



* For the Freeway Service Patrol Schedule visit www.TAMCMonterey.org/fsp.html