

# San Bernardino County

Environmental Health –  
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## Code Enforcement

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# COUNTY OF SAN BERNARDINO

## OFF-HIGHWAY VEHICLE ORDINANCE

Effective July 1, 2006  
Revised April 27, 2010



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**Off Highway Vehicle  
Ordinance**

As of July 1, 2006 the County of San Bernardino has new laws which govern the operation of off-highway vehicles.

It is unlawful to engage in OHV staging on parcels of less than 2.5 acres, or for more than 6 days in any 30 day period.

Staging is defined as a formal or informal assembly or gathering of OHVs, other vehicles and equipment accessory thereto, including camping vehicles on private or public property for the purpose of coordinating the use and operation of OHVs on that property or surrounding OHV recreation areas.  
[\( 28.0401 SBCC \)](#)

It is unlawful to operate an off-highway motor vehicle on the private property of another or upon public property, except a highway, without maintaining in their possession written permission from the owner of that property.

The same document can grant permission to two (2) or more persons if they are riding within 300 feet of the person in possession of the written permission.  
[\( 28.0403 SBCC \)](#)

No-off-highway motor vehicle shall exceed the noise standards established by the California Vehicle Code for off-highway motor vehicles.  
[\( 28.0405 SBCC \)](#)

It is unlawful to operate an OHV in any manner that disturbs the peace or quiet of any neighborhood or person by noise, dust, smoke or fumes.  
[\( 28.0406 SBCC \)](#)

Failure to adhere to these codes may result in an administrative or criminal citation. The first violation is punishable by a fine of up to \$100.00. The second violation within 3 years is punishable by a fine of \$200.00. The third violation within 3 years is punishable by a fine of \$500.00. Each subsequent violation is a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of \$1000.00 and/or 90 days in County jail.  
[\( 28.0407 SBCC \)](#)