

## **Welcome to Permits & City Contacts!**

### **Ballard & County Permit**

Population: 325

Small rural town, home of the Ballard Inn, 1883 Red Schoolhouse, 1898 Country Church, and 1882 Oak Hill Cemetery.

### **Ballard Visitors Info**

Christine Forsyth - The Ballard Inn

805-688-7770

Fax: 805-688-9560

[innkeeper@ballardinn.com](mailto:innkeeper@ballardinn.com)

2436 Baseline Ave, Ballard, CA 93463

### **Buellton**

Population: 3,984

Buellton is one of five small towns nestled in the fertile green countryside of the Santa Ynez Valley. Conveniently located on Highway 101, Buellton is surrounded by working cattle and horse ranches, ostriches, vineyards, and a variety of row crops. The town is also home to a new microbrewery, the area's only livestock yard, a rodeo arena, and the main street is lined with American flags. There are a variety of hotels, restaurants, a campground, and the Valley's only 24-hour visitor services.

Credits: Sideways, commercials.

### **PERMITS: City of Buellton**

#### **Clare Barcelona - Planning Technician**

805-688-7474, x11

Fax: 805-686-1729

[clareb@cityofbuellton.com](mailto:clareb@cityofbuellton.com)

<http://www.cityofbuellton.com/>

P.O. Box 1819, Buellton, CA 93427-1819

### **Buellton Visitor's Bureau and Chamber of Commerce**

Cindy Norlin - Executive Director

805-688-7829

Alt: 800-324-3800

Fax: 805-688-5399

[cindy@buellton.org](mailto:cindy@buellton.org)

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376 Ave of the Flags, Buellton, CA 93427

Scenic countryside, agricultural and ranching region.

### **California Coastal Commission**

#### **California Coastal Commission**

### **California Film Commission**

Business, Transportation & Housing Agency

7080 Hollywood Blvd. #900

Hollywood, CA 90028-6126

800-858-4749

Alt: 323-860-2960

Fax: 323-860-2972

[filmca@commerce.ca.gov](mailto:filmca@commerce.ca.gov)

<http://www.film.ca.gov/>

Location Resource Ctr, Ext. 119

Production Troubleshooting, Ext. 136

**PERMITS:**

CalTrans (Santa Barbara & San Luis Obispo), Ext. 104

Roadway conditions: 1-800-427-7623

<http://www.dot.ca.gov/>

Facilities, Ext. 107

State Parks & Beaches, Ext. 106

<http://www.parks.ca.gov/>

CHP - California Highway Patrol, Ext. 103

<http://www.chp.ca.gov/>

(police for ITC - intermittent traffic control & "rolling breaks")

FIRE - Al Adams, Deputy State Fire Marshal

310-217-6927

Fax: 310-217-6929

**FILM INCENTIVE PROGRAMS**

Film California First Program

<http://www.filmcafirst.com/>

STAR (State Theatrical Arts Resources Partnership), Ext. 133

**State Permit Application**

**Carpinteria Valley**

Population: 14,434

Located at the eastern tip of the Santa Barbara coast, Carpinteria maintains its original, small town charm. It is known for both gentle beaches, and the world-renowned surfing area - Rincon Point. The nearby foothills are home to some of the largest flower nurseries in the world, the Santa Barbara Polo and Racquet Club, private polo fields and numerous horse ranches.

Credits: Sam Churchill, commercials, stills.

**PERMITS: City of Carpinteria**

Shanna Farley

805-684-5405, Ext. 405

Fax: 805 684 5304

[shannaf@ci.carpinteria.ca.us](mailto:shannaf@ci.carpinteria.ca.us)

<http://www.carpinteria.ca.us/>

5775 Carpinteria Ave, Carpinteria, CA 93013

**Carpinteria Valley Chamber of Commerce**

Casey Konquist

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Alt: 805-684-3477

[kasey@carpchamber.org](mailto:kasey@carpchamber.org)

<http://www.carpchamber.org/>

1056P B Eugenia Place, Carpinteria, CA 93013

**Casmalia County Permit**

Population: 200

Small western town, (west of Orcutt), with a general store, sparsely populated rolling hills, and cattle grazing.

**Casmalia Visitors Info**

Terri Stricklin - Hitching Post

805-937-6151

Fax: 805-937-6391

[terri@hitchingpost1.com](mailto:terri@hitchingpost1.com)

3325 Point Sal Rd, Casmalia Rd, CA 93429

## **Channel Islands**

### **PERMITS: Channel Islands Nat'l Park**

Yvonne Menard

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[yvonne\\_menard@nps.gov](mailto:yvonne_menard@nps.gov)

[www.nps.gov/chis](http://www.nps.gov/chis)

1901 Spinnaker Dr, Ventura, CA 93001

### **PERMITS: Channel Islands Nat'l Marine Sanctuary**

Sean Hastings

805-884-1469

Fax: 805-568-1582

[sean.hastings@noaa.gov](mailto:sean.hastings@noaa.gov)

### **PERMITS: Channel Islands Nature Conservatory**

Lotus Vermeer

805-642-0345 x504

[lvermeer@tnc.org](mailto:lvermeer@tnc.org)

[www.tnc.org](http://www.tnc.org)

### **Cuyuma Valley / New Cuyuma - County Permit**

Population: 1,200

The towns of New Cuyama and Cuyama are set in desert terrain, surrounded by ranches, vineyards, farms (wheat, oats and carrots), wildflowers, and mountains. Amenities include a general store, the Buckhorn Restaurant and Hotel, and a 3,900 foot airstrip (approx. 60 miles east of Santa Maria).

#### **Cuyuma Visitor Info**

Harry Curtis Aventura

661 766 2025

Cell: 805 440 5022

Fax: 661 766 2028

[Kendy@aventuraco.com](mailto:Kendy@aventuraco.com)

1000 Perkins Rd., New Cuyama, CA 93254

### **Goleta Valley**

Population: 85,000

Just west of Santa Barbara, Goleta Valley is set between the Santa Ynez Mountains and the Pacific Ocean. It is comprised of suburban neighborhoods, avocado and lemon orchards, and Goleta Beach. The Goleta Valley Depot, Railroad Museum and Stow House, a restored Victorian mansion, are local attractions. Two state beach parks, El Capitan and Refugio, are just minutes away. Goleta is also home to UCSB (UC Santa Barbara), Santa Barbara Orchid Estate, five public golf courses, and the Santa Barbara Airport.

### **PERMITS: City of Goleta**

Kimberly Nilsson Community Services Department

805 961 7500

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Alt. Fax: 805-495-7621  
[knilsson@cityofgoleta.org](mailto:knilsson@cityofgoleta.org)  
<http://www.cityofgoleta.org/>  
130 Cremona Dr, Suite B, Goleta, CA 93117

**Goleta Valley Chamber of Commerce & Visitors Center**

Kristen Miller - President/CEO  
805-967-4618 Ext.101  
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[kristen@goletavalley.com](mailto:kristen@goletavalley.com)  
<http://www.goletavalley.com/>  
5582 Calle Real, Suite A, Goleta, CA 93117

**Guadalupe**

Population: 6,092  
A small, agricultural town, with turn-of-the-century buildings that give Guadalupe a timeless appeal. The Guadalupe Dunes Preserve has a windswept, desert look.  
Credits: Odd Couple II, Rocky and Bullwinkle, Hidalgo, GE, The Ten Commandments, Ford 450.

**PERMITS: City of Guadalupe**

Juana Merino  
805-343-1340 Ext.103  
Fax: 805-343-5512  
[juana@ci.guadalupe.ca.us](mailto:juana@ci.guadalupe.ca.us)  
<http://www.ci.guadalupe.ca.us/>  
918 Obispo St, Guadalupe, CA 93434  
Permit Application - under construction

**Rancho Guadalupe Chamber of Commerce & Visitors Bureau**

John Perry - President  
805-343-1515 (Napa Auto Parts)  
Bruno Bornino  
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[bbornino@mail.com](mailto:bbornino@mail.com)  
959 Guadalupe St, Guadalupe, CA 93434

**Guadalupe Chamber of Commerce**

Beverly Chapman - President  
805-343-9194  
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<http://www.guadalupechamber.org/>  
873 Guadalupe St, Guadalupe, CA 93434  
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**Guadalupe / Nipomo Dunes**

**PERMITS: Rancho Guadalupe Dunes Preserve and Park**

Center for Natural Lands Management (CNLM)  
Jamie King - Preserve Manager  
805-474-0896  
805-431-1389 Ranger Tina  
[jking@cnlm.org](mailto:jking@cnlm.org)  
<http://www.cnlm.org/>

### **Guadalupe Dunes Center**

P.O. Box 97, Guadalupe, CA 93434

DVD available by request at <http://www.cnlm.org/> - see Preserves.

NO FILMING - during snowy plover nesting: March 1st through October 1st.

Credits: Pirates of the Caribbean III, Hidalgo, GE Wright Bros comm'l, The Ten Commandments (Cecil B. DeMille); Soldiers of God.

### **PERMITS: Oceano Dunes (ATV area) - state permit**

Rey Monge

805-473-7225 Ext. 11

[rmong@parks.ca.gov](mailto:rmong@parks.ca.gov)

Dunes accessible year-round to vehicles and filming.

### **Isla Vista - county permit**

Population 15,000.

Home to UCSB's (University of California at Santa Barbara) college students, with a bohemian village, dramatic beaches and parks.

Credits: MTV, commercials.

### **Isla Vista Parks**

Angela Kamm

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[angelak@ivparks.org](mailto:angelak@ivparks.org)

<http://www.ivparks.org/>

### **Labor Standards / Minors / Workmans Comp**

### **PERMITS: Labor Standards Enforcement for the State of California**

Wage Issues, use of minors

805-568-1222

Fax: 805-962-2748

<http://www.dir.ca.gov/>

**Permits-Minors**

### **Workman's Compensation:**

805-968-4158

### **Lompoc Valley**

Population: 42,300

Located on the picturesque Pacific Coast Hwy (Route 1), Lompoc is nationally renowned as the "City of Murals in the Valley of Flowers," with over 60 murals that recount the colorful history and culture of the Valley - many painted by nationally acclaimed muralists. Each year, hundreds of acres of flowers bloom May through August. The region offers scenic winding roads, ranches, vineyards, rocky shores, sandy beaches, rugged cliffs, 4 to 5 crops per year, Point Conception Lighthouse, La Purisma Mission (a beautifully restored, Spanish-style mission complex), and Vandenberg Air Force Base, (launch site for rockets and satellites). Lompoc Valley has been the backdrop for many TV shows and movies, including Of Mice and Men, Seabiscuit, Sideways and Big Wednesday (surf film).

### **PERMITS: City of Lompoc**

Lucille Breese

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[L\\_breese@ci.lompoc.ca.us](mailto:L_breese@ci.lompoc.ca.us)

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P.O. Box 8001, Lompoc, CA 93438-8001

**Lompoc Valley Chamber of Commerce & Visitors Bureau**

C. Dennis Anderson

Gene Stevens (Tue & Thurs)

Dennis Headrick

805-736-4567

Fax: 805-737-0453

[chamber@lompoc.com](mailto:chamber@lompoc.com)

<http://www.lompoc.com/>

111 South "I" St.

P.O. Box 626, Lompoc, CA 93438-0626

**Los Alamos** - county permit

Population: 1000

Historical, western town features Victorian homes, general store, gas station, and the Union Hotel.

Credits: Seabiscuit, commercials, reality TV.

**Los Alamos Valley Visitors Association**

Laura Kath

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[laura@mariahmarketing.com](mailto:laura@mariahmarketing.com)

<http://www.losalamosvalley.com/>

<http://www.losalamosinfo.com/>

P.O. Box 2, Los Alamos, CA 93440

**Los Olivos** - county permit & Los Olivos Merchant Assn agreement

Population: 1,000

Perfectly restored, charming small town, with western and Victorian architecture, cosmopolitan fine art galleries, and wine tasting.

Credits: Sideways; Return to Mayberry.

**Los Olivos Business Organization**

Handles filming requests - represents all town merchants

Mark Herthel

[losolivosbusinessorg@gmail.com](mailto:losolivosbusinessorg@gmail.com)

losolivosca.com

(805) 688-1731

P.O. Box 280, Los Olivos, CA 93441

**Montecito** - county permit

Population: 10,000

A renowned celebrity retreat, Montecito features spectacular estates of varied architectural designs, especially Spanish and Mediterranean, with lavish landscaping. The semi-rural residential community also boasts wonderful views of foothills, hiking trails, ocean scenes, golf courses and private estates. Coast Village Rd (Main St.) offers small town charm, elegant shops and restaurants.

Credits: Disney's Rosebud, numerous commercials and catalog shoots.

**PERMITS: Montecito County Fire Prevention Bureau**

Inspector Kurt Mann

805-969-7762

Fax: 805-969-2962

[kmann@montecitofire.com](mailto:kmann@montecitofire.com)

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**Montecito Association**

805-969-2026

Fax: 805-969-4043

[info@montecitoassociation.org](mailto:info@montecitoassociation.org)

<http://www.montecitoassociation.org/>

Montecito Library Bldg, 1469 E. Valley Rd., Montecito, CA 93150

Historical, architectural, and land use guidelines and information available in our office.

**NOAA - National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration**

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[monica.hamm@noaa.gov](mailto:monica.hamm@noaa.gov)

**Orcutt** - county permit

Population: 20,000

Established in 1904. This small western town, home to oil and aerospace technology, farms and vineyards, is a unique blend of old and new, rural and suburbia.

**Orcutt Visitor Info**

North County Supervisor's Office

Joyce Kurtz-Chrisman

805-346-8400

Fax: 805-346-8404

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**SANTA BARBARA, CITY**

Known as **the American Riviera™**, the City of Santa Barbara is nestled between the Santa Ynez Mountains and a sweeping shoreline overlooking the nearby Channel Islands. Its unique south-facing position results in a temperate climate with sunshine from dawn to dusk. Santa Barbara is known for exceptional beauty and a world-renowned flair, much of it reflected in the area's architectural mix of Mediterranean, Spanish Colonial, Monterey, Moorish, and Islamic styles. Population: 90,696

Credits: There Will be Blood, Deathproof, Sideways, Seabiscuit, Hidalgo, Of Mice and Men, numerous commercials and catalog shoots.

**Permit Requirements**

The City of Santa Barbara now offers one stop permitting with Parks and Recreation as the lead department issuing the photo and film/video permit, answering as many questions on behalf of the City as possible and if need be, directing you to the appropriate City department staff if requests are complex and need the expertise of a specific City department OR if any additional permits are required (i.e. road closures). Note that a photo and film/video permit is ALWAYS required for any shoot, with the only exception being "not-for-profit" photo shoots occurring on private property that have no impact to the public.

**PERMITS: City of Santa Barbara**

Parks and Recreation handles permits for any shoot occurring within City limits. This includes any street, sidewalk, park, beach, Stearns Wharf, the Harbor, city waters to 1 mile from shore and Coast Village Road in Montecito. Note that shoots at the Santa Barbara Airport are not handled by this office. See below for Airport information.

Due to increased numbers of visitors on Stearns Wharf and boater activity the Harbor/Marina area during the summer months, photo and film permit requests for dates between Memorial Day and Labor Day will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis and may be denied due to volume of activity.

Permit requests for shooting in these areas on weekends, holidays and special events are strongly discouraged.

Cindy Acosta  
805P 897P 1982  
Fax: 805P 897P 1945  
[CAcosta@SantaBarbaraCA.gov](mailto:CAcosta@SantaBarbaraCA.gov)

One Stop Permitting Information, Fees and Application

### [Download Application](#)

#### **PERMITS: Santa Barbara Airport**

Due to security and special circumstances, all photo and film/video shoot requests for the Santa Barbara Airport and within an Airport lease holder's property are handled directly by the Airport. Airport Marketing Coordinator or Airport Patrol Supervisor 805P 967P 7111

**Jurisdiction:** City limits, Santa Barbara airport and Coast Village Road area of Montecito. Requests handled as quickly as possible.

#### **Film Permit Categories & Fees**

Movies, TV, Commercials, Videos P \$260

Still Photography -	\$60
Students -	\$0
Application Fee -	\$10

Additional facilities use fees will be charged for use of Parks, Beaches, and Waterfront. Please see one stop permit application for fees structure.

**Insurance:** A \$1 million policy required, naming the City of Santa Barbara, its officers, employees and agents as additional insured.

#### **Helicopters & small aircraft**

Must fly under FAA requirements, and show authorization. Permission to land within city limits is very restrictive. (See Santa Barbara Airport, above)

#### **Santa Barbara Harbor Merchants Association**

Skip Abed  
805-962-2826  
[skip@sbsail.com](mailto:skip@sbsail.com)  
801 Shoreline Dr, Santa Barbara, CA 93109

#### **Visit Santa Barbara and Film Commission**

800-676-1266  
Alt: 805-966-9222  
Fax: 805-966-1728  
[tourism@santabarbaraCA.com](mailto:tourism@santabarbaraCA.com)  
**Visitor Information**



### **County Film Commission**

1601 Anacapa St, Santa Barbara, CA 93101-1909

### **Santa Barbara Chamber of Commerce**

Marcia Reed

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[marcia@sbchamber.org](mailto:marcia@sbchamber.org)

<http://www.sbchamber.org/>

924 Anacapa St, Suite 1, Santa Barbara, CA 93101

### **Santa Barbara Visitor Information Center**

Annmarie Rogers

805-965-3021

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1 Garden St, Santa Barbara, CA 93101

### **Santa Barbara Downtown Organization**

Mark Chaconas - Executive Director

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<http://www.santabarbaradowntown.com/>

27b E. De La Guerra St, Santa Barbara, CA 93101

### **Santa Barbara Hispanic Chamber of Commerce**

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Fax: 805-681-1260

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<http://www.sbhcc.com/>

PO Box 6592, Santa Barbara, CA 93160-6592

## **SANTA BARBARA COUNTY**

The County of Santa Barbara lies 92 miles/147 km north of Los Angeles, and 332 miles/531 km south of San Francisco. Click on the following link for a map of Santa Barbara and surrounding coastline: [County Map](#)

Population 403,000

Climate: Mild and sunny - there is no "off-season" on the American Riviera (Temperatures average in the 60's and 70's year-round, with low humidity).

Credits: over 100 movies & TV shows, including Sideways, Seabiscuit, Hidalgo, Spartan, Of Mice and Men, The Bachelor, numerous commercials, catalog & auto stills.

## **PERMIT REQUIREMENTS**

The County of Santa Barbara consists of several jurisdictions requiring permits. Permits are ALWAYS required.

The following is a guideline to fees and policies, depending on your location.

## **PERMITS: County of Santa Barbara**

One-stop center for issuance of County Film Permits

Alicia Hawkins

805-568-3030

Fax: 805-568-3103  
Switchboard: 805-568-3030  
Supervisor Philip Oates: 568-3113  
[Ahawkin@co.santa-barbara.ca.us](mailto:Ahawkin@co.santa-barbara.ca.us)  
<http://www.countyofsb.org/index.asp>  
123 E. Anapamu St., Santa Barbara, CA 93101-2059  
Permit applications may be emailed or faxed.

**Permit Application & Guidelines - Download**

- Checklist
- Cancellations & Changes
- Permit Fees, Review procedures & Payments
- Permit Application (may be filled out on your computer)
- Insurance & Indemnification Application
- Filming Requirements & Instructions
- Location Consent Form (to be signed by Property Owner)
- Neighbor Notification Form
- Merchant Filming Notification Form
- No Parking / Temporary Street/Lane Closure Notification Form
- Helicopter Safety Guidelines
- Helicopter Use Permitting Requirements

**Jurisdiction:** All unincorporated areas of the County.

**Permit Processing:** 72 hour minimum

**PERMITS: County Fire**

Roy Alexander  
805-686-8181  
Fax: 805-681-5553  
[roy.alexander@sbcfire.com](mailto:roy.alexander@sbcfire.com)  
[www.sbcfire.com](http://www.sbcfire.com)  
\$55-95 per hour  
Fire review - \$94.00

**PERMITS: County Parks**

Santa Barbara County Community Services Dept., Parks Division  
Evangeline Benchek  
(805)568-2473  
Fax: (805) 568-2459  
[ebenchek@sbccsd.org](mailto:ebenchek@sbccsd.org)  
<http://cosb.countyofsb.org/parks/>  
123 E. Anapamu St., 2nd Floor  
Santa Barbara, CA 93101  
Call for info on parks, open spaces, camping, beaches, County Courthouse grounds.  
\$75 Review fee. Parks fees vary by location.

**PERMITS: CHP (California Highway Patrol)**

CFC Liaison - Officer Cheyenne Quesada  
800-858-4749 Ext.103  
Fax: 323-817-4113

Pager: 818-698-9359

[cquesada@film.ca.gov](mailto:cquesada@film.ca.gov)

<http://www.chp.ca.gov/>

\$56/hr - Police for ITC (intermittent traffic control)

CHP required on State and County roads

**PERMITS: County Sheriff**

Drew Sugars Public Information Officer

805-681-4192

Fax: 805-681-4268

Email: [acs4179@sbsheriff.org](mailto:acs4179@sbsheriff.org)

<http://www.sbsheriff.org/>

4434 Calle Real, Santa Barbara, CA 93110

**PERMITS: County Roads**

\$38.00/hr for public road inspections

Road repair deposit: \$500-1,000.

**Road Conditions (free road updates)**

[http://ceres.ca.gov/geo\\_area/counties/Santa\\_Barbara/conditions.html](http://ceres.ca.gov/geo_area/counties/Santa_Barbara/conditions.html)

Santa Barbara / Carpinteria: 805-681-5678

Santa Ynez / Lompoc: 805-737-7773

Santa Maria: 805-934-6100

**County Tax Assessor**

Francisco Siordia

805-568-2550

Fax: 805-568-3247

[fsiordi@co.santa-barbara.ca.us](mailto:fsiordi@co.santa-barbara.ca.us)

**Visit Santa Barbara and Film Commission**

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**Visitor Information**

**County Film Commission**

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**Santa Maria Valley**

Population: 85,325

Located 70 miles north of Santa Barbara at the crossroads of Highway 1, 101, and 166. Santa Maria is in the North County's largest city, and primary retail center. Vineyards, rolling hills, wineries, ranches and farms - with well-tended row crops of strawberries, lettuce, broccoli, and gladiolas - border the city on all sides. Only minutes from sand dunes, winding country roads, and the western towns of Guadalupe and Orcutt. Santa Maria Airport offers daily L.A. commuter flights, and is frequently used in films and commercials.

Credits: Sideways, Hidalgo, Odd Couple II, G.I. Jane, Rocketeer, Rocky and Bullwinkle, numerous commercials and catalog shoots.

**PERMITS: City of Santa Maria**

Mark Van de Kamp

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Fax: 805-928-0535  
[mvandekamp@ci.santa-maria.ca.us](mailto:mvandekamp@ci.santa-maria.ca.us)  
<http://www.ci.santa-maria.ca.us/>  
110 E. Cook St, Room 2, Santa Maria, CA 93454

**Santa Maria Valley Chamber of Commerce and Visitor & Convention Bureau**

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805-925-2403  
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<http://www.santamaria.com/>  
614 S. Broadway, Santa Maria, CA 93454  
Central Coast Wine Country

**Santa Ynez Valley** - county permit

Population: 11,164

Famous for picturesque wineries and world-class wines, Santa Ynez Valley is located in the center of the county. It includes Lake Cachuma, and Los Padres Nat. Forest, with campgrounds, hiking trails, swimming and fishing in the Santa Ynez River. Its rolling hills are dotted with California oaks and punctuated with horse ranches, vineyards, and small western towns such as Santa Ynez, Los Olivos and Los Alamos.

Credits: Sideways, Seabiscuit, Odd Couple II, Inn Trouble, numerous commercials and catalog shoots.

**Santa Ynez Valley Visitors Association**

Laura Kath - Publicist / Media Relations  
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[laura@mariahmarketing.com](mailto:laura@mariahmarketing.com)  
[info@syvva.com](mailto:info@syvva.com)  
<http://www.syvva.com/>  
PO Box 1918 Santa Ynez, CA 93460

**Solvang**

Population: 5,444

Established in 1911, amidst rolling hills, oak trees, winding country lanes, and wineries. Solvang is a picturesque Danish village, with more than 200 charming shops, restaurants, country inns, bakeries, a timeless, tree-lined road (Route 246, Buellton to Solvang), and Mission Santa Ines (1804). If you require locations with a European look, scout Solvang. Authentic architectural elements include cobblestone courtyards, windmills, and thatched/copper roofs.

Credits: Seabiscuit, Sideways, Of Mice and Men, Mach III, Gillette, car commercials and photo shoots.

**PERMITS: City of Solvang**

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<http://www.cityofsolvang.com/>  
P.O. Box 107, Solvang, CA 93464

**Solvang Chamber of Commerce**

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<http://www.solvangcc.com/>

P.O. Box 465, Solvang, CA 93464

### **Solvang Conference & Visitors Bureau**

Tracy Farhad - Executive Director

800-468-6765

805-688-6144

Fax: 805-688-8620

Cell 805-245-0851

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PO Box 70, Solvang, CA 93464-0070

### **Summerland - county permit**

Population: 2,500

Quaint cliffside, "Cape Cod" beach community, with antique shops, restaurants, and "Cape Cod" style homes with porches.

### **Summerland Visitors Info**

Jeff Melnik, Summerland Beach Café

805-969-1019

Fax: 805-969-9903

[summbeach@aol.com](mailto:summbeach@aol.com)

<http://www.summerlandbeachcafe.com/>

2294 Lillie Ave, Summerland, CA 93067

### **UCSB**

**PERMITS:** University of California, Santa Barbara

Kimberly Tapia

UCSB, Santa Barbara, CA 93106

805-893-5836

Fax: 805-893-8639

[kimberly.tapia@buss.ucsb.edu](mailto:kimberly.tapia@buss.ucsb.edu)

Limited staff - small shoots preferred.

**UCSB - University of California, Santa Barbara**

### **US Coast Guard**

**PERMITS:** US Coast Guard Motion Picture and Television Office

310-235-7817

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[uscghollywood@d11.uscg.mil](mailto:uscghollywood@d11.uscg.mil)

<http://www.uscg.mil/USCG.shtm>

10880 Wilshire Blvd. #1210, L.A., CA 90024-4113

Technical Advisors

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### **US Forest Service**

**PERMITS: USFS - Los Padres National Forest - Santa Barbara Ranger District**

Includes: Paradise Road area; lower Santa Ynez; East & West Camino Cielo

Tony Martinez  
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3505 Paradise Road, Santa Barbara, CA 93105

**Permit Application (PDF)**

Credits: numerous car commercials, catalog shoots.

**PERMITS: USFS** - Los Padres National Forest - Santa Lucia Ranger District.

Includes Figueroa Mountain Rd and other nearby locations.

Helen Tarbet

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1616 N Carlotti Dr, Santa Maria, CA 93454-1599

"Filming/Photography Request Form" required.

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**PERMITS: USFS** - Mt. Pinos Ranger District - Frazier Park area

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