

Reported use of Kinetic Energy Projectiles and/or Chemical Agents for crowd control as specified in CA Penal Code section 13652.

Incident Date: November 1, 2025

The following is a crowd control incident summary as required under CA Penal Code section 13652.1.

Summary

On November 1, 2025, the Sheriff’s Response Team (SRT) was activated and deployed for the Los Angeles Dodgers World Series. Five SRT squads, equivalent to one platoon plus one squad, along with support personnel, were staged at Biscailuz Center at the request of the East Los Angeles Sheriff’s Station. The mission of SRT was to assist East Los Angeles Sheriff’s Station in the event of civil unrest following the seventh game of the World Series. SRT personnel were strategically positioned as a quick reaction force, ready to support East Los Angeles Sheriff’s Station personnel if needed.

At approximately 2146 hours, East Los Angeles Station requested SRT to respond to two different locations. Squads 1 and 2 responded to Whittier Boulevard and Atlantic Boulevard, while squads 3, 4, and 5 responded to Whittier Boulevard and Woods Avenue in East Los Angeles to address street takeovers and illegal fireworks.

SRT personnel arrived shortly afterward and found both locations overwhelmed with vehicle and pedestrian traffic. Thousands of people and hundreds of vehicles were present in the area. Vehicles were performing dangerous high-speed maneuvers, such as donuts, in the streets, large crowds were gathering, and illegal fireworks were being launched into the air.

At approximately 2157 hours, SRT personnel, using the public announcement (PA) system in their vehicles, began initiating dispersal orders in English and Spanish. The announcements continued the entire duration of the deployment. SRT personnel formed a skirmish line and began dispersing the crowd from both locations. All five SRT squads cleared their respective locations of celebratory rioters by 0045 hours.

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Estimated Crowd Size: Hundreds to Thousands

Estimated Number of Deputies: 55+

Less-Lethal items employed	Quantity
Pepper Balls	88
Tear Gas Grenades	35
FN 303 Pava	22

Blast Balls	5
Aerial Burst / Warning Signal	71

Documented Injuries

Deputies	0
Civilians	None Reported

Justification for use

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