

**San Diego County Section of the
International Dark-Sky Association**
www.darksky.org

OBTRUSIVE LIGHTING COMPLAINT FORM

Light Pollution = Glare, Light Trespass, and/or Sky Glow

Date: _____ Has this Lighting been reported before: No__ Yes__ (when _____)
Address of Obtrusive Light(s): _____

City: _____ County: _____

Owner of Obtrusive Lighting: _____
Have you contacted the owner? No__ Yes__ (when _____)
If Yes, Results/Comments: _____

State the Problem (Please be as specific as possible, including the type and number of lights,
location, times on, and date when offense began - see note below to include photos to help ID):

Your suggestions to remedy the problem: _____

For contact purposes to get more information if needed and for follow-up:
Your Name: _____
Your Address: _____
Your Phone No.: _____ Email: _____

Thank You for your Interest in Helping Reduce Light Pollution!

Note: Please attach daytime photos showing the light installation area (like house with light mounted on eve, etc.)
and a close up photo to help identify the type of light fixture.

*We can only report lights for enforcement that are not compliant with "Outdoor Lighting Codes" to the jurisdiction
involved (there may be State, County, and/or City codes that apply such as the nuisance code).*

Please refer to back of this form for a list of phone numbers for Code Enforcement Departments across the county.
Contact the appropriate office for instructions on how and where to send this completed form with photos to your
local code enforcement official. You may also send the form to the San Diego IDA office at
SanDiegoIDA@yahoo.com

NOTE: If you have changes or additions to the contact list on the back of this form, please submit them to
SanDiegoIDA@yahoo.com. Also, if you are outside the San Diego County area and have an Obtrusive Light, check
with your closest IDA Section to see if they have a form. Sections are listed at www.darksky.org, click on Sections.

Contact List for Code Enforcement within San Diego County

Please note that this is not a complete list and we are making changes and additions to this list.

If you find changes or additions, please send them to us at SanDiegoIDA@yahoo.com

- **City of San Diego, Lighting Intensity Committee,
Code Compliance: 619-236-5500**
- **City of Solana Beach Code Enforcement: 858-720-2413**
- **City of Poway Code Compliance: 858-668-4668**
- **City of Del Mar Planning and Community Development: 858-755-9337**
- **City of Escondido, Escondido Police Dept.,
Business Liaison Office: 760-839-4948**
- **City of Oceanside Code Enforcement: 760-435-3950**
- **City of Vista Building Department: 760-639-6105**
- **City of Carlsbad Code Enforcement: 760-602-2703
Or Building Department: 760-602-2700**
- **City of Encinitas Code Enforcement: 760-633-2685
Or Building and Planning: 760-633-2680**
- **Unincorporated Area of San Diego County
DPLU Code Enforcement Division: 858-565-5920**