



September 12, 2018

Derrick Abell  
Acting Fire Chief, City of Manhattan Beach  
400 15<sup>th</sup> St  
Manhattan Beach, CA 90266

Dear Chief Abell,

It is my understanding the City has a MBFD BC vehicle it is retiring. I would like to respectfully request that this truck be donated to Manhattan Beach Community Emergency Response Team Association.

We would use this vehicle as our Command/IOC vehicle incorporating communications equipment and select emergency supplies to facilitate communications between our quadrants in the City and MBFD. This would free up our current Command vehicle with the MBCERTA photo-wrap for use 1) when staffing our Medical Tent at events requested by the City; and 2) as a marketing vehicle at events such as the Hometown Fair.

We appreciate all the support the City gives our organization. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Best regards,

Mindy Balgrosky  
Secretary/Treasurer, MBCERTA  
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cc: Frank Chiella, President MBCERTA and Christopher Richardson Vice President MBCERTA

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