



City Motto "City of Vision"
City Tree Palm
City Flower Daisy
Area 2.0 square miles
Incorporated October 26, 1955

Civic Center
 7822 Walker Street 90623
714 / 523-7700

Utilities

Electric

Southern California Edison
 800 / 655-4555

Gas

The Gas Company
 800 / 427-2200

Telephone

Pacific Bell 800 / 310-2355
 GTE 800 / 483-4000

Water

City of La Palma 523-8470

Cable

Media One 826-8680

Trash

Park Disposal 522-3577

Chamber of Commerce

One Centerpointe Dr., #210 90623
 228-2218

City Resources

- Animal Control 935-6848
- Business License 523-7700
- City Admin. 523-7700
- City Clerk 523-7700
- City Council 523-7700
- City Finance 523-8470
- City Manager 523-7700
- City Treasurer 523-7700
- Comm. Services 522-6740
- Econ. Dev. Dept. 523-7700
- Fire Dept. 744-0400
- Mayor 523-7700
- Parks & Rec. 522-6740
- Planning Dept. 523-7700
- Police Dept. 523-4552

Business Licensing Fee

Based on gross receipts.
 Minimum \$35.

Post Office

U.S. Postal Service
800 / 275-8777

7377 La Palma Avenue
 Buena Park 90620

Library

7842 Walker Street
 90623 523-8585

Major Employers

Automated Data Processing Computer Services
 La Palma Intercommunity Hospital Health Service
 Wallace Computer Services Printer

ETHNICITY

White	45.22%
Black	4.04%
Asian	37.30%
Other	0.19%
Hispanic	13.03%

HOUSING

Median Value	\$300,500
Housing Units	5,005
Single Units	80.16%
Multi-Family	19.14%
Mobile Home	0.06%
Owners	73.49%
Renters	24.44%
Avg. Rents	\$847

REGISTERED VOTERS

Voters	7,071
Am. Independents	97
Democrats	2,689
Libertarians	23
Republicans	3,286
Others	976

EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY

Exec/Admin/Mgmt	18.30%	Admin Support	20.10%
Prof/Specialty	18.47%	Priv HH Occ	0.21%
Services	5.58%	Machine Oper	2.46%
Forest/Farm/Fishing	0.29%	Transportation	2.71%
Crafts	8.47%	Laborers	2.62%
Tech	4.16%	Protect Serv	2.05%
Sales	14.58%		

EMPLOYMENT

Labor Force	9,690
Employed	9,560
Unemployed	130
Unempl. Rate	1.3%

CRIME

	'97	'96		'97	'96		'97	'96
Murder	0	0	Assault	30	24	Petty Theft	267	331
Rape	2	2	Burglary	78	112	Arson	2	2
Robbery	24	25	Auto Theft	80	132	% Change (96-97)	-23.1	

POPULATION

Total	15,987
Men	49.55%
Women	50.45%
College Degree	29.00%
Median Age	36.7
Age Distribution	
0 - 13 years	15.89%
14 - 24 years	15.89%
25 - 34 years	15.64%
35 - 44 years	15.69%
45 - 59 years	24.41%
60 - 64 years	4.57%
65 +	7.91%

HOUSEHOLDS

Total	4,916
1-2 Persons	35.44%
3+ Persons	64.56%
Average Size	3.274
HH w/children	44.00%
Marital Status	
Married	66.65%
Single, Never Married	23.82%
Divorced, Sep., Wid.	9.53%

INCOME

Per Capita	\$23,114
Household	\$66,758
0 - \$14,999	6.65%
\$15,000 - 24,999	5.11%
25,000 - 34,999	8.16%
35,000 - 49,999	12.55%
50,000 - 74,999	26.34%
75,000 - 99,999	16.88%
100,000 +	24.31%