



## ASSP – LA Chapter | July 2025 Newsletter



### Events

#### July Beach Clean-Up Day

*Date & Time:* July 19<sup>th</sup>, 4pm – 8pm

*Location:* Huntington Beach

*Details:* The LA, OC, and Long Beach ASSP chapters are hosting a beach clean up day! Family and friends are welcome to join. After the clean-up will be a bonfire.

*Registration:* Free, sign up [here](#)

#### Job Postings

Find job postings in the Safety Professional field on our website [here](#).

### Event Recap: June Educational Event

Thank you to Luis Ortiz and Tracy Krieger for their informative and valuable presentations during the June educational event. Attendees of this event learned about developing system-driven safety management practices and fostering a psychologically safe work environment to prevent incidents.

### Safety Message: Distracted Driving

California's 'no-touch' phone law is expected to become more strictly enforced after a recent Court of Appeal's ruling determined that holding or touching a phone for any reason, not just texting or phone calls, is a violation of the law. This includes the use of a phone while at a stoplight or stop sign.

Distracted driving is one of the leading causes of accidents on the roadways. If you have employees that drive company vehicles, it is vitally important to ensure that drivers are using safe practices to reduce accidents. Below are general good practices to follow:

- Turn phone on 'do not disturb' mode while driving
- Use voice commands and built-in connectivity
- Set up map and select music before beginning to drive
- Pull over the vehicle in a safe location to use phone

### Mentorship and Emerging Professionals Programs

If you would like to be involved with the mentorship program, then please reach out to Jasmine San Nicolas at [jsannicolas@uscompliance.com](mailto:jsannicolas@uscompliance.com).



### MEMBER HIGHLIGHT: Nominate Someone!

Do you know someone who should be highlighted in our newsletter? Contact Courtney Hansen at [Courtney.Hansen@nv5.com](mailto:Courtney.Hansen@nv5.com) to nominate them for a future newsletter.

The Los Angeles Chapter of the ASSP is dedicated to promoting the safety profession through increased public awareness and providing opportunities for networking and professional growth. To become a member or to ask any questions, please contact one of our Chapter officers (<http://la.assp.org/chapter-officers/>). Stay in the know - follow us on LinkedIn [HERE](#). 