

Peafowl-History



- ▶ Introduced to the PV Peninsula by community founder Frank Vanderlip in 1924
 - ▶ Unmanaged population until the City enacted a Peafowl Management Plan in 1986 (settlement agreement)
 - ▶ Managed by Police Department
 - ▶ Established two distinct zones
 - ▶ Malaga Cove Zone (Malaga Cove Flock)
 - ▶ Espinosa Circle Zone (Luanda Bay Flock)
 - ▶ Semi-annual peafowl census
 - ▶ Must maintain 21 bird minimum in each zone
 - ▶ Trapping and relocating program



Peafowl-Management Efforts



▶ Education

- ▶ Street and Parks Maintenance Foreman Anthony Mendoza is our resident trapper/expert
 - ▶ Assists residents when peafowl issues arise
 - ▶ Strategies to dissuade peafowl from remaining on your property
 - ▶ Coordinates trapping if warranted

▶ Trapping (on private property with owner consent)

- ▶ Outside designated zones (Dependent on mating/chick season)
 - ▶ Generally when found outside the zone
- ▶ Inside designated zones (Dependent on flock numbers and mating/chick season)
 - ▶ Generally when peafowl destroy property or become a nuisance

▶ Relocating

- ▶ Temporary holding pen next to police station
 - ▶ Cared for by Streets and Parks crew
 - ▶ Adopted to pre-approved individuals off the Peninsula

