Summary of Mylar Balloon Ordinances in California Cities

Exhibit 1

City	Scope of Ban	Enforcement Approach	Notes / Distinctions
Laguna Beach	Prohibits sale, public use, and distribution of <i>all</i> balloons	Complaint-driven; Code Enforcement	Most comprehensive ban; includes latex and mylar
Manhattan Beach	Bans sale & distribution of metallic/mylar; no use/distribution on public land	Complaint-based; occasional inspections	Focus on public property and retail compliance
Encinitas	Prohibits sale/distribution or release of balloons filled with lighter-than-air gas	Complaint-driven	Regulates helium balloons; includes education campaign
Solana Beach	Prohibits sale & distribution of metallic/mylar; no use on public property	Complaint-based	Includes signage in parks and beaches
Hermosa Beach	Bans sale of metallic/mylar balloons (possession still allowed)	Complaint-based	Enforcement through business license compliance
Oxnard	Regulates helium/lighter-than- air balloons; prohibits mass release	Unknown	Focus on environmental impact; limited enforcement detail available
Santa Monica	Bans sale and intentional release of balloons filled with lighter-than-air gas	Complaint-based	Includes educational outreach and signage
San Diego	Prohibits sale, use, and distribution of metallic/mylar on public property	Complaint-driven; coordinated with Parks Dept.	Includes citywide signage and public education