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Solar Powered Emergency Lighting



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The City of Beverly Hills' Office of Emergency Management (OEM) received a grant from the Department of Homeland Security to purchase eight portable, solar-powered, emergency light towers. Each of the four Westside cities has been awarded two light towers to assist first responders. Examples of incidents during which these lighting systems would be deployed include disaster response, criminal investigations, or extended search and rescue operations following a major earthquake.

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