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1421 BNP dispatch

Jody, Darrel and I went to BNP dispatch to report what we saw on the beach when we were with Jock and Fred Richardson. Relayed information, at approx. the 8 mm the escort vehicles passed with a white truck closely behind and that they were going over the 15 mph. The second truck [red] was driving at a much slower speed and had lagged behind about 1/3 to 1/2 mile from the escort. Secondly at approx the 3.5 we came up on the potable water truck that had no escort. He was flagged down and we asked where the escort was, he said he was to meet him at the 4 x 4 sign (4.5mm). He was told he needs to be escorted at all times whenever he off the pavement. The driver started his engine and we asked that he remain in place until the escort got there.

The Richard the dispatcher looked up the driver's names:

Escort, white suburban Raul w/Ainsworth

Dump trucks, Lupe & Alex w/ S&N Gonzales

Potable water truck, Carl w/ W&M Specialty

Dispatcher thought that a CB unit in dispatch trailer would help things, since the majority of the trucks have a CB unit already.

1445 called Bo, not in his office and left a message on his mobile phone.

1550 Bo called back and I recounted the events to him. Hi was going to check on it and issue warnings and just kept reminding them.