



Oakland County Sheriff's Office Technology, Information & Innovation * INFORMATIONAL *

UD-10: PRIVATE ROADS, TRAILER PARKS & APARTMENT COMPLEXES

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Information: The following types of crashes should be reported to the State of Michigan on a UD-10 form:

- Any crash that occurs on a signed traffic way that is open to the public and meets the criteria under MCL 257.622 (see below).

Examples include crashes that occur on private roads or in trailer parks/apartment complexes. It does not matter if the road is maintained privately or by the OC Road Commission. Crashes that meet the above criteria should be reported as if the crash occurred on a primary or secondary road. Do NOT use private property file classes or fill in the non-traffic bubble.

- Do not report crashes that occur in parking lots. The crash must have occurred on the signed portion of the traffic way prior to entering the striped portion of the lot. Do not report crashes on a UD-10 that occur in a gated community if the gate is closed. If the gate is open and a crash occurs, it must be reported.
- Deputies are not required to issue a uniform traffic citation for a crash that occurs on a private road or property.

Any questions can be directed to Deputy Jerry Yaldoo at yaldooj@oakgov.com or 248-595-4729.

257.622 Report of accidents resulting in death, personal injury or property damage; forms; analysis; use; retention

The driver of a motor vehicle involved in an accident that injures or kills any person, or that damages property to an apparent extent totaling \$1000.00 or more, shall immediately report that accident at the nearest or most convenient police station, or to the nearest or most convenient police officer. The officer

receiving the report, or his/her commanding officer, shall immediately forward each report to the director of the Department of State Police on forms prescribed by said director. The forms shall be completed in full by the investigating officer. The director of the Department of State Police shall analyze each report relative to the cause of the reported accident and shall prepare information compiled from reports filed under this section for public use. A copy of the report under this section and copies of reports required under Section 621 shall be retained for at least 3 years at the local police department, sheriff's office or local state police post that made the report.