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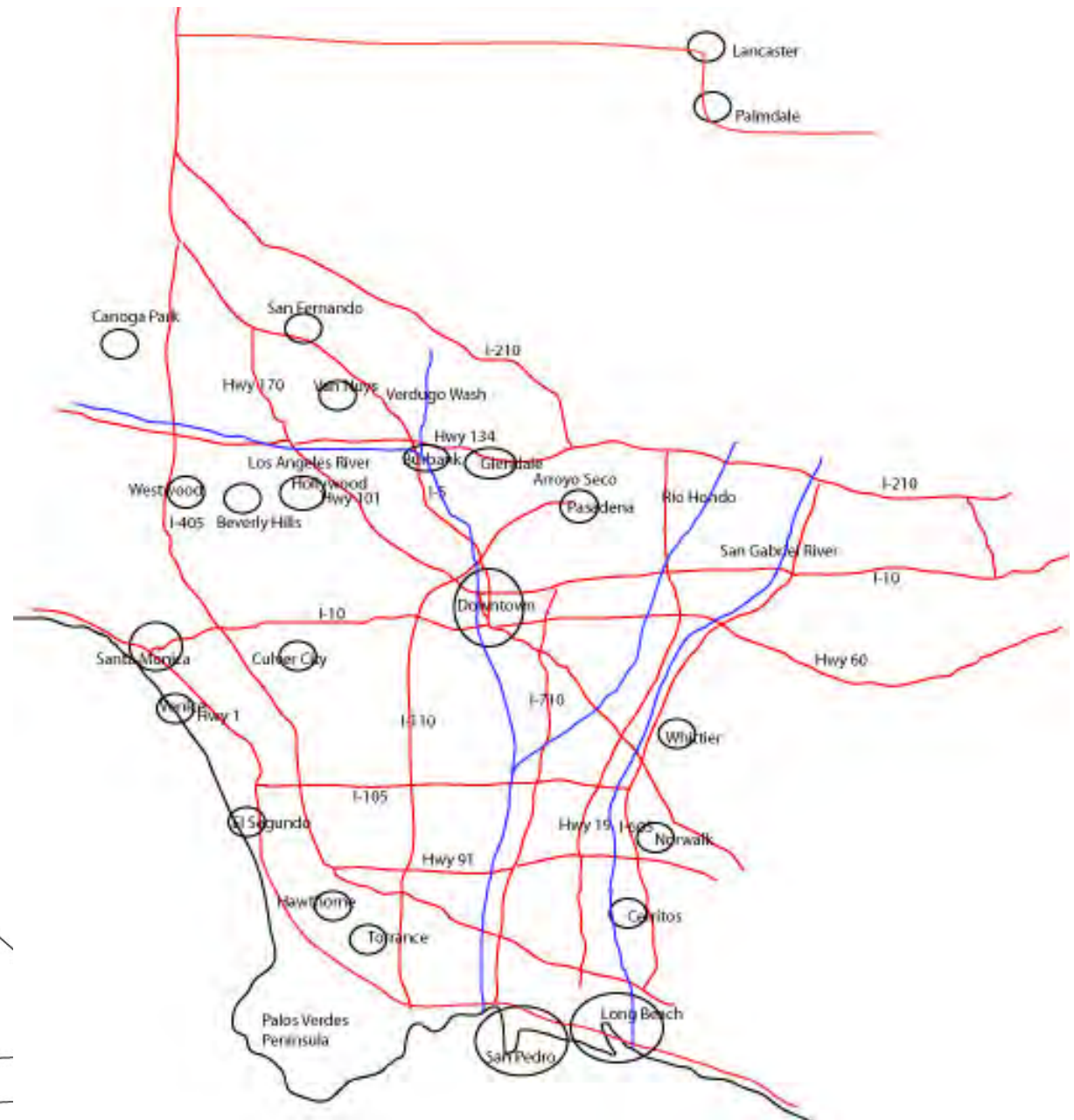
The Los Angeles County Courthouse downtown.
Part 14 of 25: Marina del Rey, El Segundo, Manhattan Beach, Redondo Beach, Hermosa Beach...



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Marina del Rey
Playa del Rey
Dockweiler Beach
El Segundo
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Hermosa Beach
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Rancho Palos Verdes
Rolling Hills
Palos Verdes Peninsula



Fisherman's Village

This is across the Marina from Marina del Rey. (July 2004)



Marina del Rey

(July 2004)



Marina del Rey

This is the largest small boat harbor in the world. (July 2004)



Marina del Rey

(July 2004)



Marina del Rey

(July 2004)



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Marina del Rey

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Marina del Rey

A UCLA row crew. (July 2004)



Playa del Rey

(December 2003)



Dockweiler Beach

(December 2003)



Dockweiler Beach

(December 2003)



El Segundo

The name El Segundo stands for the *second* oil refinery built here. (December 2003)



El Segundo

El Segundo has a population of 16,654. It was incorporated in 1917. (December 2003)



El Segundo

(December 2003)



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In 1910, the Standard Oil Company made a decision to construct a second California refinery.

In early 1911, R.J. "Dick" Hanna was put in charge of the task of selecting the site and building this new facility. It is said that Hanna's wife, Virginia, was the one who named the site "El Segundo", Spanish for the second (the second California refinery).

Work began with 500 mules dragging scrapers to level the sand dunes. On November 27, 1911 - just 139 days after the groundbreaking - oil was already being processed in the first still.

By the time the city was incorporated in 1917, local residents were proclaiming the town as "El Segundo a Nada" or "Second to None."



Manhattan Beach

(December 2003)



Manhattan Beach

(December 2003)



Manhattan Beach

(December 2003)



Manhattan Beach

The town was settled in the 1860's. It was incorporated in 1912. The population is 35,135. (December 2009)



Manhattan Beach

(December 2009)



Manhattan Beach

(December 2009)



Manhattan Beach

(December 2009)



Manhattan Beach

(December 2009)



Manhattan Beach

(December 2009)



Manhattan Beach

(December 2009)



Manhattan Beach

(December 2009)



Hermosa Beach

(December 2003)



Hermosa Beach

(December 2003)



Hermosa Beach

(December 2003)



Hermosa Beach

(December 2003)



Hermosa Beach

(December 2009)



Hermosa Beach

The city was incorporated in 1907. The population is 19,506.
(December 2009)



Hermosa Beach

(December 2009)



Hermosa Beach

(December 2009)



Hermosa Beach

(December 2009)



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(December 2009)



Hermosa Beach

(December 2009)



Hermosa Beach

Hermosa Beach was the home of West Coast jazz in the 1950's. West Coast jazz began when Norman Granz began to put on Jazz at the Philharmonic concerts in 1944. Clubs along Central Ave and the Hermosa Beach Lighthouse Cafe were centers of jazz music.



Hermosa Beach

(December 2009)



Hermosa Beach

(December 2009)



Hermosa Beach



Hermosa Beach



Redondo Beach

(December 2003)



Redondo Beach

The local power plant. (December 2003)



Redondo Beach

The city hall. (December 2006)



Redondo Beach

(December 2006)



Palos Verdes Estates

(December 2006)



Palos Verdes Estates

The city hall. (December 2006)



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Palos Verdes Estates

(December 2006)



Rolling Hills Estates

(December 2006)



Rolling Hills Estates

The population is 8,067 and it was incorporated 1957.
(December 2006)



Rolling Hills Estates

(December 2006)



Rolling Hills Estates

This is the only city hall that has a horse trail and a hitching post. (December 2006)



Rancho Palos Verdes

The city hall is in an old Coast Guard Station. (December 2006)



Rancho Palos Verdes

(December 2006)



Rancho Palos Verdes

(December 2006)



Rancho Palos Verdes

San Vicente lighthouse was built in 1926.
It is 67 feet tall. (December 2006)



Rancho Palos Verdes

(December 2006)



Rancho Palos Verdes

(December 2006)



Rolling Hills

Rolling Hills is a gated community. It has a population of 1,860. It was incorporated in 1957. It is very exclusive. (December 2006)



Palos Verdes Peninsula

(December 2003)



Palos Verdes Peninsula

(December 2003)



Palos Verdes Peninsula

Downtown Los Angeles in the distance. In the middle is the El Segundo oil refinery. (December 2003)



Palos Verdes Peninsula

(December 2003)



Palos Verdes Peninsula

(December 2003)



Palos Verdes Peninsula

(December 2003)



Palos Verdes Peninsula

Catalina Island in the distance. (December 2003)

