

## **RADIO COMMUNICATION SYSTEM**

In 2008, L.A. IMPACT completed the implementation of its new radio communication system. The state of the art communication system has greatly enhanced team surveillance capabilities and has allowed L.A. IMPACT task force members to easily communicate car to car without static or distortion.

This new system is designed around the fully interoperable and programmable Motorola XTS 5000 radio which has been integrated with the Interagency Communications Interoperability System (ICIS). The ICIS system utilizes cell phone sites to enable car to car transmissions to be heard county-wide without distortion. A hard mount docking station for the radio along with the latest radio surveillance equipment was installed in each task force member's vehicle for unlimited surveillance capabilities. This new audio communication system will enhance safety and efficiency for the task force for many years to come. Programming of all participating agency frequencies, which will enable task force members to communicate with other Southern California law enforcement agencies, is planned for early 2009.

