



## Press Release

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Police Department

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PRESS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

**Subject :** Press Conference for Missing Person - Juvenile

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The Redondo Beach Police Department will be holding a press conference to publicize efforts for the public's help regarding the whereabouts of Emily Espinosa, a missing 16 year old Redondo Beach resident. The press conference will be held at the Redondo Beach City Council Chambers (415 Diamond Street, Redondo Beach, CA 90277) on Wednesday, September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2015 at 10:00 AM. Family members will be available for comment to the news media.

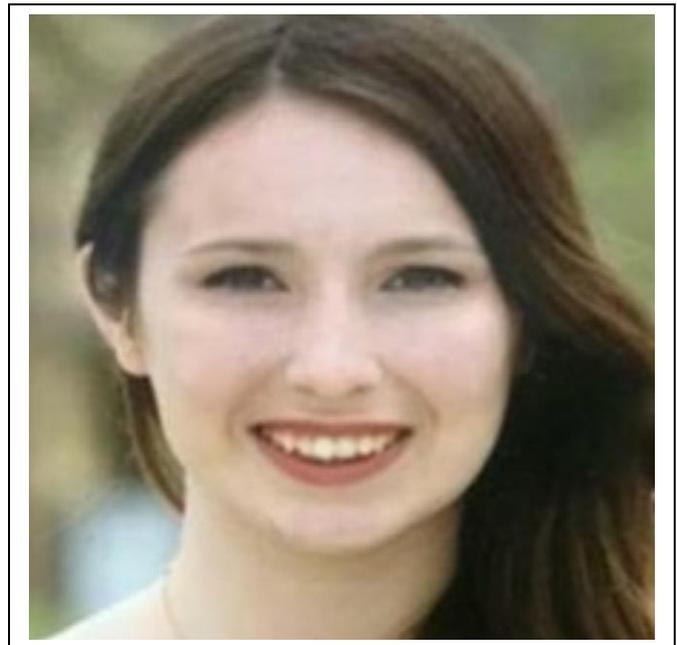
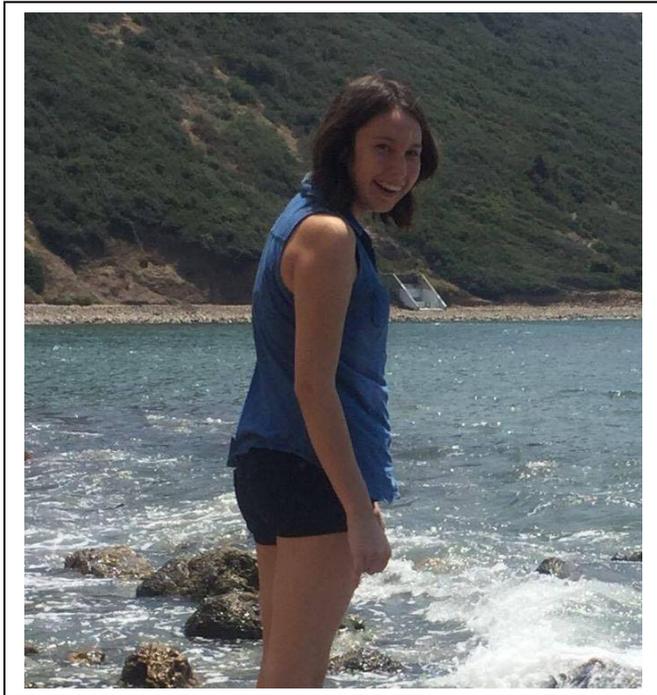
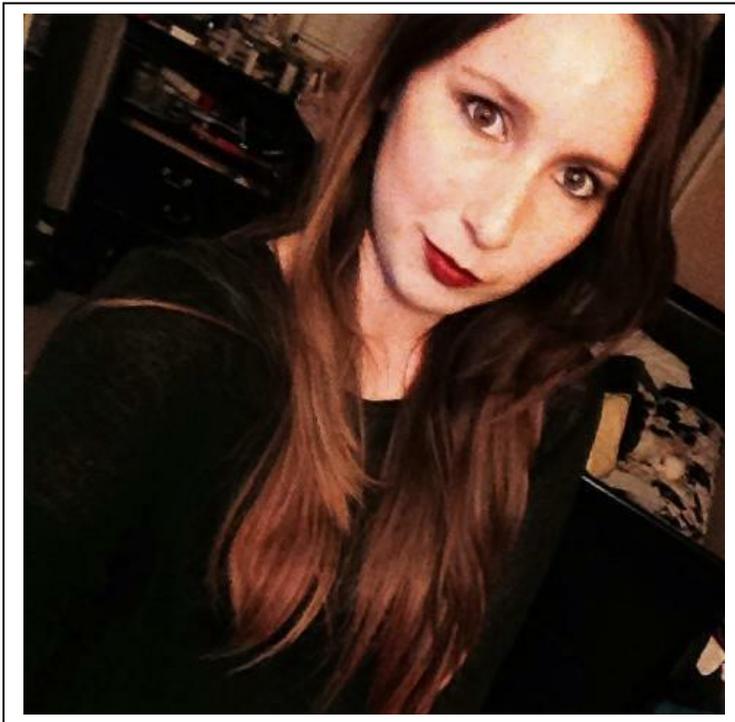
### **BACKGROUND**

On July 22, 2015 (Wednesday) at approximately 8:00 am, Emily Espinosa, was seen walking away from the Mira Costa High School campus. Emily Espinosa is described as having short brown hair, brown eyes, weighs 112 pounds and is 5 feet 8 inches tall. Emily was last seen wearing denim shorts and a maroon top. Emily Espinosa was attending summer school at Mira Costa High School, where she was a junior. It is believed that Emily Espinosa was upset about a recent break up with a boyfriend and police had initial information that Emily Espinosa may have left with this boyfriend to Idaho. Information that Emily Espinosa left with this boyfriend turned out to be false.

There is no indication at this time that Emily Espinosa was abducted or forced to leave Mira Costa against her own will. Family and friends have not heard from (including social media) or seen Emily Espinosa since she walked away on the morning of July 22, 2015. Emily Espinosa did not have a cell phone with her, or any bank cards/credit cards with her.

Anyone with information about the whereabouts of Emily Espinosa is urged to contact the Redondo Beach Police Department Tip line at (310) 937-6685, send text messages to 310-339-2362, or Email – [crimetips@redondo.org](mailto:crimetips@redondo.org)

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Emily Espinosa

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