The Orange County Marine Protected Area (OC MPA) Watch Program enlists volunteers, community groups, and local government to monitor human activity among the seven Orange County MPAs. The program is organized and run by Orange County Coastkeeper (OCCK). The goal of MPA Watch is to provide information to enhance the management and performance of Marine Protected Areas. MPA Watch should be viewed as the first part of a three-step process of monitoring, education, and enforcement to assure that the MPAs are given the chance to succeed. For more information on MPA watch go to www.mpawatch.org
During this period (2017) we observed one hundred and one (101) potential MPA violations.
Legend:
- Green: No violation
- Red: Maximum amount of violations

Percentage breakdown for all OC MPA activities in 2017:
- Onshore, Non-Consumptive Activities: 84.4%
- Offshore, Non-Consumptive Activities: 14.1%
- Offshore, Consumptive Activities: 0.8%
- Onshore, Consumptive Activities: 0.7%

Visual representation of total potential violations in 2017:
Legend: Green represent no violation whereas red represent maximum amount of violations