

# Pasadena PD's Observation Tower Purchase For The Rose Bowl Is Controversial...But It Doesn't Have To Be

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Rose Bowl Operating Company (RBOC)

\$0

General Fund  
**\$187,465**



Federal UASI Grant  
**\$213,042**

Problem: City funds utilized to pay for 47% of the cost of tower.

**Solution: RBOC purchase and use tower for Rose Bowl events exclusively.**

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Pasadena City Council Meeting

September 23, 2024

10. Pasadena Police Department Purchase of Observation Tower for Rose Bowl Events

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