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MEDIA RELEASE

Christmas Holiday Traffic Safety Campaign

The Lake County Sheriff's Office will participate in a statewide impaired driving traffic safety campaign from December 17, 2021, through January 3, 2022.

"Many people enjoy holiday parties this time of the year, but please do not let that fun party end in tragedy by mixing alcohol or drugs into the driving equation," said Sheriff John D. Idleburg. "Plan ahead and take a ride share or grab a ride with someone sober if you will be drinking or ingesting cannabis."

During the traffic safety campaign, participating agencies will provide increased messaging to remind the community to drive safe. Additional deputies will conduct traffic enforcement, placing an emphasis on arresting impaired drivers.

The holiday enforcement effort is made possible by federal traffic safety funds administered by the Illinois Department of Transportation.

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