



VILLAGE OF LINCOLNSHIRE

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Lincolnshire Increases Halloween DUI Enforcement

(LINCOLNSHIRE, III) The Lincolnshire Police Department will participate in a statewide, Halloween traffic enforcement campaign with a focus on impaired drivers from October 17 through November 2.

The safety campaign will encompass three weekends leading up to Halloween. Lincolnshire officers will join the Illinois State Police and more than 160 local police and sheriff's departments for the increased enforcement effort.

Police will be on the lookout for signs of impaired driving, such as:

- Weaving, swerving, and driving over lane lines.
- Erratic driving.
- Slow responses to traffic signals.
- Near collisions with objects or vehicles.
- Abrupt or wide turns.

Those who choose to celebrate with alcohol or marijuana should designate a sober driver and hand them the keys, make plans to call a taxi or ride-sharing service, or locate the closest mass transit option before becoming impaired.

Motorists should immediately report drunk drivers by pulling over and dialing 911. Additionally, everyone in the vehicle should wear their seatbelt. It's not only the law, but also the best defense against an impaired driver.

The Village of Lincolnshire, 1957, is a northern suburb of Chicago and is conveniently adjacent to the Tri-State Tollway. Lincolnshire is home to 7,300 residents, two nationally-recognized public school districts, and over 400 businesses – a number of which are global headquarters and Fortune 500 companies.

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