



News Release

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Drunk Driving. Over the Limit. Under Arrest
December 21, 2009 through January 3, 2010

Washington County Sheriff Tim Helder announced today the Washington County Sheriff's Office will join police from across the state in a campaign to reduce impaired driving.

The campaign, which includes increased patrols and sobriety checkpoints, is part of a national Impaired Driving Mobilization. The mobilization begins Monday, December 21, 2009 and will run through January 3, 2010. During this time deputies will target drunk or drugged drivers. Decreasing the number of impaired drivers and making the roads safer is a continuing goal of the Sheriff's Office.

Funds that allow the increased patrol are provided through the Selective Traffic Enforcement Program (STEP).

If you require further information please contact Sgt. Oscar Henson at 444-5704.

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