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Touchdown on Safety this Super Bowl Sunday: Don't Drive Impaired

Lake in the Hills, IL – With the Super Bowl just around the corner, the Lake in the Hills Police Department is reminding football fans and partygoers that they will be out in force on game day to keep impaired drivers off the roads. If your Super Bowl celebration will involve alcohol or cannabis, don't forget: *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over* and *Click It or Ticket*. Officers will conduct special patrols Super Bowl weekend, from January 31- February 3, 2020, to keep alcohol and drug impaired drivers off the roads. Officers will also be inspecting seat belt compliance, so be sure to buckle up – it's your best defense in case of a crash.

When making a Super Bowl day game plan, designate a sober driver before the party. The Lake in the Hills Police Department reminds the community to have a designated driver at all times or plan for alternate means of transportation. Never let other fans drive drunk, and always pass the keys to a sober driver. To ensure you get home safely, call a ride share service, use public transportation, or contact a sober friend or family member. Always wear your seatbelt, and make sure every passenger in the vehicle is wearing one too. If you see an impaired driver on the road, pull over as soon as it is safe to do so and contact law enforcement.

The Illinois *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over* and *Click It or Ticket* programs are administered by the Illinois Department of Transportation with federal highway safety funds managed by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

For more information about NHTSA's *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over* campaign, please visit:
<https://one.nhtsa.gov/drivesober/>

For more information about NHTSA's *Click It or Ticket* campaign, please visit:
<https://one.nhtsa.gov/nhtsa/ciot/index.html>

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