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San Bernardino Police Department Holding DUI Checkpoint May 26th

San Bernardino, Calif. – On May 26, 2022, the San Bernardino Police Department will conduct a driving under the influence (DUI) Checkpoint from 6:00 p.m. to 3:00 a.m. at an undisclosed location within the San Bernardino city limits.

DUI checkpoint locations are determined based on data showing incidents of impaired driving-related crashes. The primary purpose of DUI checkpoints are to promote public safety by taking suspected impaired drivers off the road.

“The safety of our community is and always will be our mission,” Sgt. Jeff Harvey said. “We are looking for impaired drivers because driving under the influence is dangerous and puts others on the road at risk.”

San Bernardino Police Department reminds the public that impaired driving is not just from alcohol. Some prescription medications and over-the-counter drugs may interfere with driving. While medicinal and recreational marijuana are legal, driving under the influence of marijuana is illegal.

If you plan on drinking or taking medications that may impact your ability to drive safely, plan on staying at home.

Drivers charged with a first-time DUI face an average of \$13,500 in fines and penalties, as well as a suspended license.

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