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***Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over* Enforcement Campaign Kicks-off March 1.**

Devils Lake, N.D. – In 2023 in North Dakota, 36% of fatal traffic crashes were alcohol-related. Through the month of March, law enforcement across the state will have extra patrols to remove impaired drivers from the road during *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over*.

Alcohol-related crashes in North Dakota occur about every 13 hours, but each of these crashes are 100% preventable by driving sober or finding a sober ride.

“Your friends and family count on you to come home at the end of the night,” said Ramsey County Sheriff Bryan Lang. “Be the positive influence they need if you’re under the influence. Make sure to use a ride-hailing service or call a sober friend to get you home.”

This campaign is part of the [Vision Zero](#) strategy to eliminate motor vehicle crash fatalities and serious injuries on North Dakota roads.

Visit the [North Dakota Crash Memorial Wall](#) to view memorials built on the hope of preventing another death on North Dakota roads.

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