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Kendall County Sheriff's Office Joins Mothers Against Drunk Driving for Enforcement

The Kendall County Sheriff's Office will be joining Mothers Against Drunk Driving (@MADDILLINOIS) and agencies across Illinois for #SaturationSaturday, an evening dedicated to DUI enforcement. One fatality is too many! That's why the Sheriff's Office will be adding patrols for #SaturationSaturday, a statewide campaign of DUI enforcement on August 24th, 2019.

Impaired driving is 100% preventable, and we hope our enforcement effort is a reminder to always designate a sober driver, call a taxi, or hail a rideshare to get home safely. Sheriff Dwight Baird said, "My office will continue to prioritize the enforcement of impaired driving laws in order to make Kendall County roads as safe as possible. The Sheriff's Office cannot and will not tolerate drivers who choose to drive under the influence of alcohol or drugs." The importance of this kind of enforcement is clear from the statistics.

STATISTICS¹:

10,497 people were killed in impaired driving crashes in 2016.
Every 2 minutes, someone is injured in a drunk driving crash.
Every 51 minutes, someone is killed in a drunk driving crash.
Everyday 28 people are killed by drunk driving.

For more statistics or information on the campaign, visit <https://www.madd.org/>.

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