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NPD 2021 TRAFFIC SAFETY INITIATIVE

Niles, IL – The Niles Police Department has prepared a multi-faceted traffic safety initiative. This safety initiative will focus on common traffic safety violations including speeding, seatbelts, DUIs, improper lane usage, and following too closely. We will utilize our traffic cars to help enforce these violations. The main focus will be to enforce aggressive driving violations that are known to cause crashes.

In addition, the NPD traffic safety initiative will also focus on commercial vehicles traveling through the Village of Niles who have overweight violations. During this initiative, the NPD truck enforcement officer will utilize our OXCART Permit System to monitor any overweight and oversized trucks that come through the Village of Niles.

Lastly, the NPD bike unit will be focused on enforcement and education for bike and pedestrian safety. This effort will be emphasized on major holidays to promote bike and pedestrian safety.

The NPD traffic safety initiative will be an “all hands on deck” effort especially during major holidays including Memorial Day, Fourth of July, and Labor Day. Our objective is to reduce motor vehicle and pedestrian crashes to keep our residents safe.

Some funding of the traffic safety initiative will be through the Illinois Department of Transportation paid for by IDOT grants with federal traffic safety funds.

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