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## **DWI CHECKPOINT**

In an ongoing effort to combat impaired driving, and in conjunction with the national Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over Campaign, the Baton Rouge Police Department, East Baton Rouge Sheriff's Office, and Louisiana State Police will conduct a joint Sobriety Checkpoint on Thursday, December 15, 2016.

This Sobriety Checkpoint will take place somewhere inside the city limits of Baton Rouge and will continue into the early hours of Friday, December 16, 2016. Officers will be screening drivers entering the checkpoint for signs of impairment and will also enforce any other visible violations.

The exact location of the checkpoint will not be released in advance. As always, drivers are encouraged to designate a driver or arrange for a safe ride home.

In the event of severe weather, this checkpoint may be cancelled.

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