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NEWS RELEASE

St. Mary's County Sheriff's Office to Conduct St. Patrick's Day Saturation Patrols

LEONARDTOWN, MD (March 13, 2026) - The St. Mary's County Sheriff's Office will conduct saturation patrols during the St. Patrick's Day holiday, March 17, to target impaired driving, speeding and other dangerous traffic violations.

Additional deputies will be assigned to major travel routes and communities across St. Mary's County during one of the year's busiest times for gatherings and celebrations. Deputies will maintain a visible and proactive presence to deter dangerous driving and help prevent serious crashes.

Drivers planning to celebrate are encouraged to arrange a sober ride home by designating a driver, using a rideshare service, or arranging other transportation before festivities begin.

Driving under the influence can result in an arrest, fines, license suspension, and jail time.

Anyone who observes a suspected impaired driver is encouraged to call 911. For non-emergency concerns, contact the St. Mary's County Sheriff's Office at 301-475-8008.

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