

BELOIT POLICE DEPARTMENT



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Highway Safety Project

Chief Jacobs is pleased to report funds are available to support safer streets through impaired driver detection. The Wisconsin Department of Transportation just approved \$35,000 for overtime police patrols to detect impaired drivers on Beloit's roads.

As part of our ongoing effort to reduce impaired driving, the Beloit Police Department will use the monies for deploying more officers for traffic patrol. These patrols are often in the evening near dates associated with alcohol related activities.

The deployment is funded by a Wisconsin Department of Transportation Grant and is aimed at making our streets safer through traffic law enforcement.

By: Chief Norm Jacobs