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Fans Don't Let Fans Drive Drunk
Make the right play to save your life and others.

(Xenia, Ohio)--Super Bowl Sunday is one of America's biggest and most entertaining national sporting events as friends and families gather to socialize and watch the big game. Yet, it is also one of the Nation's most dangerous days on the roadways due to impaired driving.

"We want to pass our safety message to everyone who will be drinking this weekend, real *Fans Don't Let Fans Drive Drunk*," said Beth Player, Safe Communities Coordinator. "Please call the right play for the big game and pass your keys to a designated driver before the Super Bowl party begins. Getting caught driving while impaired will result in a costly penalty from local law enforcement and may even result in a turnover of your driving privileges."

Impaired-driving crashes—and fatalities—can be prevented. Designating a sober driver should be on the top of everyone's Super Bowl party list, but there are other ways you can help save lives, too.

If you are hosting a Super Bowl party:

- Remember, you can be held liable and prosecuted if someone you served alcohol to ends up in an impaired-driving crash.
- Make sure all of your guests designate their sober drivers in advance, or help arrange ride-sharing with other sober drivers.
- Serve lots of food—and include lots of non-alcoholic beverages at the party.
- Stop serving alcohol at the end of the third quarter of the game and begin serving coffee and dessert.
- Keep the numbers for local cab companies handy, and take the keys away from anyone who is thinking of driving while impaired.

If you are attending a Super Bowl party or watching at a sports bar or restaurant:

- Avoid drinking too much alcohol too fast. Pace yourself—eat enough food, take breaks, and alternate with non-alcoholic drinks.
- Designate your sober driver before the party begins and give that person your car keys.
- If you don't have a designated driver, ask a sober friend for a ride home; call a cab, friend, or family member to come get you; or stay where you are and sleep it off until you are sober.

- Never let a friend leave your sight if you think they are about to drive while impaired. Remember, *Fans Don't Let Fans Drive Drunk*.
- Always buckle up—it's still your best defense against other impaired drivers.

Please act responsibly. Pass your keys to a sober driver before the big game begins. And remember, real *Fans Don't Let Fans Drive Drunk*.

For more information, please visit www.StopImpairedDriving.org