



Saint Paul Police: Coordinated Community Outreach Events

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POLICE**

Service with Purpose

Presented at TZD Metro Workshop, May 23, 2024

THE SAINT PAUL POLICE DEPARTMENT PRESENTS

SAFE SUMMER NIGHTS **2024** 5 to 7 p.m.

Join your police officers and neighbors for a family-friendly event!
There will be free food, bike giveaways, first responder vehicles,
various police specialty units, community partners and more.

JUNE 13

MCDONOUGH RECREATION CENTER
1544 Timberlake Road

JUNE 20

PALACE RECREATION CENTER
781 Palace Avenue

JULY 18

DAYTON'S BLUFF RECREATION CENTER
800 Conway Street

JULY 25

HIGHLAND PARK COMMUNITY CENTER
1978 Ford Parkway

AUG. 1

BATTLE CREEK RECREATION CENTER
75 Winthrop Street South

AUG. 15

WEST MINNEHAHA RECREATION CENTER
685 West Minnehaha Avenue



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Safe Summer Nights

SPPD incorporates TZD into our community events:

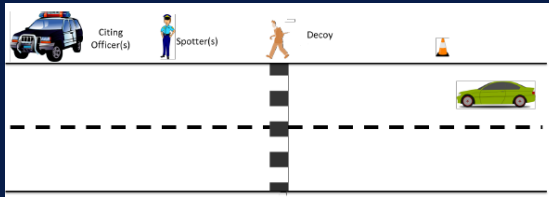
- Assign TZD staff to work each event
- Partner with the Office of Traffic Safety
- Seat Belt Convincer
- Drunk Driving Simulator
- Bike Safety – Helmets Giveaways
- DQ Coupons
- Speeding Complaints
- Car Seat Education / Vouchers

Stop for Me: Community Event

- Identify locations / intersections based on community feedback from meetings and complaints
- Invite community members and elected officials to participate
- We schedule 4 hour shifts with 2-3 locations.
- Communicate results on social media, street signage, community meetings.



Pedestrian Safety Events



- Community Led Initiative
 - Plain clothes officer leads community members across the street
 - Uniformed officers stop violators who fail to stop for the pedestrians that are legally crossing the street
 - Safe stopping distance (141 Feet, signal timing)
 - Education of pedestrians (realistic expectations)
 - Reports / statistics – engineering discussions, results



Child Safety

- SPPD partners with Regions hospital to provide vouchers for free car seats.
- Dedicated “Child Car Seat Safety” TZD Shifts in 2023/2024
- Concentrated on high trafficked areas, retail locations, and parks.
- Car Seat Technicians were looking for child car seat issues and assisting them in getting proper and safe seats.



Education Stop

Ford Pickup at Lexington & Idaho

- 3 Adults
- 2 children (2-year-old and 5-year-old)
- Not restrained properly, sitting in each other's car seats
- Distribution of Go Time Booster to replace expired booster for 5-year-old
- Education, correction, reinstall and harness of existing FF conv. Car seat for 2-year-old
- Language spoken = Spanish

Child Safety Clinics/Shifts

Date: June 3, 2023

Location: Multiple (Como Park, Western District, various others)

Overall Objective:

Locate child passenger safety seat violators. Educate and provide resources in real-time.

Contacts (approximate, does not include explanations to on-lookers and those asking questions):

- Adults: 25
- Children: 31

Educational Encounters: 11

Child Passenger Safety Seats Provided: 6

- Rear Facing Only: 2
- Front Facing Combo: 1
- Booster Seat: 3

Citations Issued:

- Adult Seatbelt Violations: 1
- Child Seat Violations: 0
- Other: 0



Speeding Complaints

- Community Feedback
- Partnerships
 - Public Works
 - District Councils
- Crash Data



Speed Plan

We identified three main roads in Saint Paul that have reported speeding issues

1. Cretin Avenue
2. Dale Street
3. White Bear Avenue

SAINT PAUL POLICE TO INTENSIFY SPEED LIMITS ENFORCEMENT THIS SUMMER ON CRETIN AVENUE

By Jordan De La Cruz

Published on May 21, 2024



NOTICE

Save a Life! Avoid a Crash

The Saint Paul Police Department will be doing **increased speed enforcement on Cretin Ave**

They will be **stopping** and **ticketing** those who drive **more than 25 mph**

We Need Your Help

- ✓ Drive **25 mph** or less
- ✓ Watch for **pedestrians** and **bicyclists**
- ✓ Be a **pace car** and **encourage** others to do the same

The City of Saint Paul is working to make our streets safer for everyone. But we need your help.



An important traffic safety message from the City of Saint Paul and the Saint Paul Police Department

IT DOESN'T MAKE SENSE TO SPEED ON TO CRETIN AVENUE

Save a Life! Avoid a Crash

In the past five years there were **65** crashes on Cretin Avenue and four of these crashes involved a pedestrian.

Two of these crashes were fatal and two lead to serious or incapacitating injuries.

The trend does not look good. The number of crashes on Cretin Avenue last year was double over the average of the previous three years.

The law in St. Paul is clear

- ✓ Drivers must drive the speed limit, yield to pedestrians in crosswalks by coming to a complete stop and allowing them to cross, and pass bicyclists at a safe distance (3 + feet).
- ✓ The speed limit on Cretin is **25 mph**.
- ✓ Watch your speed. Be careful when students are traveling to and from school, including after school and recreation programs.


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Be a Pace Car!

Drive the Speed Limit and set the Pace.



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 Officer Activity Summary Report													
Officer / Trooper Name	Date Worked	Enforcement Focus	Hours Worked	Night Belt Hours	Mileage	Total Stops	Seat Belt Citations	Child Restraint Citations	Speed Citations	Speed Warnings	Use of Wireless Citations	Use of Wireless Warnings	
Grant Funded													
Saint Paul Police Department			73.5	9	347	210	26	1	108	42	7	2	
David Longbehn	5/20/2024	Seat Belt	2	0	15	10	10	1	0	0	0	0	
Jeremy Ellison	5/20/2024	Seat Belt	2	0	15	7	5	0	0	0	1	0	
Lamichael Shead	5/20/2024	Seat Belt	5	5	34	15	5	0	0	0	0	0	
Salim Omari	5/20/2024	Seat Belt	5	4	26	15	4	0	1	0	4	1	
Brian Hall	5/20/2024	Speed	5	0	19	19	0	0	16	0	1	0	
Jeremy Ellison	5/20/2024	Speed	5	0	24	12	0	0	7	1	0	1	
Kathleen Brown	5/20/2024	Speed	3.5	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Lorenzo Lamb	5/20/2024	Speed	10	0	36	35	0	0	9	26	0	0	
Malia Yaung	5/20/2024	Speed	5	0	9	14	0	0	12	2	0	0	
Malachi Slaughter	5/20/2024	Speed	6	0	32	16	1	0	8	7	0	0	
Matthew Arntzen	5/20/2024	Speed	5	0	22	16	0	0	11	0	0	0	
Matthew Boogren	5/20/2024	Speed	5	0	16	9	1	0	8	0	0	0	
Nicole Obrestad	5/20/2024	Speed	5	0	27	15	0	0	11	4	0	0	
Ron Himes	5/20/2024	Speed	5	0	39	14	0	0	12	2	1	0	
Santiago Rodriguez	5/20/2024	Speed	5	0	26	13	0	0	13	0	0	0	
-- TOTALS --			14	9	90	47	24	1	1	0	5	1	
-- TOTALS --			59.5	0	257	163	2	0	107	42	2	1	

SPPD and the 4 E's

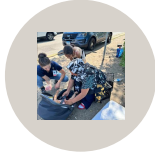
- Engineering
- Education
- Enforcement
- Everyone Else!



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SAFE SUMMER NIGHTS



**CAR SEAT CLINICS /
EDUCATION SHIFTS**



**PEDESTRIAN SAFETY
EVENTS / SHIFTS**



**SPEEDING EDUCATION
AND ENFORCEMENT**



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