



HAWTHORNE POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Unlicensed and Suspended Drivers License Checkpoint

On Wednesday, July 7, 2010, the Hawthorne Police Department will conduct a drivers license checkpoint. From 7:00 AM until 11:00 AM, the checkpoint will be in the 12500 block of Inglewood Avenue. From 12:30 AM until 4:00 PM, the checkpoint will be held in the 13600 block of Prairie Avenue.

These checkpoints are conducted in an ongoing effort to reduce the number of unlicensed drivers within the city of Hawthorne. Drivers license checkpoints allow police to identify offenders and get them off the street, while providing an opportunity to educate the public on the dangers of unlicensed drivers. The checkpoints are a proven and effective method to achieve both goals.

By publicizing these enforcement and education efforts, the Hawthorne Police Department believes motorists can be deterred from driving without a license.

Any questions may be directed to Sgt. Eric Lane, of the Traffic Bureau, at (310) 349-2701.