



HAWTHORNE POLICE DEPARTMENT

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Unlicensed and Suspended Driver License Checkpoint

On Wednesday, October 19th, 2011, the Hawthorne Police Department will conduct a Driver License checkpoint from 7:00 AM until 4:00 PM. The checkpoint will be held at Prairie Avenue and El Segundo Boulevard, City of Hawthorne.

These checkpoints are conducted in an ongoing effort to reduce the number of unlicensed and suspended-license status drivers, along with those corresponding traffic collisions within the city of Hawthorne. Driver License checkpoints allow police to identify and cite violators, while providing opportunities to make our local streets safer as well as educating the public on the dangers of such driving. These checkpoints have been a proven and effective method in achieving these goals.

By openly publicizing this enforcement and education effort, the Hawthorne Police Department believes motorists can be deterred from unlawful driving without the need for further law enforcement intervention.

Any questions may be directed to Traffic Bureau Commander Sergeant Shawn Shiono at (310) 349-2701.

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