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EXCESSIVE HOLIDAY DRINKING IS NOT SOMETHING TO CELEBRATE

Welcome to the holiday season. Some people dread it, some people love it, and most people drink to it. From Halloween to Valentine's Day, the months from October to February are filled with festivities. With Thanksgiving just a couple weeks away we want you to be aware of some facts. Out of every day of the year, the average American consumes the most alcohol on Thanksgiving. The most DUI's happen Thanksgiving night and follow up to the next morning. Don't let excessive alcohol intoxication ruin your holiday season.

Time is the only thing that truly allows an individual to sober up. Coffee, food, and water do not lessen your level of intoxication. Remember that everybody reacts to alcohol differently. The youth in your family and friends is a group that should be watched closely. Especially if you are the person hosting the event. The Social Host Law does not exclude family and friend gatherings. The homeowner of the gathering is held responsible for any underage drinking. Failure to abide by this law will result in citations and may have other, more severe consequences.

Red Rock RPC urges you to drink responsibly and have your eyes open to family members who may be in danger of operating a motorized vehicle while under the influence. Red Rock RPC encourages you to be aware of the youth around and watch/limit their accessibility to alcohol. Red Rock RPC encourages you to stay informed when it comes to the liabilities of being a social host. Lastly, we want you to enjoy a safe fun-filled holiday season!

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