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Shreveport Police to hold DWI/SEATBELT checkpoint

The Shreveport Police Department's Field Support Bureau will hold a DWI/OP seatbelt checkpoint this Friday evening at an undisclosed location in west Shreveport.

The checkpoint, which will begin at 2:00 p.m., on Friday, June 19, 2020 and run until 3:00 a.m., on Saturday June 20, 2020, is part of a collaborative effort between multiple law enforcement agencies to emphasize our commitment to make the streets of our city safe for everyone. Officers will be checking for impaired drivers and violations of the state's seatbelt law along with any other violations that could potentially compromise the safety of those persons taking to the roadways.

The Louisiana Highway Safety Commission, who provides funding for the checkpoint, will be utilizing its "B.A.T Mobile," which will serve in part as a mobile command post and processing location for potentially impaired drivers. The Louisiana State Police and the Caddo Parish Sheriff Department will be assisting in the checkpoint.

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