

NEWS RELEASE



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The Garden City Police Department would like to remind drivers to plan ahead and celebrate the holiday safely and responsibly.

This July 4th Holiday Season, the Garden City Police Department, along with various other Police Departments throughout Nassau County, will be participating in the “DWI Crackdown” Enforcement Initiative targeting Intoxicated and Drugged Drivers. This initiative is enhanced by funds provided by the Nassau County Traffic Safety STOP DWI Program, the New York State STOP DWI Coordinators Association, and the Governor’s Traffic Safety Committee.

Police Commissioner Kenneth Jackson states, “During this initiative, Police Officers will monitor the Village’s roadways, strictly enforcing all DWI laws.” According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), every day, about 37 people in the United States die in drunk-driving crashes – that’s one person every 39 minutes. In 2022, 13,524 people died in alcohol-impaired driving traffic deaths. These deaths were preventable.

The Garden City Police Department wishes everyone a safe and Happy Holiday.

If you see someone who appears impaired or driving recklessly, call 9-1-1.