



Chowchilla Police Department

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With Memorial Day weekend approaching, members of the Avoid the 21 D.U.I. Campaign will be participating in numerous special enforcement events. As a member of this alliance formed to make our Central Valley roads safer, the Chowchilla Police Department will be participating in enforcement events throughout the summer.

During the week of May 11-16, the Chowchilla Police Department and the Madera Police Department will be participating in saturation patrols in the City of Chowchilla as part of the Avoid the 21 D.U.I. Campaign. Extra officers will be on patrol looking for impaired drivers during evening hours on selected nights. The Avoid the 21 Campaign is grant funded through the California Office of Traffic Safety. Anyone who witnesses an intoxicated or impaired driver is encouraged to call 911.

“We want our community to get off to a fun but safe start to Summer 2009”, stated Police Chief Jay Varney.

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