

CHELAN-DOUGLAS TARGET ZERO TASK FORCE

Law Enforcement Officers Recognizes at Night of A Thousands Stars

Chelan, Douglas and Okanogan County, WA- On December 11th at the Chelan County PUD local law enforcement officers were recognized as part of the statewide event, 'Night of a Thousands Stars'.

This statewide event honors law enforcement for keeping our highways safe. The stars represent their badges, the 1000 represents that there will be 1000 officers patrolling our highways at any given time.

While on patrol they stop and arrest those driving under the influence, reducing the number of collisions that result in serious injuries and deaths.

The following officers were recognized with awards from two categories; the top DUI (highest number of DUI arrests for the year) and the top Proactive Traffic award (overall traffic enforcement and/or education efforts).

Chelan County Sheriff's Office:

Deputy Lee Risdon -Top DUI Deputy Aaron Shepard -Proactive Traffic

Douglas County Sheriff's Office: Deputy Thomas Williams - Top DUI and Proactive Traffic

East Wenatchee Police Department:

Officer Leeon Leyde -Top DUI Officer James Marshall-Proactive Traffic

Brewster Police Department

Officer Gordon Mitchell – Top DUI Officer Rory Williams – Proactive Traffic

Okanogan County Sheriff's Office Deputy Gisberth Gonzalez-Top DUI & Proactive Traffic

Wenatchee Police Department:

Corporal Erik Vasquez-Top DUI Officer Scott Reiber -Proactive Traffic

Washington State Patrol:

Trooper Erik Magnussen -Top DUI Trooper Jeremy Delano -Proactive Traffic We also recognize Trooper Jeremy Delano with the regional Overall Traffic Safety Award for his overall dedication and outstanding work that has enhanced traffic safety in our community.

The dedicated enforcement and/or education efforts of all award winners support The "Target Zero" goal of **zero deaths and disabling injuries by 2030**.

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