



The Red Light Alert

MADD Life Saver Award Recipients

On the road and in their communities these law enforcement officers have proven their commitment to ending drunk driving.

That's why they've been selected by the state organization of Mother's Against Drunk Driving as the 2005 MADD Life Saver Award recipients.

Each year MADD selects nine road patrol officers for their outstanding role in combating drunk driving, three officers from each area of law enforcement - sheriff, municipal and public safety, and state police.

The annual awards program is conducted by MADD, beginning by seeking nominations from every law enforcement agency in the state. The award selection is based on these criteria: the officer's community outreach such as public

speaking to schools, youth groups, or other related activities; the number of drunk driving arrests; the service area's population base; and agency size.

Many gathered at the MSU Kellogg Hotel and Conference Center for the annual Life Saver Award Luncheon. Some of the guest dignitaries and officials included: Lieutenant Colonial Pete Munoz, Michigan State Police; Chief Kay Hoffman, Lansing Township; Sheriff Terrence Jungel, Executive Director for the Michigan Sheriff's Association; Mike Prince, Division Director, Office of Highway Safety Planning; and Senator Alan Cropsy. "Everyday, everyone of our families uses our roads, and my deepest thanks to these officers who help to keep all of us safe." stated Senator Cropsy.

The 2005 MADD, Michigan Life Saver

Award recipients are:

Trooper Jason Varoni,
Cheboygan County

Trooper Lisa Lucio,
Wayne County

Trooper Anthony Montie,
Iosco County

Deputy Christopher Crawford,
Clinton County

Deputy Greg Guild,
Gladwin County

Deputy Daniel J. Teer,
Midland County

Officer Kenneth Percin,
Wayne County

Officer Andrew Hadfield,
Oakland County

Officer Andrew Martin,
Lapeer County



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Prosecutor Life Saver Award to be Given



The *2nd Annual Prosecutor Life Saver Award* will be presented at the PAAM Annual Conference on Mackinac Island, July 2006. It is given to recognize those prosecutors who exhibit outstanding dedication and excellence in the prosecution of drunk drivers and in providing justice for drunk driving victims.

The MADD Life Saver Award is sponsored by MADD and the Office of Highway Safety Planning and supported by the Prosecuting Attorney's Association of Michigan. The nomination form is on the back of this newsletter. They are due to MADD by May 1, 2006.

