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Media release

Festive statistics are an increasing concern to the Municipality

On 02 December 2016, Steve Tshwete Local Municipality launched the "Arrive Alive Campaign" focusing on roadworthiness of vehicles, drunken driving, reckless driving, speeding and other general offences.

The 2016 statistics show an increase in the number of accidents compared to 2015 recorded from 01 December 2016 to 01 January 2017:

Year	Drunken and Driving	Warrant of Arrest	Speed Law Enforcement	General Offences	Accidents
2015	65	180	591	1744	262
2016	132	270	2456	3319	337

"Speeding, drunk and driving were a major problem during our operation as we arrested and fined many people who committed these offences, explained Dingaan Ntuli Acting Deputy Director: Traffic and Security Services.

The Municipality is impressed to announce the decrease of fatal accidents during the festive season and will continuously ensure that operations are conducted.

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Yours sincerely

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