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Subject: OCFA to Host Mock DUI Crash Event at Laguna Hills High School on February 18th

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Who: The Orange County Fire Authority (OCFA) will be one of several agencies participating in a Mock DUI Crash in Laguna Hills. Participating agencies will include: OCFA, OCSO, Friends Against Drinking and Driving (FADD), CHP, Mission Hospital, Trauma Intervention Program (TIP), O'Connor Mortuary, S&K Towing, City Newscasts, and Doctor's Ambulance.

What: This event is sponsored by FADD and is designed to teach students the dangers of drinking and driving. This event will follow a student throughout a drinking event, decision to drive, simulated car crash with real vehicles, and onscene treatment of victims including both injured and fatal. The event also includes the arrest of the drunk driver, family notification of a death, and subsequent legal proceedings.

It is a very powerful event for all parties involved including the students in the crowd. "This is a very important message that can save lives", says Steve Concialdi. "We hope that students will decide not to take a drink and definitely not drink and drive."

Where: Laguna Hills High School located at 25401 Paseo De Valencia Laguna Hills, Ca.

When: Thursday February 18th at 10:30am

For further information, regarding tomorrow's event, please contact: Captain Steve Concialdi @ (949) 887-9324.

Photo and interview opportunities will be available at the event. For more information about the OCFA, please visit: www.ocfa.org

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