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Sacramento County Probation Department Awarded Grant from the Office of Traffic Safety for Intensive Supervision Program for High-Risk DUI Offenders

Sacramento, Calif. – The Sacramento County Probation Department received grant funds for an intensive probation supervision program for high-risk DUI offenders with multiple DUI convictions.

The \$650,000 grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety (OTS) will go toward the monitoring, supervision, and support of individuals on probation for a DUI offense to ensure they are following court-ordered terms of their probation and prevent probationers from re-offending.

"DUI-related tragedies are entirely preventable, and this grant gives us the tools to make that prevention real. By focusing on high-risk DUI offenders, we can address dangerous patterns, hold individuals accountable, and guide them towards safer decisions. This support strengthens our ability to protect families on our roadways and build a healthier, safer Sacramento," said Chief Probation Officer Jamal Rowe.

The probation grant will also fund warrant operations targeting probation violations and/or DUI suspects who do not appear in court, alcohol testing, officer training in Standard Field Sobriety Testing (SFST) and collaborating with courts and prosecutors to establish probation orders.

The grant program runs through September 2026.

Funding for this program was provided by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety, through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

