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## MEDIA ADVISORY

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### **New tool helps get impaired drivers off roads**

*Mobile DUI testing unit will roam the state*

**You're invited to experience** the latest in the state's toolbox for improving safety and saving lives on Oregon roads. It's the new Mobile DUI Processing Center, and it could make a surprise appearance at a concert, fair or special event near you! Its goal: keep impaired drivers off Oregon highways.

**WHEN:** Friday, Aug. 24, 11 a.m.

**WHERE:** Oregon State Fair, Salem, opening day! Outside the main entrance, west side of the fairgrounds on Sunnyview (the orange lot)

**WHO:** Oregon State Police Superintendent Timothy McClain; Oregon Department of Transportation Safety Division Administrator Troy Costales; representatives from Marion County Sheriffs, Oregon Association Chiefs of Police, Oregon State Sheriff's Association, community advocates and others

**WHAT:** Tours and demonstrations of the new MDPC, a 2007 36-foot Winnebago Voyage motor home retrofitted with:

- three Intoxilyzer 8000s;
- three work stations with laptops and printers;
- two temporary holding cells;
- emergency supplies; and
- cell phone and radio communications equipment.

The MDPC, purchased by OSP through a grant from ODOT's Transportation Safety Division, cost \$171,000 and is available for use by any law enforcement agency in the state.

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