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Dear Georgia Law Enforcement Partners:

MADD Georgia will be hosting the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Statewide Law Enforcement Recognition Luncheon on Thursday, March 26th, 2009 from 11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. in Macon, GA.

We would like to show our appreciation for the tireless work you perform on a daily basis to keep our roads safe from impaired drivers. As you know, alcohol-related fatalities and injuries in Georgia are too high and cause a devastating emotional and financial toll on victims of this violent crime.

The 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Law Enforcement Luncheon is our way of saying “thank you” for all you do to stop drunk driving, support the victims of this violent crime and prevent underage drinking. We hope that the appreciation luncheon offers you an opportunity to relax, network with other officers from across the state and reinforce the fact that you *are* making a difference and saving lives.

Come prepared to be recognized, have fun and share all of the successes you and your fellow officers have made in 2008. Also, we would like to “show you off” during lunch. Please attach or email photos of your agency, officers, patrol cars, etc. for our slide show.

If you plan to attend this honorary event, please RSVP and submit applications to Precious Johnson via email [precious.johnson@madd.org](mailto:precious.johnson@madd.org) or fax by February 11, 2009. All RSVPs will be sent a confirmation letter of attendance with the event location and official program information.

We appreciate everything you do to keep the roads in Georgia safe. We hope to see you on Thursday, March 26, 2009!

Sincerely,

Precious Johnson  
State Program Specialist  
MADD Georgia

***Submit completed nominations letters, applications and supporting information (i.e. newspaper articles, pictures, etc.) by February 11, 2009 to:***

**MADD Georgia Attn: Ms. Precious Johnson  
1000 Circle 75 Pkwy, Suite 45; Atlanta, GA 30339  
Email: [precious.johnson@madd.org](mailto:precious.johnson@madd.org)  
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# 2009 MADD Georgia Statewide Law Enforcement Recognition Luncheon Nomination Criteria & Application

**Review the nomination criteria and complete the nomination application and letter of support for your achievements from January 1, 2008 – December 31, 2008. Self nominations are accepted and encouraged. All nominated officers must be in good standing with their agency.**

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**2008 Statewide Officer of the Year:** A state trooper, officer or deputy in good standing with their agency who has excelled in many areas which might include but are not limited to DUI arrest, traffic safety, DUI victim services, underage drinking prevention programs, work ethic, etc. *Please provide a letter of support* (limit 2 pages) outlining why the nominee should receive this award detailing specific examples and statistics of how the officer has excelled beyond the call of duty.

**2008 Statewide Rookie of the Year:** A state trooper, officer, or deputy in good standing with their agency with less than one year of service who has excelled in many areas which might include but are not limited to DUI arrest, traffic safety, DUI victim services, underage drinking prevention programs, work ethic, etc. *Please provide a letter of support* (limit 2 pages) outlining why the nominee should receive this award, detailing specific examples and statistics of how the officer has excelled beyond the call of duty.

**2008 Statewide Agency of the Year:** Law Enforcement Agency that has demonstrated excellence in implementing innovative techniques in the detection and deterrence of traffic violations, DUI, and underage drinking prevention. *Please provide a letter of support* (limit 2 pages) outlining why this agency should receive this award, including any supporting statistics.

**2008 Statewide Post of the Year:** Georgia State Patrol Post that has demonstrated excellence in implementing innovative techniques in the detection and deterrence of traffic violations, DUI, and underage drinking prevention.. *Please provide a letter of support* (limit 2 pages) outlining why this post should receive this award, including any supporting statistics.

**2008 HEAT Unit/ DUI Task Force of the Year:** H.E.A.T. unit that has demonstrated excellence in education and enforcement of drunk driving and aggressive traffic and has been successful in reducing the number of crashes, fatalities and injuries on our highways, and has excelled in many areas which might include but are not limited to DUI arrest, deterrence of traffic violations, and underage drinking prevention. *Please provide a letter of support* (limit 2 pages) outlining why this agency should receive this award, including any supporting statistics

**2008 Georgia Traffic Enforcement Network Award:** Georgia Traffic Enforcement Network that has demonstrated excellence in implementing innovative techniques in the detection and deterrence of DUI, underage drinking prevention, has had high attendance at network meetings, high percentage reporting, number of sobriety check points implemented, participation in statewide collaborations such as OZT. *Please provide a letter of support* (limit 2 pages) outlining why your network should receive this award.

**2008 Jerry Thompson Law Enforcement Partnership Award:** Nominate a courageous prosecuting attorney who has shown excellence in DUI prosecution and assisting law enforcement in the courtroom.

**2008 Golden Achievement Award:** Nominate a citizen, officer, agency, group or organization with outstanding expertise in the field of traffic safety, DUI prevention, and/or community intervention who made a significant contribution to MADD's mission and Georgia traffic safety in 2008.

**2008 MADD Georgia DUI pins:** Please submit an officer application indicating the total number of DUI arrests for each officer to receive a MADD Georgia DUI pin. No letter necessary. BRONZE: 25-49 DUI arrests, SILVER: 50-99 DUI arrests, GOLD: 100-149 DUI arrests, RED: 150+ DUI arrests.

**2008 Agency DUI HERO Award:** Highest total number of DUI arrests. 1 Award per Category 1-8  
**2008 Officer DUI HERO Award:** Highest total number of DUI arrests. 1 Award per Category 1-8

Agency Category 1:	1-10 Officers	Agency Category 5:	101-250 Officers
Agency Category 2:	11-25 Officers	Agency Category 6:	251+ Officers
Agency Category 3:	26-50 Officers	Agency Category 7:	Georgia State Patrol Post
Agency Category 4:	51-100 Officers	Specialty Category 8:	HEAT, DUI Taskforce.

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## Law Enforcement Recognition Luncheon AGENCY/GSP POST APPLICATION

(Agencies with HEAT units should submit separate applications for HEAT unit and entire agency stats)

**Eligible dates: January 1, 2008 through December 31, 2008**  
**Deadline to Submit Applications: FEBRUARY 11, 2009**

Nominated Agency Name:

Department Commanding Officer:

Agency Street Address:

Agency Size Category (1-7, see description, HEAT use next page)

City:

State:

Zip:

Phone:

Fax:

Email:

Total Number of Officers:

### AWARDS

**Statewide Agency Of The Year: *Please attach letter of support (limit 2 pages).***

Law Enforcement Agency who has demonstrated excellence in implementing innovative techniques in the detection and deterrence of traffic violations and DUI. Please provide a letter of support outlining why you feel your agency should receive this award, including any decreases in the number of alcohol related deaths and injuries as a result of these efforts. Please include total number of DUI Arrests.

**Statewide Georgia State Patrol Post of the Year: *Please attach letter of support (limit 2 pages).***

Georgia State Patrol Post that has demonstrated excellence in implementing innovative techniques in the detection and deterrence of traffic violations and DUI. Outline why this post should receive this award, including any decreases in the number of alcohol related deaths and injuries as a result of these efforts. Please include total number of DUI Arrests

**DUI HERO Agency Award:** Highest number of DUI arrests based on agency size. To be considered for this award, simply fill in the blanks below for DUI Arrests and Agency Size Category. No letter of support necessary.

**Total Number DUI Arrests:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Agency Size Category:** \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Name (print):

Applicant Signature:

Date:

Supervisor Name (print):

Supervisor Signature:

Date:

**\*Please make copies as needed**



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## Law Enforcement Recognition Luncheon **\*NEW\* H.E.A.T. UNIT / DUI TASKFORCE APPLICATION**

(Agencies with HEAT units should submit separate applications for HEAT unit and entire agency stats)

**Eligible dates: January 1, 2008 through December 31, 2008**  
**Deadline to Submit Applications: FEBRUARY 11, 2009**

Nominated H.E.A.T. / Taskforce Name:

Commanding Officer:

Agency Street Address:

Agency Size Category: **8**

City:

State:

Zip:

Phone:

Fax:

Email:

Total Number of Officers:

### AWARDS

**HEAT Unit/ DUI Task Force of the Year:** *Please attach letter of support (limit 2 pages).* H.E.A.T. unit that has demonstrated excellence in education and enforcement of drunk driving and aggressive traffic and has been successful in reducing the number of crashes, fatalities and injuries on our highways, and has excelled in many areas which might include but are not limited to DUI arrest, deterrence of traffic violations, and underage drinking prevention. Outline why this agency should receive this award, including any supporting statistics

**DUI HERO Agency Award:** Highest number of DUI arrests based on size category. To be considered for this award, simply fill in the blanks below for DUI Arrests and Agency Size Category. No letter of support necessary.

**Total Number DUI Arrests:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Agency Size Category: 8 (HEAT/Taskforce)**

Applicant Name (print):

Applicant Signature:

Date:

Supervisor Name (print):

Supervisor Signature:

Date:

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## Law Enforcement Recognition Luncheon OFFICER APPLICATION

**Eligible dates: January 1, 2008 through December 31, 2008**  
**Deadline to Submit Applications: FEBRUARY 11, 2009**  
All Georgia P.O.S.T. Certified Officers are eligible.

Nominated Officer Full Name:

Rank:

Agency Name:

Agency Address:

Agency Size Category (1-8, see description)

City:

State:

Zip:

Phone:

Fax:

Email:

### AWARDS

**Statewide Officer Of The Year: *Please attach letter of support (limit 2 pages).***

An officer with your agency who has excelled in many areas which might include but are not limited to DUI arrest, traffic safety, DUI victim services, anti-underage drinking programs, work ethic, etc. Please provide a letter of support outlining why you feel your officer should receive this award including relevant statistics and detailing specific examples of how the officer has excelled beyond the call of duty.

**Statewide Rookie Of The Year: *Please attach letter of support (limit 2 pages).***

An officer with less than one year of service who has excelled in many areas which might include but are not limited to DUI arrest, traffic safety, DUI victim services, anti-underage drinking programs, work ethic, etc. Please provide a letter of support outlining why you feel your officer should receive this award including relevant statistics and detailing specific examples of how the officer has excelled beyond the call of duty.

**DUI HERO Officer Award:** Officer with highest number of DUI arrests based on agency size. To be considered for this award, simply fill in the blanks below for DUI Arrests and Agency Size Category. No letter of support necessary.

**MADD Georgia DUI Pin:** Submit this form only (no letter of support necessary) with total number of DUI Arrests for each officer who wishes to receive a MADD DUI Pin. Pins are distributed as: BRONZE: 25-49 DUI arrests, SILVER: 50-99 DUIs, GOLD: 100-149 DUIs, RED: 150+ DUIs

**Total Number DUI Arrests:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Agency Size Category:** \_\_\_\_\_

Nominated Officer Name (print):

Nominated Officer Signature:

Date:

Supervisor Name (print):

Supervisor Signature:

Date:



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## Law Enforcement Recognition Luncheon **TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT NETWORK APPLICATION**

*Eligible dates: January 1, 2008 through December 31, 2007*  
**Deadline to Submit Applications: FEBRUARY 11, 2009**

Network:

Network Coordinator:

Network Assistant Coordinator:

Law Enforcement Liaison:

# Counties in Region:

# Agencies Involved:

Street Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Phone:

Fax:

Email:

### AWARDS

**2008 Georgia Traffic Enforcement Network Award:** Georgia Traffic Enforcement Network that has demonstrated excellence in implementing innovative techniques in the detection and deterrence of DUI, has had high attendance at network meetings, percentage reporting, number of sobriety check points implemented, participation in statewide collaborations such as Operation Zero Tolerance, Hands Across the Border, etc. Please provide a letter of support (limit 2 pages) outlining why your network should receive this award.

Applicant Name (print):

Applicant Signature:

Date:

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**Law Enforcement Recognition Luncheon**  
**JERRY THOMPSON LAW ENFORCEMENT PARTNERSHIP AWARD**

*(Nominate an exceptional prosecuting attorney)*

**Eligible dates: January 1, 2008 through December 31, 2008**  
**Deadline to Submit Applications: FEBRUARY 11, 2009**

Prosecuting Attorney Name:

Prosecuting Attorney Office/Agency Name:

Street Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Phone:

Fax:

Email:

Nominated by:

## AWARDS

**2008 Jerry Thompson Law Enforcement Partnership Award:** Georgia prosecuting attorney who has demonstrated excellence in implementing innovative techniques in assisting law enforcement with the prosecution of DUI. An attorney who has a passion for traffic safety and has proven to be courageous in the prosecution of DUI. This may include work in training officers on case law and/or best practice DUI detection and arrest procedures. Please provide supporting information outlining why this prosecutor should receive this award. (use space below or attach up to 2 pages)

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## Law Enforcement Recognition Luncheon **\*NEW\* MADD Golden Achievement Award**

*Eligible dates: January 1, 2008 through December 31, 2008*  
**Deadline to Submit Applications: FEBRUARY 11, 2009**

Nominee Name (group or individual):

Organization/Agency:

Street Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Phone:

Fax:

Email:

Nominated by:

### AWARDS

**2008 Golden Achievement Award:** Nominate a citizen, officer, agency, group or organization with outstanding expertise in the field of traffic safety that made a significant contribution to MADD's mission and Georgia traffic safety in 2008. Suggestions include (but are not limited to): DUI prevention and/or intervention, underage drinking prevention and/or intervention, community education, crash investigation, legislative initiatives, technological interventions. Please provide supporting information outlining why this group or individual should receive this award. (use space below or attach up to 2 pages)

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