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Press Release



DA Morrissey supports prom safety
In 11 towns across Norfolk County

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Norfolk District Attorney Michael W. Morrissey has awarded "Project Prom Sense" grants of \$250 each in communities across Norfolk County again this year, funding food and supplies for the pre-prom event organized to keep high-schoolers safe on the night of the dance.

"We know that providing prom-goers with alcohol- and drug-free activities before or after the dance cuts into the pressure to drink that night, and increases the odds they will avoid taking chances on the road or elsewhere later on," District Attorney Morrissey said. "I am pleased to support these towns' commitment to making this a safe night again this year."

Morrissey was also pleased to have two more towns applying for the grants this year than last year. "We didn't turn anyone away."

The grants were all funded from assets seized from drug dealers as part of criminal prosecutions successfully conducted by the Norfolk District Attorney's Office.

Project Prom Sense grants 2012

Table with 3 columns: Rank (1-11), Town Name, and Grant Amount (\$250).

Total 2012 Amount of Prom Grants Awarded: \$2,750