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PRESS RELEASE

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**TRAFFIC SAFETY  
CHECKPOINT**

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department will be conducting a traffic safety checkpoint on Tuesday, February 19<sup>th</sup>, 2016. The safety checkpoint will be conducted for eastbound traffic traveling between the 200 block of Northwest 13<sup>th</sup> Street and Andrews Avenue – between 7:00 pm and 12:00 midnight.

This traffic safety checkpoint will consist of a single lane closure for eastbound traffic approaching Andrews Avenue on Northwest 13<sup>th</sup> Street; causing all eastbound traffic to merge into one lane of travel.

Vehicles will be systematically selected and officers will conduct safety checks of vehicle equipment, including seat belt usage. Officers will also verify and check for proper driver and vehicle documentation; such as, drivers' licenses, vehicle registrations, and proof of insurance.

This traffic safety checkpoint is in response to citizen complaints in the area and is not expected to create any significant traffic delays.

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department encourages safe and responsible driving and is committed to taking an active role in the safety of our community traveling on our roadways.

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