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## **GOP Weekly Radio Address: Celebrate Safely this Holiday Season**

**Madison...** Representative Jim Ott (R-Mequon) encourages Wisconsinites to be safe on the roads and make smart decisions about drinking before driving this holiday season.

*I'm Jim Ott. As 2020 draws to a close we look back at what has been a very difficult year, and we're still not out of the woods as we continue to deal with the pandemic. But this is also a time to be thankful for all of our blessings. We live in a beautiful state with great people and many positive features.*

*During my time in the Legislature one of my main goals has been to help make our roads safer by toughening penalties for drunk driving and increase awareness of this ongoing problem in our state. I believe we've made some significant progress in addressing this issue.*

*So as we enjoy the holiday season it's important to remember that there are alternatives to getting behind the wheel impaired, including choosing a designated driver if you're out with a group, or using your cell phone to call a friend if you have any doubt that you may have had too much to drink.*

*Even though there's still a lot of uncertainty in the near future, I believe better days are ahead. My wish for you is for a very Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukah and happy holiday season, and Many Blessings in the New Year.*

Audio: <http://legis.wisconsin.gov/eupdates/asm63/OttRadio12.17.20.mp3>

Video: <https://youtu.be/dvmw42fwHFU>

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