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Greetings,

The Grand Rapids Police Department would like to invite you to a hotel / motel interdiction class at the Timberlake Lodge on January 31, 2023. The presentation will be hosted by the Grand Rapids Police Department and partnered with the area drug task force, Aitkin Itasca Mille Lac (AIM VCET). The class will be held at the Timberlake Event Center from 1pm-3pm. The hope is to provide your employees with education on a variety of criminal activity that often happens within the lodging industry. The following topics will be the focus of this event:

- Identifying criminal activity
 - o Drugs
 - Sex Crimes
 - Property Crimes
 - o Trespass
- Identify suspicious activity
- Role of management when dealing with criminal activity

The goal is to make our community a safer place by educating and promoting more successful partnerships between law enforcement and hotel providers serving the Grand Rapids area. We truly believe that improving communication will bring a better understanding of the police services that we can offer. At the end of the presentation, there will be time for questions and answers, as well as an opportunity for community partners to provide additional information to the panel.

The panel will include members from the Grand Rapids Police Department and AIM VCET.

On behalf of the Grand Rapids Police Department, I strongly encourage all to attend.

Respectfully,

Captain Andy Morgan

