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Mundelein gets grant to battle minor drinking

In the wake of the conviction of a Deerfield couple for holding an underage drinking party that led to the deaths of two teens, Mundelein has received a \$300,000 grant to combat underage drinking.

The village has been awarded a Strategic Prevention Framework State Incentive Grant from the Illinois Department of Human Services, \$100,000 annually, for up to three years, according to Police Chief Raymond Rose.

"Underage drinking is everybody's problem," said Rose, co-chair of the Lake County After School Coalition and the Lake County Chiefs of Police Associa-

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tion's Underage Drinking Prevention Task Force. "It is not just a law-enforcement problem."

Mundelein was one of only 18 communities throughout Illinois to receive the competitive award. The Mundelein department has been involved in related local initiatives over the past several years and in collecting data.