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## Cab Ride Home

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### **Don't Let Witches Brew Turn You into a Fool— Don't Drive Drunk on Halloween**

*Local law firm helps keep trick-or-treaters safe by curbing drunk driving*

**TERRE HAUTE, Ind., October 21, 2009—**

Halloween is on a Saturday this year, which could mean a rise in the number of auto accidents and injuries. To help prevent these accidents and ensure everyone has a happy and safe Halloween, the law office of Fleschner, Stark, Tanoos & Newlin will provide the Safe and Sober Free Cab Ride Home program for those who have been drinking or who don't feel they have a safe way to get home.

"Helping ensure the safety of trick-or-treaters will take a combined effort from both motorists and parents," said Steve Fleschner, attorney and co-founder of Fleschner, Stark, Tanoos & Newlin. "The safe rides home are meant to protect not only those who are celebrating, but others on the road as well."

Cab rides are provided from a bar or restaurant to an individual's residence in Terre Haute or West Terre Haute—not to other drinking locations. Due to the high number of ride requests on Halloween, rides cannot be guaranteed for everyone who calls; however, every attempt will be made to accommodate everyone who requests a ride home. For the safety of all cab drivers, patrons are asked to remove any masks or facial coverings while riding in cabs. Drivers have the right to use their discretion when accepting fares.

#### **Free Rides Our Treat, No Trick**

The Safe and Sober Free Cab Ride Home program will be available from 8 p.m. on Saturday, October 31, through 2 a.m. on Sunday, November 1, 2009.

To request a free cab ride home, call Yellow Cab of Terre Haute at (812) 478-5000 and tell them Fleschner Law is paying for your safe ride home.

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**About Safe and Sober**

Launched on New Year's Eve 2008, the Safe and Sober Free Cab Ride Home program provides a safe transportation alternative during many of the traditionally high alcohol consumption holidays. Cab rides are made available on New Year's Eve, St. Patrick's Day, and Halloween to area residents who otherwise might attempt to drive home after drinking. Rides are provided to an individual's residence—not to other drinking locations.

**About Community 1st**

Safe and Sober is one of many projects and events in which the members of Fleschner, Stark, Tanoos & Newlin participate. To recognize the importance of giving back to the community, the firm recently established Community 1st, a comprehensive plan that encompasses all of the law firm's community and service efforts. To learn more about Community 1st, visit [www.fstncommunity1st.com](http://www.fstncommunity1st.com).



**About Fleschner, Stark, Tanoos & Newlin**

Established more than 30 years ago, Fleschner, Stark, Tanoos & Newlin has provided exceptional legal service to every one of its clients. Each case is approached with integrity, determination, and understanding. Together, the attorneys at the firm have nearly 150 years of combined experience in personal injury and Social Security Disability law. The professionals at the firm have strengthened their skills and their fight over the years, and have had the privilege of helping thousands of injured people achieve justice for their injuries. Visit [www.FleschnerLaw.com](http://www.FleschnerLaw.com) to learn more.

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