



# MEDIA RELEASE



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**RE:** National Drug Take-Back Day

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**Fountain, Colorado** - On Saturday, October 27, 2018, from 10:00AM to 2:00PM, Fountain Police will be participating in National Drug Take-Back Day. Studies conducted throughout the years, show that a majority of abused prescription drugs were obtained from family and friends, often from the home medicine cabinet. This causes those unused prescription drugs to find their way into the wrong hands which is dangerous and can be deadly. This program is focused on providing convenient locations across the nation for the public to drop off excess, unused, and expired controlled substances and other medications.

Fountain Police will be participating in the bi-annual DEA drug take-back event at the following location:

Fountain Police Department – 222 North Santa Fe Avenue, Fountain, CO 80817.

We will not be able to accept any type of liquids, aerosols, syringes or other needles.

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