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### *“Trick or Treat” Night Scheduled for Sandusky Neighborhoods*

**Sandusky** - *The City of Sandusky is announcing neighborhood “Trick or Treating” on Friday, October 31, between 5 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. The following tips are recommended to create a safe and fun Halloween environment for your children.*

- 🔔 It is recommended that children be in groups of two or more and that an adult accompanies them. ‘Children’ are defined as 14 years of age or younger.
- 🔔 Trick or Treaters should stay within their own neighborhoods and only go to houses that demonstrate a willingness to participate by turning their porch lights on. ‘Neighborhoods’ are defined as a three-block area in all directions around the child’s home.
- 🔔 Remind children that they should carry a flashlight, walk on sidewalks and driveways, cross only at corners and to never cross between parked cars. Children should be alert to cars that may be turning into or backing out of driveways.
- 🔔 Children should have all of their candy checked by an adult before they eat anything.
- 🔔 Motorists are encouraged to drive cautiously; excited youngsters may dart out in front of a car.

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