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Schaumburg Police Holiday *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over* Campaign Results

The Schaumburg Police Department, alongside the Illinois Department of Transportation, the Illinois State Police and local law enforcement agencies across the state completed a successful *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over* campaign that coincided with the December holidays. From Dec. 18 through New Year's Day, the Schaumburg Police Department conducted traffic safety enforcement reminding motorists to buckle up and not drive impaired. In doing so, they kept local roads safer during the holidays.

According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 37,461 people died in 2016 motor vehicle traffic crashes, and 28 percent (10,497) died in crashes in which at least one driver had a blood-alcohol concentration (BAC) at or above the 0.08 limit.

During the Holiday Campaign, the Schaumburg Police Department issued the following:

- 12 seat belt citations
- 22 distracted driving citations
- 12 speeding citations
- 1 fugitive apprehended
- 1 suspended/revoked licenses
- 6 uninsured motorists
- 2 drug arrests

** Non grant enforcement results include two (2) DUI arrests, 145 Distracted driving citations, 117 speeding citations and 27 suspended/revoked licenses.

The *Drive Sober Get Pulled Over* enforcement effort was made possible with federal highway safety funds administered by the Illinois Department of Transportation.



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