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This Labor Day, and Every Day, *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over* Campaign Results



Schaumburg Police Department today announced that it increased traffic safety enforcement efforts during the Labor Day holiday. The Schaumburg Police Department partnered with law enforcement around the state for Illinois' *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over* Labor Day safety campaign, ramping up its usual enforcement efforts from Aug. 20 through Sept. 4th.

During the mobilization, Schaumburg Police Department issued:

- 50 seat belt citations
- 6 speeding citations
- 46 distracted driving citations
- 5 possession of cannabis arrests

In addition to grant funded enforcement, the Schaumburg Police Department increased enforcement efforts as part of the campaign. As a department, officers issued an additional 21 seatbelt citations, 24 speeding citations, 144 electronic communication device citations and made five DUI arrests during the awareness campaign.

“The *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over* campaign gives us the opportunity to help spread the message that preventing impaired driving is a matter of *Life or Death*,” said Sgt Christy Lindhurst.

The Illinois *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over* campaign is administered by the Illinois Department of Transportation with federal dollars managed by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.



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