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### **Lake in the Hills Police Department announces distracted driving campaign results**

**Lake in the Hills, IL** – During the month of April, the Lake in the Hills Police Department held additional dedicated patrols as part of National Distracted Driving Awareness Month. Officers worked an extra 79 hours of patrol and conducted 118 traffic stops. One arrest was made and the driver was charged with driving while license revoked.

During the month-long mobilization, the Lake in the Hills Police Department issued:

- **58** electronic communication device citations
- **25** speeding citations
- **13** seat belt citations
- **8** uninsured motorist citations
- **4** expired registration citations
- **1** passing within no passing zone citation
- **1** disregarding a traffic signal citation

The Lake in the Hills Police Department reminds motorists to put their cell phones down and drive. Even though Distracted Driving Awareness Month has concluded, officers will continue to enforce the distracted driving laws year-round.

The distracted driving campaign is administered by the Illinois Department of Transportation with federal traffic safety funds.

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