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Lake in the Hills Police Department releases Thanksgiving traffic enforcement campaign results

Lake in the Hills, IL – From Nov. 20 - 30, 2020, the Lake in the Hills Police Department conducted special patrols during the Thanksgiving enforcement effort with a focus on seat belt compliance, keeping alcohol and drug impaired drivers off the roadways, and cracking down on speeding and distracted driving. Officers worked an additional 27 hours of enforcement.

During this mobilization, officers stopped 34 vehicles for violations of the Illinois Vehicle Code (IVC). Among these violations, 12 drivers were cited for not wearing seat belts, 15 drivers were cited for speeding, one (1) driver was cited for an electronic communications device violation, and two (2) uninsured motorists were cited. The Traffic Unit is pleased to report they did not observe any intoxicated or impaired drivers.

This mobilization was made possible by federal highway safety funds administered by the Illinois Department of Transportation.

For more information on the *Click It or Ticket* mobilization, visit www.BuckleUpIllinois.org.

For more information about NHTSA's Click It or Ticket campaign, please visit: https://one.nhtsa.gov/nhtsa/ciot/index.html

For more information about NHTSA's Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over campaign, please visit: https://one.nhtsa.gov/drivesober/

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