WINNEBAGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE News Media Release

INFORMATION: LABOR DAY "DRIVE SOBER OR GET PULLED OVER" CAMPAIGN-RESULTS

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THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT PARTNERED WITH THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES THROUGHOUT THE STATE FOR THE 2017 "DRIVE SOBER OR GET PULLED OVER" LABOR DAY IMPAIRED DRIVING ENFORCEMENT CAMPAIGN. PATROLS WERE INCREASED BETWEEN AUGUST 21ST AND THE EARLY MORNING HOURS OF SEPTEMBER 5TH IN AN EFFORT TO KEEP IMPAIRED DRIVERS OFF OUR ROADWAYS.

THE WINNEBAGO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT RAMPED UP ITS ENFORCEMENT IN LATE AUGUST AND EARLY THIS MONTH. THE EFFORT RESULTED IN 77 CITATIONS. THERE WERE 6 DUI ARRESTS AND 15 SEAT-BELT CITATIONS ISSUED. IN ADDITION, THERE WERE 2 FELONY ARRESTS AND 8 PEOPLE WERE ARRESTED FOR DRIVING WITH A SUSPENDED OR REVOKED DRIVER'S LICENSE

POLICE REMIND MOTORISTS DRINKING AND DRIVING IS A CHOICE YOU SHOULD NEVER MAKE.

THE 2017 LABOR DAY "DRIVE SOBER OR GET PULLED OVER" CRACKDOWN WAS FUNDED BY FEDERAL HIGHWAY SAFETY FUNDS FROM THE NATIONAL HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION AND IS MANAGED THROUGH IDOT.

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