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Franklin Park Police Department Announces Results of Labor Day Safety Campaign

(Franklin Park, IL) – The Franklin Park Police Department successfully conducted an impaired driving enforcement effort over Labor Day weekend, resulting in seven (7) arrests for driving under the influence. Additionally, fifty-two (52) seat belt citations were issued, with twenty-two (22) occurring during nighttime hours. Other citations and arrests included five (5) citations for speeding, five (5) citations for distracted driving, and fifty-four (54) citations for other offenses.

"Through the Labor Day safety campaign, we helped to make our roads safer and spread the word about the risks of impaired driving – 'It's Not a Game,'" said Director Michael Witz.

Franklin Park Police collaborated with other law enforcement agencies and highway safety partners across the state for the Illinois Labor Day "Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over" and "Drive High. Get a DUI" campaign.

This effort was part of the statewide "Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over," "Drive High. Get a DUI" and "Click It or Ticket" initiatives, funded by federal highway safety funds through the Illinois Department of Transportation.