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“Roadside Safety Check” results are in: Franklin Park Police Department

Franklin Park, Illinois – Results are in from the *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over* Roadside Safety Check.

During the roadside safety checks, reducing the deadly dangers from drunk drivers was a top priority as Franklin Park Police Department conducted road side safety checks, to arrest those who put themselves and others on the road at risk.

On September 24, 2016 Franklin Park Police conducted a road side safety check between the hours of 10 PM and 1 AM on the 10100 blk. of Grand Ave. Officers observed 756 vehicles passing through the detail sites and checked 134 vehicles. Out of the 134 vehicles checked, 26 citations were issued. Included in the 26 citations were 16 equipment violations, 2 registration violations, 2 open alcohol violations, 3 drug arrests and 3 other IVC offences.

The recent law enforcement crackdown was funded by federal traffic safety funds through the Illinois Department of Transportation and is part of the *Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over* and *Click It or Ticket* campaigns.