



## **Franklin Park Police Department**

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## "Roadside Safety Check" results are in:

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

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

On July 31, 2015, Franklin Park Police conducted a road side safety check between the hours of 10 PM and 1 AM, on the 2700 block of Mannheim Road. Officers observed 700 vehicles passing through the detail site and checked 125 vehicles. Out of the 125 vehicles checked, 25 citations were issued. Included in the 25 citations were 2 no D/L, 9 registration violations, 3 seat belt violations, and 11 equipment violations.

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.