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ILLINOIS STATE POLICE ANNOUNCE RESULTS OF NIGHTTIME ENFORCEMENT PATROLS

Downers Grove, IL – Illinois State Police (ISP) Troop 15 Acting Commander Ken Benson announces the results of Nighttime Enforcement (NITE) patrols in Cook and DuPage counties during November. These NITE patrols allowed the ISP to focus on preventing, detecting and taking enforcement action in response to impaired driving and occupant restraint violations especially between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m.

Violations	Enforcement Activity
Driving Under the Influence (DUI) Citations	2
Other Alcohol/Drug Citations	1
Occupant Restraint Offenses	5
Registration Offenses	15
Driver's License Offenses	5
Insurance Violations	6
Total Citations/Arrests	82
Total Written Warnings	23

Alcohol and drug impairment are factors in more than 30 percent of all fatal motor vehicle crashes in Illinois. More than half of all fatal crashes in Illinois occur at night. The NITE program allows officers to work even harder at removing dangerous impaired drivers from the road and making sure everyone is buckled up. This project is funded through the Illinois Department of Transportation.

“Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over”

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