



Division of Operations

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# NEWS



## **Illinois State Police Announce Roadside Safety Check Results**

**Downers Grove, IL** – The Illinois State Police (ISP) announced the results of a Roadside Safety Check (RSC) held during the late evening hours of Saturday, May 14, and early morning hours of Sunday, May 15. The detail was conducted on the northbound Tri-State Tollway (I-294) at Touhy Avenue by ISP District 15 officers.

Alcohol is involved in nearly 40 percent of fatal crashes in Illinois. RSCs are designed to remove alcohol-impaired drivers. However, when other violations are observed such as driving with a suspended or revoked license, operating a vehicle without a valid registration or insurance or safety belt violations, enforcement action may be taken. The following citations were issued at the safety check:

<b>Violations</b>	<b>Enforcement Activity</b>
Registration offenses	1 citations, 2 warnings
Insurance offenses	7 citations
Driver's license offenses	14 citations, 2 warning
Equipment offenses	5 warnings
Occupant Restraint Offenses	11 citations
Other alcohol/drug arrests	3 arrests
Other Criminal Arrests	2 arrests
Total citations/arrests	<b>38</b>
Total written warnings	<b>9</b>

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