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

**Downers Grove**, IL – The Illinois State Police (ISP) announced the results of Roadside Safety Checks (RSCs) conducted June 17, 2017, on the Tri-State Tollway (I-294) at the Touhy Avenue Toll Plaza (Plaza 29); June 23, 2017, on the Tri-State Tollway (I-294) Halsted Street Toll Plaza (Plaza 47A); June 24, 2017, on the Tri-State Tollway (I-294) from I-80 Eastbound (Plaza 45); and on June 25, 2017, on the Reagan Memorial Tollway (I-88) at the Meyers Road Toll Plaza (Plaza 52).

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:

Violations	Enforcement Activity
Registration offenses	5 citations, 4 warnings
Insurance offenses	21 citations
Driver's license offenses	29 citations, 10 warnings
Equipment offenses	1 citations, 4 warnings
Occupant Restraint Offenses	48 citations, 2 warnings
Alcohol/drug arrests	15 arrests
Other IVC Violations	6 citations
Other criminal	6 arrests
Total citations/arrests	131
Total written warnings	20

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