



Division of Patrol

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Illinois State Police Announce Results of Occupant Restraint Patrol in Cook, Kane and Lake Counties

Downers Grove, IL – Illinois State Police District 15 Commander Jason Bradley announced today enforcement figures for Occupant Restraint Enforcement Patrols (OREP) conducted between September 3 and September 7 on the Jane Addams Memorial Tollway (I-90) in Cook and Kane counties and the Tri-State Tollway (I-94/I-294) in Cook and Lake counties.

Violation	Enforcement Activity
Occupant restraint citations	25
Speeding citations	21
Distracted driving citations	12
All other citations	23
Speeding written warnings	8
Total citations issued	81
Total written warnings issued – all violations	24

In 2018, nearly one in five of the 1,035 people killed in traffic crashes in Illinois were not wearing seatbelts, according to the Illinois Department of Transportation. The goal of the OREP program is to reduce traffic fatalities and serious injuries by strictly enforcing all occupant restraint laws in Illinois. This project is funded through the IDOT Division of Traffic Safety.

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