



Village of Harwood Heights Police Department
7300 W. Wilson Ave. Harwood Heights, Illinois 60706

MEDIA RELEASE

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Harwood Heights, IL – The Harwood Heights Police Department participated in the Independence Day Enforcement Campaign reminding motorists to “*Click It or Ticket*”.

During the Independence Day Enforcement Campaign, Harwood Heights officers worked an additional 59 hours of patrol taking the following enforcement actions:

- Conducted 53 traffic stops
- Cited 23 seat belt violators
- Cited 9 distracted drivers
- Issued 30 other various traffic violation citations
- Made 1 traffic arrest for no valid license and arrest warrant

The Harwood Heights Police Department joined forces with more than 200 other state and local law enforcement agencies to get drunk and drugged drivers off our roads, encourage seat belt use, and enforce speeding and other traffic laws. The effort featured high-visibility enforcement with a variety of outreach activities including a media campaign titled, “It’s Not a Game.”

The Illinois Independence Day Campaign is funded with federal traffic safety funds administered by the Illinois Department of Transportation. Our efforts are to keep the roadway safe.

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