



Village of Harwood Heights Police Department
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Press Release
Harwood Heights Police Department
Releases Holiday Enforcement Numbers

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Harwood Heights, IL –The Harwood Heights Police Department conducted a holiday traffic safety campaign December 15th-January 2nd reminding motorists to buckle up and drive sober. The “Click It or Ticket” and “Driver Sober or Get Pulled Over” mobilization was conducted by the Harwood Heights Police Department and other state and local law enforcement agencies across Illinois to help reduce highway fatalities.

During the Holiday Enforcement Campaign, Harwood Heights officers worked an additional 33 hours of patrol taking the following enforcement actions:

- Conducted 41 traffic stops
- Cited 13 seat belt violators
- Cited 1 distracted driver
- Issued 23 other various traffic violation citations

“We issue tickets to remind drivers and passengers that seat belt use isn’t a suggestion, it’s the law,” said Sergeant Nick Ramirez. “This year’s campaign was successful in grabbing people’s attention with highly visible enforcement methods. As always, our goal is a safe community with safer drivers.”

The Holiday enforcement effort is made possible by federal traffic safety funds administered by the Illinois Department of Transportation and is part of the statewide “Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over” and “Click It or Ticket” campaigns. Our efforts are to keep the roadway safe.

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