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Buffalo Grove Police Department releases results from its holiday traffic safety enforcement campaign

Buffalo Grove, IL – The Buffalo Grove Police Department (BYPD) partnered with the Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT) and law enforcement agencies across the state for the holiday "Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over" traffic safety enforcement campaign. From December 15 through January 2, BYPD conducted 75 traffic stops and showed zero tolerance for impaired driving. Three arrests and 70 citations were issued including:

- One DUI arrest.
- Two traffic arrests for suspended license/no valid license.
- Two distracted driving citations.
- Two child seat citations
- 25 seat belt citations.
- 20 speeding citations.
- 18 additional citations.

"We need to drive the message home: Impaired driving is dangerous behavior. It's illegal and endangers the driver, their passengers and everyone else on the road," said Commander Tara Anderson. "The 'Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over' campaign helps law enforcement deal with the problem head-on. If you're under the influence, don't get behind the wheel."

The holiday enforcement campaign is administered by IDOT with federal highway safety funds managed by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

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