

Kendall County Sheriff's Office



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The Kendall County Sheriff's Office releases Thanksgiving traffic enforcement campaign numbers

Kendall County Sheriff's Office Deputies working overtime hire-back details to enhance public safety through the enforcement of Occupant Protection and Impaired Driving laws issued the following during the recent Thanksgiving enforcement effort: 10 seatbelt citations, 5 speeding citations, 4 distracted driving/improper cellphone use citations, 1 driving while license suspended arrest and 10 other moving violations and/or insurance law violations. Deputies logged 24 extra patrol hours on the campaign, during which they conducted 41 vehicle stops.

Law enforcement agencies throughout Illinois participated in this effort to save lives by getting impaired drivers off the roads and more people buckled up. The enforcement campaign took place from November 22nd through December 2nd, 2019.

During the mobilization, extra emphasis was placed on enforcement during late-night hours, when statistics show the most unbuckled and impaired driving fatalities occur.

This law enforcement effort was made possible by federal highway safety funds administered through the Illinois Department of Transportation and is part of the nationwide "Click It or Ticket" and "Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over" campaigns.