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CountrySide Police Department releases Thanksgiving enforcement numbers

CountrySide, IL – The **CountrySide Police Department** conducted a traffic safety campaign Nov. 18-28 reminding motorists to buckle up and drive sober. The “Click It or Ticket” and “Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over” mobilization was conducted by **CountrySide Police Department** and other state and local law enforcement agencies across Illinois to reduce highway fatalities.

During the campaign, **CountrySide Police Department** issued:

- [28] seat belt citations
- [2] suspended/revoked license arrests
- [1] speeding citation
- [2] suspended registration citations

“Our officers patrol year-round to keep motorists buckled up and impaired drivers off the roads,” said Commander James Stern. “We do this to save lives and ensure all of us make it home safely at the end of the day.”

The Thanksgiving 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.

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