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ROADSIDE SAFETY CHECK – GRAND CROSSING (3RD) DISTRICT

The Chicago Police Department will conduct a Roadside Safety Check in the Grand Crossing (3rd) District at 6401 S. Cottage. The Roadside Safety Check will commence at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, September 11th, 2015 and end at 3:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 12th, 2015.

During roadside safety checks, police officers slow down traffic, stop cars at regular intervals and watch for drivers who show signs of alcohol impairment and other violations as noted below.

“This program is conducted year round to ensure drivers are operating their vehicles safely,” said Superintendent, Garry F. McCarthy. “This is part of an ongoing strategy to keep the city streets safe for Chicago’s residents and commuters.”

The Roadside Safety Check conducted in the Austin (15th) District on September 4 – 5, 2015 resulted in the following:

Driving Under the Influence	8
Driver's License Violations	9
Unsafe Vehicle Violations	13
Insurance Violations	12
Traffic Violations (Other)	15
Total Citations	57
Other Arrests	0
Vehicles Towed	9

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