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DUI SATURATION PATROL – Deering (9th) DISTRICT

The Chicago Police Department will be conducting a DUI Saturation Patrol in the Deering (9th) District this weekend. The DUI Saturation Patrol will take place **Friday, June 29, 2018 from 7:00 p.m. to Saturday, June 30, 2018 at 3:00 a.m.**

The purpose of this program is to saturate a pre-designated area with roving police officers that continually monitor vehicular traffic for signs of impaired driving. Patrols also place emphasis on speed, alcohol-related and safety belt violations. Police vehicles equipped for speed detection are deployed to apprehend speeding violators.

In addition, the Breath Alcohol Testing (BAT) Mobile Unit may also be deployed to allow officers to expedite the process of charging a person with Driving under the Influence (DUI) prior to transporting an alleged into the nearest lockup for bonding. The mobile unit also allows for Individual Recognizance Bonds (I-Bonds) to be issued at the site of the DUI Saturation Patrol.

The DUI Saturation Patrol conducted in the Morgan Park (22nd) District on June 22-June 23, 2018 resulted in the following:

Driving Under the Influence	0
Speed Violations	12
Driver's License Violations	4
Unsafe Vehicle Violations	15
Insurance Violations	11
Traffic Violations (Other)	11
Total Citations	53
Other Arrests	0
Vehicles Towed	1

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