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DUI Checkpoint Nets 7 DUI Arrests

La Habra, Calif. – The La Habra Police Department conducted 10 Field Sobriety Tests which resulted in 7 DUI arrests while conducting a DUI/Driver’s License checkpoint on April 23, 2021. The checkpoint was on Harbor, between Las Rendas and Las Palmas between the hours of 10:02 p.m. and 3:02 a.m.

In addition, 4 drivers were cited for operating a vehicle unlicensed or with a suspended/revoked license and 8 vehicles were towed.

DUI Checkpoints are placed in locations based on collision statistics and frequency of DUI arrests.

Drivers caught driving impaired and charged with DUI can expect the impact of a DUI arrest to be approximately \$13,500. This includes fines, fees, DUI classes, license suspension and other expenses not to mention possible jail time.

La Habra PD reminds drivers that “DUI Doesn’t Just Mean Booze.” Many prescription drugs also have a warning on the label and can impair those driving or operating machinery which may result in a DUI. Marijuana can also be impairing, especially in combination with alcohol or other drugs.

La Habra PD will be conducting more DUI Saturation Patrols during the month of April in our ongoing commitment to take suspected impaired drivers off our streets and highways, ultimately lowering the risk for deaths and injuries.

Funding for this checkpoint was provided by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety, through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

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