

BOONE COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

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Media Release

Type of Incident: Sobriety Checkpoint

Incident Occurred: 1300 block of Prathersville Rd

Date & Time: 09/12/2008 at 2300 hours to 09/13/2008 at 0130 hours

Details of the Incident: On 09/12/2008, the Boone County Sheriff's Department conducted a Sobriety Checkpoint in the 1300 block of Prathersville Rd., in Columbia.

The Boone County Sheriff's Department conducted the checkpoint in conjunction with the Hallsville Police Department and Columbia Police Department and with the support of the Boone County, MO., Chapter of Mothers Against Drunk Driving (M.A.D.D.).

During the sobriety checkpoint, the following actions were taken:

- 2 arrests for driving while intoxicated alcohol
- 2 arrests for driving while intoxicated drugs
- 4 arrests for driving with a suspended or revoked license
- 2 arrests for operating a motor vehicle without a valid license
- 1 arrest for an open container violation
- 1 arrest for possession of controlled substance under 35 g of marijuana
- 1 arrest for intent to distribute a controlled substance
- 2 arrests on Probation & Parole warrants
- 3 summons issued for no insurance
- 1 summons for failure to register
- 1 arrest for an Order of Protection Violation
- 1 warning for an equipment violation
- 1 warning for a lane violation

Approximately 124 vehicles were checked during the checkpoint. The Boone County Sheriff's Department wishes to thank the citizens of Boone County, MO., for their patience and cooperation during this operation.

All suspects are innocent until proven guilty in a court of law.

Release date and time: September 13, 2008 @ 1230 hours

Release authorized by: Sergeant Scott Ewing

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Traffic Enforcement Unit