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Media Release

Type of Incident: Safety Checkpoint

Incident Occurred: Obermiller Rd/Roemer Rd & 6700 block of Hwy VV

Date & Time: 09/17/2015 from 10:00 to 14:45 hours

On 09/17/2015, the Boone County Sheriff's Department conducted two Safety Checkpoints, one at Obermiller Road and Roemer Road and then one in the 6700 block of Highway VV. The purpose of this operation was to increase safety on the roadways of Boone County by identifying and citing the drivers who are unlicensed, suspended, revoked and/or uninsured. Officers working the checkpoint also looked for child restraint violations, safety belt violations and any other visible safety violations.

During the Safety Checkpoint, the following actions were taken:

- 5 citations for operating a motor vehicle with a suspended or revoked driver's license
- 2 citations for operating a motor vehicle without a valid license
- 16 citations for failing to maintain financial responsibility (no insurance)
- 1 citations for safety belt violations
- 3 citations for child restraint violations
- 1 fugitive was apprehended
- 2 citations for misdemeanor drug violations
- 6 citations for other non hazardous moving violations

Approximately 429 vehicles were checked during the Safety checkpoints. 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: 09/19/2015 at 2300 hours

Release authorized by: Deputy Nikki Antimi
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Traffic Enforcement Unit