

News Release — Chicago Police Department

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ROADSIDE SAFETY CHECK - ENGLEWOOD (7TH) DISTRICT

The Chicago Police Department will conduct a Roadside Safety Check in the Englewood (7th) District at 6401 S. Ashland Ave. The Roadside Safety Check will commence at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, June 19th, 2015 and end at 3:00 a.m. on Saturday, June 20th, 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 Harrison (11th) District on June 5 – 6, 2015 resulted in the following:

Driving Under the Influence	5
Driver's License Violations	12
Open Liquor Violations	5
Insurance Violations	11
Traffic Violations (Other)	18
Total Citations	51
Other Arrests	2 – 1 Warrant; 1 Driving While License Suspended
Vehicles Towed	12
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