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Law Enforcement Conducts Special Enforcement and Prevention Project

DUBUQUE, Iowa –A joint-agency special enforcement and prevention project was conducted on August 13 and 14, 2008 in Dubuque to highlight traffic and pedestrian safety.

The project focused primarily in the downtown and north-end areas of Dubuque and was conducted by members of the Dubuque Police Department, the Dubuque County Sheriff's Office, and the Iowa State Patrol.

A total of 136 citations or warnings were issued, with 10 criminal charges filed resulting in arrests. A breakdown of the citations, warnings, and arrests includes the following:

| Amount | Type of Violation |
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| Citations | |
| 48 | Seatbelt and/or Child Safety Seat Violations |
| 12 | Failure to Provide Proof of Vehicle Insurance |
| 7 | Vehicle Registration Expired/Required |
| 1 | Loud/Defective Exhaust |
| 1 | Speed Violation |
| 1 | Stop Sign Violation |
| 1 | Reckless Driving |
| 1 | Failure to Notify DOT of Address Change |
| 2 | Littering/Putting Debris on the Roadway |
| 1 | No Valid Driver's License |
| Arrests | |
| 2 | Possession of a Controlled Substance |
| 1 | Possession of Drug Paraphernalia |
| 2 | Outstanding Arrest Warrant |
| 1 | Operating While Intoxicated |
| 1 | Interference With Official Acts |
| 3 | Driving Under Suspension |
| Warnings | |
| 61 | Assorted Traffic Violation Warnings |