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SEDGWICK COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE CONDUCTS DUI SATURATION PATROL

BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 11:00 P.M. AND 3:00 A.M. ON NOVEMBER 7, 2009 THE SEDGWICK COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE CONDUCTED A DUI SATURATION PATROL IN SEDGWICK COUNTY. DURING THIS TIME, FOUR (4) ADULTS WERE ARRESTED FOR DUI. ADDITIONALLY, THERE WERE TWO (2) ADULTS ARRESTED FOR DRIVING WHILE SUSPENDED, AND ONE (1) PERSON ARRESTED FOR WARRANTS. LAST, EIGHTEEN (18) CITATIONS WERE ISSUED FOR VARIOUS TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS.

SATURATION PATROLS HAVE PROVEN EFFECTIVE IN REDUCING IMPAIRED DRIVING, SPEEDING AND COMMERCIAL VEHICLE VIOLATIONS. THEY HAVE ALSO INCREASED THE USE OF OCCUPANT PROTECTION. THIS OPERATION CONSISTED OF ONE SERGEANT, FOUR DEPUTIES, AND TWO RESERVE DEPUTIES.

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