



San Diego County SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

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SYNOPSIS:

On the night of September 6, 2020, between the hours of 8:30 PM and 1:30 AM, deputies from the San Diego Sheriff's Department, Lemon Grove Traffic Division conducted a DUI sobriety and driver license checkpoint in the 7900 block of Broadway in the city of Lemon Grove. The checkpoint was staffed by approximately 14 Sheriff Deputies. The purpose of the checkpoint was to remove impaired and/or unlicensed drivers from the roadway, public education and deterrence thereby increasing the safety of all drivers and allowing for a safer driving environment. Funding for this operation was provided by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety, through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

A total of 429 vehicle drivers were contacted during the checkpoint. The operation resulted in one (1) DUI arrest. Sixty-two were directed into the secondary inspection area for further evaluation. Twenty-four (24) citations were issued for suspended/revoked or no driver's licenses and ten (15) vehicles were impounded during the operation.

Any questions about the DUI Checkpoint can be directed to Sergeant Aaron Montan, of the Lemon Grove Patrol Station, Traffic Division, at (619) 337-2000.

CHECKPOINT ACTIVITY:	
VEHICLES CONTACTED:	429
VEHICLES THROUGH WITHOUT CONTACT:	50
TOTAL VEHICLES THROUGH:	479
VEHICLES SENT INTO SECONDARY:	62
FST GIVEN:	3
23152 ARREST TOTAL (Alcohol)	1
23152 ARREST TOTAL (Drugs)	0
OTHER ARREST TOTAL:(Felony Warrants)	0
OTHER ARREST TOTAL (Under the Influence of drugs)	0
OTHER ARREST TOTAL: (Suspended License 14601.2A or 14601.1A)	13

Call Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-8477 with information and you will remain anonymous. You can also download the P3 anonymous tip app. You may be eligible for up to a \$1,000 reward for information that leads to an arrest.

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VEHICLES STORED:
CITATIONS ISSUED:

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