

## San Diego County SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

### **NEWS RELEASE INFORMATION SHEET**

Subject: DUI/ Driver's License Checkpoint

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#### **SYNOPSIS:**

Vista, CA – San Diego Sheriff's Vista Traffic Division conducted a DUI/Driver's License checkpoint on July 27, 2018, at the 700 block of East Vista Way between the hours of 7:00 p.m. and 2:00 a.m. Checkpoints are placed in locations that have the greatest opportunity for achieving drunk and drugged driving deterrence and provide the greatest safety for officers and the public.

#### Checkpoint Results:

[2710] Vehicles Drove by Checkpoint

[815] Vehicles Screened in Primary

[63] Vehicles sent to Secondary

[1] DUI-Alcohol suspects arrested

[14] Drivers cited for operating a vehicle unlicensed

[5] Drivers cited for operating a vehicle while suspended/revoked

[32] Total Citations issued

[9] Field Sobriety Tests Conducted

[7] Vehicles towed

In addition, there were 16 citations issued for various violations which included not having a driver's license in possession, no auto insurance, open alcohol containers and expired registration.

The San Diego Sheriff's Department will be conducting other DUI/Driver's License Checkpoints /or/ DUI Saturation Patrols periodically in our ongoing commitment to lowering deaths and injuries upon our streets and highways. The checkpoint was funded by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety, through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, reminding everyone to 'Report Drunk Driver – Call 9-1-1'.

Call Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-8477 with information and you will remain anonymous. You may be eligible for up to a \$1,000 reward for information leading to a felony arrest.

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