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Grant Funded Checkpoint has Positive Results

Riverside, CA -- On Friday, December 21, 2007, the Riverside Police Department conducted a DUI/Drivers License checkpoint near the intersection of Arlington Avenue and Streeter Avenue in the City of Riverside. Several Volunteers and Explorers from the Department were on hand to assist with the effort.

Between the hours of 6 PM and 12 midnight, more than 1500 vehicles drove through the checkpoint. There were two (2) subjects arrested for DUI, fifty-seven (57) were cited for licensing violations, and forty-seven (47) vehicles were impounded. One of the subjects arrested for DUI had two (2) warrants for prior DUI arrests.

In addition, another subject was arrested for a felony narcotics warrant. One person was arrested for possession of Marijuana and two subjects entered the checkpoint having open containers of an alcoholic beverage.

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