



PRESS RELEASE

Driving Under the Influence/ Driver License Checkpoint

July 2, 2010

The Redding Police Department conducted a DUI and driver license checkpoint at two locations on Friday, July 2, 2010. The first location was on Shasta View Drive at Hawn Avenue between 6:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m. The checkpoint was then moved to Alta Mesa Drive at Saturn Skyway between the hours of 9:30p.m. and 10:30 p.m..

A total of 561 vehicles passed through the checkpoint and were screened by officers. 16 drivers were stopped for further investigation, either at the checkpoint or by officers patrolling near the checkpoint. 2 drivers were given field sobriety tests. No drivers were arrested for driving under the influence. 10 drivers were cited for traffic violations, including 2 drivers who were driving on a suspended license. 2 vehicles were towed, including those of the suspended drivers. 2 drivers were found to have felony warrants for their arrest and were subsequently booked into the Shasta County Jail.

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