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ILLINOIS STATE POLICE ANNOUNCE RESULTS OF OCCUPANT RESTRAINT ENFORCEMENT PATROLS

Moline – Illinois State Police (ISP) Troop 2 Commander, Acting Captain Matt Wierzbinski, announces the results of Occupant Restraint Enforcement Patrols (OREP) held in La Salle and Rock Island counties during May. These OREPs provided extra patrol coverage for the ISP so officers could focus on saving lives by making sure all vehicle occupants were buckled up.

Violations	Enforcement Activity
Safety Belt Citations	40
Child Restraint Citations	0
Total Citations	62
Total Written Warnings	18

Most motorists know safety belts save lives, but some ignore their safety and that of their families by neglecting to use safety belts and child restraint devices. These patrols reinforce the occupant protection message by focusing on those who ignore the law. Lives can be saved if people simply “buckle up!” This project is funded through the Illinois Department of Transportation.

“Click It or Ticket”

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