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Troopers Conclude High Visibility Enforcement Effort

(ANCHORAGE, Alaska) – The Alaska State Troopers and Alaska Wildlife Troopers have concluded the Annual Memorial Day Weekend Click It or Ticket High Visibility Enforcement Effort which started May 15 and ended June 4.

From 5/15/2017 thru 6/4/2017, troopers conducted the following investigations:

- **47** misdemeanor DUI arrests, **1** felony DUI Arrest
- **27** drivers charged with driving with a suspended or revoked license.
- **142** REDDIs reported with **31** drivers contacted and ultimately determined not to be DUI
- **62** damage only crashes, **7** injury crashes and **2** fatal collision were investigated by troopers
- Of the **1762** citations issued, **785** were issued for speeding and **166** were issued for seatbelt or other occupant restraint violations

The main focus of the National Click It or Ticket enforcement campaign is to save lives. AST hopes motorists drive safely throughout the High Visibility Enforcement campaign and the rest of the summer. Wearing seatbelts saves lives and goes a long way to protect all vehicle occupants from being seriously injured or killed.

Please do your part in keeping our roadways safe by not driving impaired. Additionally, don't hesitate to make a REDDI report any time of the year by calling 911! To learn more about REDDI (Report Every Dangerous Driver Immediately) visit <http://www.dot.alaska.gov/stwdplng/hwysafety/REDDI.shtml>.

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