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The final Click It or Ticket numbers are in

FORT PIERCE – Fort Pierce Police officers worked hard to ensure that motorists were driving safer during the annual enforcement wave.

The department wrote 882 tickets; lower than the total citations written last year. Of those 2007 total tickets written, 323 tickets were written for no safety belt. By comparison, last year during the two week campaign officers wrote 1,502 total citations and 235 were for no safety belt.

Individually, the leaders were as follows:

Officer Scott Ceckanowicz: 121 total tickets

Officer Joshua Buday: 90

“This was an excellent effort on the part of everyone involved,” said Sergeant Robert Curry.

The department wide results from the 2007 Click It or Ticket Campaign were:

- 11 – DUI Arrests
- 323 – Seatbelt Tickets
- 17 – Child Restraint Tickets
- 2 – Stolen Vehicles Recovered
- 59 – Fugitives Apprehended
- 4 – Reckless Driving Arrests
- 161 – Speeding Tickets
- 43 – Felony Arrests
- 90 – DWLS Arrests/Citations
- 171 – Uninsured Motorists Citations
- 1 – Under 21 / .02 BAC Violation

The campaign is an aggressive national mobilization to increase safety belt use and reduce fatalities on Florida’s roadways. Safety belt saturation patrols and other stepped-up law enforcement activities were conducted during the enforcement mobilization, which began May 14th and ended June 4th in Florida. The mobilization was supported by national and state advertisements encouraging everyone in Florida, but especially those that don’t use their safety belts, to always buckle up.

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