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MACOMB, IL – Macomb Police Department announces distracted driving enforcement results

The Macomb Police Department announced it issued *11 citations for handsfree law violations and 17 other violations ranging from Speeding to Driving Suspended* during April's Distracted Driving Awareness Month enforcement campaign.

"We strongly enforce traffic laws for one reason – to save lives," said Ofc. Ken Bergren. "This increased enforcement was implemented to help motorists avoid the often-deadly consequences of distracted driving with a simple reminder: Drop it and drive."

The Macomb Police Department joined forces with the Illinois State Police, local law enforcement, and highway safety partners for this enforcement effort.

The Illinois distracted driving campaign is funded with federal traffic safety funds administered by the Illinois Department of Transportation.

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