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MEDIA RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

DATE:

SEPTEMBER 24, 2009

AGENCY:

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SGT. SCOTT PLUMMER

ON SEPTEMBER 25th, 2009, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 11:00 P.M. AND 3:00 A.M., THE SEDGWICK COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE WILL PUT ADDITIONAL DEPUTIES ON THE STREETS AND HIGHWAYS TO SPECIFICALLY FOCUS ON DRUNK DRIVERS. THE PURPOSE OF A SATURATION PATROL IS TO REDUCE THE NUMBER OF DUI RELATED ACCIDENTS AND MAKE OUR STREETS SAFE AS POSSIBLE.

DURING 2008 THE SEDGWICK COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE WORKED 873 DUI CASES AND ONE ALCOHOL RELATED FATALITY ACCIDENT. THIS YEAR, DEPUTIES HAVE WORKED 671 DUI RELATED CASES THUS FAR.

MEDIA RIDE ALONGS ARE ENCOURAGED AND CAN BE ARRANGED THROUGH SGT. SCOTT PLUMMER AT THE ABOVE NUMBER.

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