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DUI Checkpoint Results

Suspects Arrested:

**Chad Newman, 22 years old from Visalia, arrested for DUI
Sharon Young, 44 years old from Visalia, arrested for DUI**

Details:

On 02/20/15 – 02/21/15, between 2045-0245hrs, members of the Visalia Police Department Traffic Unit, Volunteer Unit, and Patrol Division conducted a DUI checkpoint in the area of Dinuba and Ferguson. During the course of this detail there were (238) vehicles checked, with (8) FST's given, resulting in (2) DUI arrests. There were also (9) citations for unlicensed driving and (3) citations for driving on a suspended license issued as well as (20) additional citations issued for other offenses. (3) vehicles were towed during the checkpoint.

The DUI Enforcement Team and other units of the Visalia Police Department will be conducting additional details aimed at deterring drinking and driving. Funding for this program was provided by a grant from the Office of Traffic Safety, through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

If you have any questions, contact Sergeant Damon Maurice at 713-4216.

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