****FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Enter Month, Day and Year

Contact: Enter First and Last Name, Title, Email and Phone Number

**Enter Number Cited During Bicycle, Pedestrian Safety Enforcement Operation**

Enter Your City, Calif. – Enter Your City/County Sheriff’s Department issued Enter number of citations for a variety of violations made by bicyclists, pedestrians and drivers Delete a category (bicyclists, pedestrians or drivers) if no citations were issued during a bicycle and pedestrian safety enforcement operation on Enter month and date.

The operation took place at Enter locations/intersections of enforcement. Enter city of enforcement if no locations specified from Enter time a.m. to p.m. or p.m. to p.m. Enter number of people who were stopped people were contacted during the operation.

Enter number of bicyclists cited bicyclists were cited for violations including Enter specific violation such as CVC 21650.1 Must ride in the same direction as traffic, 22107 Unsafe turn, 22350 Unsafe speed, 21200.5 DUI on a bicycle, 21208(a) Must use bike lane when available, 21453/21453(a) Failure to stop at red light/red, 21801 Failure to yield/21804(a) Failure to yield right-of-way or any other vehicle code violation not listed above. Delete sentence if no arrests or not applicable. In addition, Enter number of pedestrians cited people were cited for violations including Enter CVC violation types as applicable 21950(a) Right-of-way at crosswalk; vehicle yield to pedestrian, 21954(a) Pedestrian outside of crosswalks failure to yield, 21955 jaywalking, 647(f)PC Public intoxication or any other vehicle code violation not listed above. Enter number of drivers drivers were cited for violations including Enter CVC violation types as applicable 21950(a) Driver failure to yield, 21950(c) Unsafe speed at crosswalks, 21979 blocking crosswalk, 22107 Unsafe turn, 21760(b) 3 feet rule passing bicyclist, or any other vehicle code violation not listed above.

“The goal of this operation is to educate bicyclists, drivers and pedestrians on the rules of the road intended to keep everyone safe,” Enter Name of Police/Sheriff’s Department Enter Rank, First Name, Last Name said. “No matter which way you get around, you play a part in making sure everyone is getting to where they need to go safely.”

The number of crashes involving bicyclists and pedestrians continue to rise at an alarming rate. So far this year, Enter number of bicyclists killed bicyclists have been killed and Enter number of bicyclists injured injured in Enter your city or county. Enter number of pedestrians killed pedestrians have been killed and another Enter number of pedestrians injured over the same time period.

Enter Name of Police/Sheriff’s Department will be holding another bicycle and pedestrian safety enforcement operation on Enter Month and Day.

Delete if not applicable Funding for this program was provided by a grant from the California Office of Traffic Safety, through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

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