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# NEWS RELEASE

<b>Today's Date:</b> August 22, 2016	<b>Time:</b> 2:00 PM	<b>Release Authorized By:</b> Lt. Darrin Devereux
<b>Date of Incident:</b> September 2, 2016		
<b>Location:</b> Undisclosed location in Brea		
<b>Type of Crime or Incident:</b> DUI Checkpoint		

On Friday, September 2nd, 2016, the Brea Police Department will conduct a Driving Under the Influence (DUI) Checkpoint in the City of Brea. The checkpoint will be held at an undisclosed location in the city from approximately 9:00 PM to 3:00 AM.

The checkpoint is one tool employed by the police department to reduce the percentage of alcohol related traffic collisions in the city. Checkpoints aid enforcement efforts during specific days and times, such as the upcoming Labor Day weekend.

The Brea Police Department's goal is to deter drinking drivers and make the roadways safer for everyone. Aside from the obvious risks of killing yourself or someone else, driving impaired can also lead to serious punitive consequences. A DUI arrest can mean time in jail, loss of your license, and steep financial expenses; the average DUI can cost up to \$10,000.

This checkpoint is being conducted due to a recently received grant, with funding provided from the California Office of Traffic Safety, through the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

For additional information contact Lt. Darrin Devereux (714) 990-7748  
or after hours, call the on-duty Watch Commander at (714) 990-7624.