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The Franklin Park Police Department Announces Distracted Driving Enforcement Results for April 2026

(Franklin Park, IL.) – The Franklin Park Police Department announced it issued seventy-two (72) citations for distracted driving violations and thirty-seven (37) additional citations for various traffic offenses during April's Distracted Driving Awareness Month enforcement campaign.

"Distracted driving remains a serious problem in Franklin Park, and one moment of inattention can change lives forever," said Chief Ferris. "High-visibility enforcement is one way we remind drivers that safe driving requires their full attention. April may be over, but our message is not. The Franklin Park Police Department will continue enforcing distracted driving laws and urging motorists to put the phone away whenever they get behind the wheel."

The Franklin Park 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 was funded with federal traffic safety funds administered by the Illinois Department of Transportation.

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