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**Results from extra traffic patrols from April 2020.
Upcoming extra traffic patrols in spring/summer 2020.**

The Benton County Sheriff's Office worked extra patrols throughout the month of April 2020. During regular patrols and extra patrols (funded by grants) in April 2020, the sheriff's office had the following activity levels measured in citations and arrests. The Benton County Sheriff's Office arrested 7 for DUII (Alcohol, drug, and/or inhalant), issued citations or arrested 16 for Driving While Suspended, issued 46 citations for speeding, and about 52 other citations for various violations. Deputies responded to 10 traffic crashes with 3 involving injuries.

The sheriff's office will be participating in extra patrols enforcing speed, safety belt, child seat, distracted driving, and DUII laws throughout the grant year which runs through September 30, 2020. Specifically there will be targeted patrols for those not wearing safety belts from May 18 through May 31, 2020.

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