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Washington State Patrol Conducts Emphasis Patrol

Clark County, Wash. – On Tuesday, July 15th, the Washington State Patrol (WSP) conducted an emphasis patrol informed by agency-driven data identifying peak collision times and days. By strategically deploying our resources, we focused enforcement on collision-related violations over a targeted several-hour period.

Our efforts included support from the Target Zero Team (TZT), Motors Unit, Commercial Vehicle Division, and traffic safety overtime personnel, all working proactively across Clark County.

Patrol Outcomes:

- **Vehicles Stopped:** 97
- **Total Violations:** 113
- **Violation Types:** Speeding, improper lane usage, use of electronic devices, and failure to wear safety belts—just to name a few.
- **Commercial Vehicles:** 8 Commercial Motor Vehicles were stopped and subsequently inspected for violations.

A total of 15 WSP units participated in the emphasis patrol, reinforcing a strong and coordinated effort to improve traffic safety and reduce collision-related violations across the region.

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