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School Zone Enforcement Detail Conducted by Lake Oswego Police

The Lake Oswego Police Department conducted a School Zone Enforcement detail on Thursday, September 1, 2016. The morning detail along Country Club Road adjacent to Lake Oswego High School started at 7:15 am and finished at 8:30 am. This detail was conducted during the posted 20mph school speed designation.

During the hour plus long operation, a total of 20 citations were issued. The highest speed cited was 41 mph and the lowest speed cited was 32mph. The average speed cited was 34 mph in the posted 20mph school zone. All speeding citations were a minimum fine amount of \$320. The fastest speed, 41 mph, incurred a fine amount of \$520. That driver was also violation suspended and an additional fine of \$870 was added to the speeding violation. Because all fines double in school zone his total citation was \$1,390.

We encourage all drivers to please be aware of their speeds in the school zones throughout Lake Oswego. Safety and voluntarily compliance is the police department's goal.

The School Zone Enforcement detail was made possible with funds received from a traffic safety grant designed to promote pedestrian awareness and safety as well as driver awareness and safety from Clackamas County Department of Transportation Traffic Safety.

The next School Zone Enforcement detail will occur on Thursday, September 22, 2016, from 8:30 am to 9:30 am at Lake Grove Elementary located on Boones Ferry Road.