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## ***NEWS RELEASE***

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### **Weekend Lakefront Initiative Results in Arrest of Felon With Firearm; Citations for Disorderly Acts**



Milwaukee, WI –As part of Sheriff David A. Clarke’s lakefront and parks safety initiative, the Targeted Enforcement Unit (TEU) was deployed at the lakefront and county parks throughout the weekend due to the warm weather that attracted a large number of people to enjoy these public places. Sheriff deputies issued 15 citations over the weekend at the lakefront for acts of disorder, and a traffic stop on Lincoln Memorial Drive resulted in the recovery of a loaded 9mm handgun that was in possession of a convicted felon.

On Sunday, just before 3:00 p.m., officers assigned to the TEU conducted a traffic stop of an unregistered vehicle in a parking lot near the intersection of Ravine Road and Lincoln Memorial Drive. The driver, a 21-year old Milwaukee man, was also cited for Operating without a Valid Driver’s License.

“A felon possessing a firearm is exactly the type of prohibited person I do not want entering into a crowded public space,” said Sheriff Clarke. “This type of person will typically settle minor disputes such as being looked at wrong, or a minor traffic incident, by firing shots.”

The subject was taken into custody and conveyed to the county jail (CCF-C) pending charges of Felon in Possession of a Firearm, to be reviewed by the District Attorney’s office today.

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