

## Indiana State Excise Police News Release

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## Excise Police Issue 27 Tickets at Tampico Tractor Pull

TAMPICO, Ind. — Indiana State Excise Police officers issued 27 summonses at the 45<sup>th</sup> annual Grassy Fork Volunteer Fire Department Truck/Tractor Pull June 17-18 in Tampico, Jackson County, Indiana.

Excise officers worked around the Tampico tractor pull and parking lots, primarily using plain-clothes officers looking for alcohol and tobacco violations. This year, excise officers issued the following summonses:

- 11 Minor Possession of Alcoholic Beverage
- 5 Juvenile Possession of Alcoholic Beverage
- 10 Juvenile Possession of Tobacco
- 1 Furnishing Tobacco to a Juvenile

All of those cited for illegal possession will appear in Jackson County Superior Court. Juveniles were all released to a parent or guardian and will also appear in court on a later date.

Indiana State Excise Police is the law enforcement division of the Indiana Alcohol and Tobacco Commission. While excise officers are empowered to enforce any state law, they focus primarily on alcohol, tobacco and related violations.