

Maricopa County Sheriff's Office
Joe Arpaio, Sheriff
News Brief

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Sheriff's Deputies Arrest 67 Illegal Aliens in Thirteen Days

Late last night within an hour and a half, Maricopa County Sheriff's deputies, on three separate incidents, arrested 30 illegal aliens. The three traffic stops occurred near Interstate 17 and New River Road.

The 30 illegal aliens were taken into custody, 24 of them were charged with felonies under the State human smuggling law.

In the past thirteen days, deputies have arrested 67 illegal aliens, 56 were charged with felony illegal immigration laws.

Sheriff Arpaio will have a press conference today at 1:30 PM explaining why he is incarcerating illegal aliens in Tent City.