



McAllen Police Department

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“Click It or Ticket” Campaign

The McAllen Police Department, in partnership with the Texas Department of Transportation and other Hidalgo County law enforcement agencies, will be participating in the **Click It or Ticket** campaign which will run from **Monday May 24, 2021 through Sunday June 6, 2021** in an effort to promote safe driving with its educational and enforcement efforts.

The McAllen Police Department will have officers on regular and overtime status during this period looking for drivers and passengers who are not buckled up, including drivers who do not secure children in a child safety seat. Texas law requires drivers and all passengers in a vehicle to be secured by a safety belt. Children under the age of 8 years old are required to be in a child car seat or booster seat.

Memorial Day weekend marks the unofficial start of summer, a popular time for traveling to visit family and friends. Whether you are traveling down the block or across the country, make sure you buckle up every time.

Wearing a seat belt remains the most important and effective step motorist can take to prevent being injured or killed in a traffic crash. Instead of putting yourself and others in danger, remember: buckle up day and night, every rider, every ride.

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