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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Date: Wednesday, June 10 2009
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Riverside Police Host Community Car Seat Clinic **Is your child buckled up correctly every time they ride?**

Riverside, CA – Motor vehicle crashes are the leading cause of death among children in the United States. In an effort to respond to this problem, the Riverside Police Department, in conjunction with Riverside County Injury Prevention Services, and Inland Empire Safe Kids will host a community child safety seat clinic on Friday, June 12, 2009.

Certified Child Restraint Technicians will be available to check child restraints for proper usage, proper fit for the child, and any product recalls. Parents will be provided with a one on one review of their child restraint and will assist with the installation of their children's restraint(s) to insure that they will be able to secure the child properly every time they ride. Parents and caregivers are urged to call and make an appointment to avoid waiting in long lines.

When: Friday, June 12, 2009 -- 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Where: Riverside Police Magnolia Station, 10540 Magnolia Ave, Riverside

Don't wait... Call Injury Prevention Services for an appointment at (951) 358-7171 or e-mail our Traffic Education Coordinator, Nicolle Macarter at nmacarter@riversideca.gov

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