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RIVERSIDE POLICE HOST FREE CAR FIT CLINIC **MAKE SURE YOU “FIT” PROPERLY IN YOUR VEHICLE FOR A SAFER RIDE**

Riverside, California: To assist senior drivers find a better “fit” with their vehicles for comfort and safety, the Riverside Police Department will be hosting a Free Car Fit checkup event on Wednesday, January 27, 2016. Car Fit is a national program developed by AAA, AARP and the American Occupational Therapy Association and is designed to give a quick, yet comprehensive check on how well an older driver and their vehicle work together.

Car Fit is a free, interactive and educational program that teaches participants how to make their personal vehicles “fit” them to increase safety and mobility when they hit the road. Trained volunteers will be on hand to complete a 12-point checklist of you and your vehicle such as adequate space from the steering wheel, proper seat belt use, and properly adjusted head restraints.

What: Free Car Fit Clinic

When: Wednesday, January 27, 2016, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Where: Riverside Police Department

10540 Magnolia Ave. Ste B

Riverside, CA 92505

Each checkup takes about 20 minutes. This is not a driving test or mechanical inspection. To schedule your appointment, please call Nicolle DeFries at (951) 826-5674. For more information about Car Fit visit www.car-fit.org

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CARFit



Helping Mature Drivers Find Their Safest Fit

Discover your perfect “fit.” Attend a **FREE** Car Fit Checkup!

CarFit is a **FREE**, interactive and educational program that teaches participants how to make their personal vehicle “fit” them to increase safety and mobility when they hit the road.

- > Review 12 key areas of your fit to your car such as adequate space from the steering wheel, proper seat belt use, and properly adjusted head restraints.
- > Learn how to use and adjust your safety devices.
- > Each checkup takes about 20 minutes— this is not a driving test or mechanical inspection.

To schedule your 20-minute appointment, please call the appropriate number listed on the right. Appointment spaces are limited, so don't wait!

For more information, visit www.car-fit.org.

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*** FREE take home resources & goody bags for attendees**

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