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GEORGIA TRAFFIC INJURY PREVENTION INSTITUTE

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BUCKLE UP, AMERICA! AWARDS

Buckle Up, America! Awards recognize those individuals, agencies, community and civic groups who work to reduce injuries and prevent fatalities in Georgia through involvement with seat belt and child safety seat awareness projects. Any individual, group, business, or other type of public or private organization is eligible for this award.

Entries are encouraged in one of the following categories:

**Law Enforcement
Fire/EMS/Medical
Health Department
Media**

**Community Partner
Corporate
Education
Volunteer**

Submission requirements:

- All nomination entries and supplemental material must be received by **May 16, 2011**
- Only one entry per organization or individual
- Limit narrative for each nomination to 250 words or less
- Number each page and label with nominee's name

Entries must include the following:

- Complete name, address and telephone number of your nominee
- Specific issue, need or opportunity the project addressed
- Project activities and nominee's involvement
- Results that show in what way(s) the stated objectives were met
- Evaluation results
- Support materials - limit your selection to the few items that best represent the effort

Please note: The nominating individual or organization may be asked to submit additional information to the judging committee.

Submit your nominations to the Georgia Traffic Injury Prevention Institute via:

**U.S. MAIL: The University of Georgia Traffic Injury Prevention Institute
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Eligibility Checklist

Submissions are due by **May 16, 2011**.

- _____ Nominee must be based in Georgia
- _____ Nominee can be an individual or an organization
- _____ Nominations must include details of the nominee's ongoing injury prevention activities
- _____ Individuals or groups may nominate themselves

Please comment on the nominee's involvement in the following categories.
(Comments are limited to 250 words or less.)

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Describe the nominee's community (e.g. urban, rural, suburban, city, county, state) and how the nominee collaborates with his/her community to address injury prevention. What other organizations, individuals or audiences does the nominee work with or reach?

INJURY PREVENTION ACTIVITIES

- Describe and list the nominee's injury prevention activities. Are these activities a part of his/her job responsibilities or conducted on a volunteer basis?

ADVOCACY

- Describe any advocacy role(s) the nominee has taken to promote injury prevention in the field of traffic safety. For example, has the nominee participated in legislative activities or promoted injury prevention initiatives through media?

LEADERSHIP

- Describe any leadership role(s) the nominee has taken to promote injury prevention. For example, has the nominee participated in fundraising efforts or spearheaded/organized any activities?

MERIT

- In your opinion, what special qualities does this nominee possess? What unique attributes or talents does this nominee demonstrate?