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Middle Plantation Civic League Safety Alert

The following is an alert that was sent to us by our liaison with the police department....

“CLICK IT OR TICKET” VIRGINIA BEACH!

In an effort to save more lives on Virginia’s roadways this spring, the Virginia Beach Police Department is partnering with State and other local law enforcement agencies to buckle down on all motorists not buckled up. **Special seat belt checkpoints and other stepped-up law enforcement activities will be conducted during a heavy wave of enforcement, May 23 – June 5.**

Virginia Law allows law enforcement to cite anyone driving a car in which an occupant under age 18 is not wearing a safety belt or is not properly secured in a child safety seat. The law also provides that drivers stopped for other violations can be cited if they are not properly restrained. This also applies to all front seat passengers.