

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Monday, March 15, 2010

## FIREFIGHTERS TO CONDUCT CHILD SAFETY SEAT INSPECTIONS SATURDAY

Firefighters from St. Tammany Fire Protection District No. 1 will be at the Wal-Mart on Northshore Boulevard this Saturday from noon to 3 p.m. conducting free inspections of child safety seats.

The event is sponsored in part by the Louisiana Passenger Safety Task Force and the Louisiana Highway Safety Commission.

Some studies suggest that more than 90 percent of child safety seats are improperly installed, enhancing the risk of injury or death in even a minor traffic accident or collision. FD1 wants to work with citizens to keep children safe when traveling.

The purpose of the event is not to issue citations for improper safety seat use. Parents and others who care for children are urged to visit the inspection station on Saturday.

For more information, visit www.stfpd1.org.

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## FREE Child Safety Seat Check



Saturday March 20, 2010 12:00 pm - 3:00 pm Walmart 167 Northshore Blvd Slidell, LA 70460

96 % of Child Safety Seats are used incorrectly!

IS YOURS?

