



## Media Advisory

### INTERVIEW AND PHOTO OPPORTUNITY

## Michigan's new safety belt law turns two

Increased enforcement keeps seat belt use on the rise

- What:** Press conference to report on Michigan's new safety belt law progress after two years, announce latest statistics and research, and March's statewide crack-down on safety belt enforcement
- Who:** Michigan Office of Highway Safety Planning (OHSP), Michigan State Police, county sheriff departments and local police agencies.
- Speakers:**  
**Major Tim Yungfer**, Commander, Office of the Director, Michigan Department of State Police  
**Dr. David Johnson**, Deputy Director and Chief Medical Executive, Michigan Department of Community Health  
**Betty J. Mercer**, Division Director, OHSP
- When:** Monday, March 4, 2002 at 10 a.m.
- Where:** Michigan State Capitol, First Floor Rotunda, Lansing, Michigan (517) 373-2348
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