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## **NEWS RELEASE**

**For Immediate Release**

### **Lexington P.D. Kicks Off Drive Thru Car Seat Checks**

**Lexington, SC** (April 6, 2015) – The Lexington Police Department is beginning a series of drive through car seat checks which begin tomorrow morning, April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2015, from 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. at the Town of Lexington municipal building located at 111 Maiden Lane, Lexington, South Carolina.

Officers, who are also certified Child Passenger Seat Technicians, will be checking to make sure car seats are installed correctly, instruct parents on the best passenger seat types for their child's age and weight range, make sure a car seat has not been recalled, and teach parents how to use the child passenger seat correctly at all times.

A child's safety while riding within a vehicle is always important and making sure that the car seat is installed correctly is easy for a CPS Technician to check. A few minutes spent to have a child seat checked could be important during the event of a traffic collision.

The Lexington Police Department is planning on conducting these events quarterly through the year and we are pleased that Krispy Kreme and Bojangles are assisting in sponsoring these events by providing a free cup of coffee, donut, or biscuit at each event.

If you have any questions please contact Corporal Cameron Mortenson at 803-358-1504 or by email at [cmortenson@lexsc.com](mailto:cmortenson@lexsc.com).



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