

# DALLAS DISTRICT PROGRESS

Monthly Report on Dallas District Projects and Topics ★★★ COLLIN CO. | DALLAS CO. | DENTON CO. | ELLIS CO. | KAUFMAN CO. | NAVARRO CO. | ROCKWALL CO.

## TxDOT'S "TEEN CLICK IT OR TICKET" CAMPAIGN AIMS TO INCREASE TEEN SEAT BELT USE

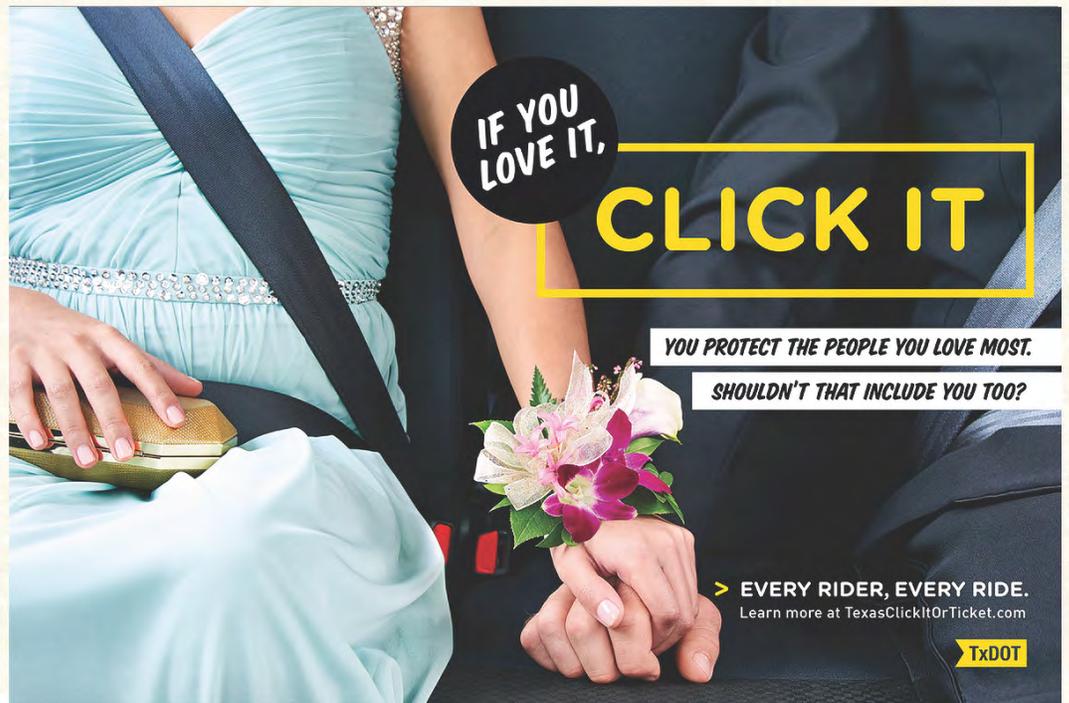
**Vehicle crashes** are the leading cause of death among teenagers with nearly half not wearing a seat belt. In 2018, of the 264 teen drivers and passengers killed in vehicle crashes in Texas, 111 were unrestrained. Buckling up is the best protection in a crash. That's why TxDOT's "Teen Click It or Ticket" campaign urges teens to click it each time they are in a vehicle as a driver or a passenger.

"For teens, getting a driver's license is a rite of passage, but when they start driving, they aren't thinking about how their lack of experience places them at greater risk of getting in a crash," said TxDOT Executive Director James Bass. "Tragedy can strike in an instant which is why we hope all parents, teachers and other influencers are urging teens to buckle up each time no matter how short the trip may be."

This is a busy time of year that includes spring break, prom and graduation. That's why the "Teen Click It or Ticket" campaign will reach out to Texas teens through TV, radio, digital advertising and social media. The campaign will also feature interactive events at Texas high schools that includes a mangled truck from a rollover crash

where two teens were able to walk away with only minor scratches thanks to the smart decision to buckle up.

"Teen Click It or Ticket" is a key component of #EndTheStreakTX, a broader social media and word-of-mouth effort that encourages drivers to make safer choices while behind the wheel, like wearing a seat belt, driving the speed limit and never driving under the influence.



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Poster for the "Teen Click It or Ticket" campaign which targets teen drivers.

- UNBUCKLED DRIVERS AND PASSENGERS, EVEN THOSE IN THE BACK SEAT, FACE FINES AND COURT COSTS UP TO \$200**
- DRIVERS UNDER THE AGE OF 18 IN THE GRADUATED DRIVER LICENSE PROGRAM COULD RISK LICENSE SUSPENSION IF THEY RECEIVE A SEAT BELT CITATION**

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## FEBRUARY 2020 LET PROJECTS (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

CSJ NUMBER	HWY	LIMITS	TYPE OF WORK	COST EST. (M)	BID (M)	(%)	EST. TOTAL COST (M)*	CONTRACTOR	
---	0918-47-179*	VA	Various locations in the City of Dallas	Improve traffic signals	\$1.58	\$1.48	-6.31%	\$2.19	Durable Specialties, Inc.
				<b>EST. FEBRUARY 2020 TOTALS</b>	\$1.58	\$1.48	-6.31%	\$2.19	
				<b>DISTRICT FY ACCUMULATIVE LETTINGS</b>	\$176.00	\$184.17			
				<b>DALLAS DISTRICT FY LETTING VOLUME CAP</b>	<b>\$235.08 M</b>				

\*Unmapped.

\*Estimated Total Project Costs includes est. PE, ROW, E&C, Indirect Costs and Potential Change Order Costs at the time of bid.

## MARCH 2020 PROJECTED LETTING PROJECTS (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

	CSJ NUMBER	HWY	LIMITS	TYPE OF WORK	EST. COST (M)
1	0353-06-068	SH 114	Install guide signs	Tarrant County Line to Rochelle Blvd.	\$0.99
2	2681-01-025	FM 2499	Full depth concrete repairs and pavement markings	FM 1171 to Tarrant County Line	\$1.22
3	0081-13-066	I-35W; FM 156	Mill, overlay, full depth repair and pavement markings	Tarrant County Line (NB) to south of SH 114	\$6.05
4	0135-02-062	US 380	Install continuous illumination & DMS rehabilitation	0.104 miles west of Bois D' Arc Rd. to 0.1 miles west of US 75 southbound frontage rd. and various locations on the Dallas District	\$1.62
5	0430-01-057	SH 352	Reconstruct 4-lane undivided rural to 4-lane divided urban roadway with intersection and sidewalk improvements	North of Kearney St. to US 80 eastbound frontage rd.	\$11.69
<b>ESTIMATED TOTAL</b>					<b>\$21.57 M</b>

## COMPLETED CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS (FROM FEBRUARY 1-29, 2020)

	CSJ NUMBER	HWY	LIMITS	TYPE OF WORK	EST. COST (M)	COMPLETED DATE
1	0081-03-061	US 377	At Marshall Creek in the City of Roanoke	Installation of Traffic Signals	\$1.33	2/7/2020
2	0596-02-037	FM 66	At West Fork Weakly Branch	Replace Bridge and Approaches	\$2.69	2/7/2020
3	1211-01-018	FM 984	At Draw, 1.7 mi South of SH 34 and at Onion Creek Relief 1 & 2	Replace Bridge and Approaches	\$2.33	2/11/2020
<b>ESTIMATED TOTAL</b>					<b>\$6.35 M</b>	

SOURCE: Texas Department of Transportation.

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# DALLAS DISTRICT PROJECTS MAP

Colored and numbered boxes correspond with the charts on page 2 and show projects that have let in **February**, are projected to let in **March**, or have recently been **completed**.



## 2019 DALLAS DISTRICT ESTIMATE TOTALS

VEHICLE REGISTRATION | 4,085,742  
 \*POPULATION ESTIMATE | 4,905,280  
 LANE MILES | 10,753,693

**A. | COLLIN COUNTY**  
 VEHICLE REGISTRATION: 799,926  
 \*POPULATION ESTIMATE: 1,010,330  
 LANE MILES: 1,462,514

**B. | DALLAS COUNTY**  
 VEHICLE REGISTRATION: 2,155,995  
 \*POPULATION ESTIMATE: 2,554,770  
 LANE MILES: 3,377,212

**C. | DENTON COUNTY**  
 VEHICLE REGISTRATION: 680,143  
 \*POPULATION ESTIMATE: 874,240  
 LANE MILES: 1,633,926

**D. | ELLIS COUNTY**  
 VEHICLE REGISTRATION: 181,071  
 \*POPULATION ESTIMATE: 189,820  
 LANE MILES: 1,526,862

**E. | KAUFMAN COUNTY**  
 VEHICLE REGISTRATION: 124,760  
 \*POPULATION ESTIMATE: 124,850  
 LANE MILES: 1,215,130

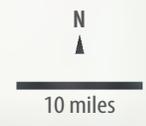
**F. | NAVARRO COUNTY**  
 VEHICLE REGISTRATION: 52,355  
 \*POPULATION ESTIMATE: 50,250  
 LANE MILES: 1,191,856

**G. | ROCKWALL COUNTY**  
 VEHICLE REGISTRATION: 91,492  
 \*POPULATION ESTIMATE: 101,020  
 LANE MILES: 346,193



(INFORMATION FOR EACH COUNTY IS IN THE BLUE SIDEBAR AT RIGHT)

LEGEND	
	LET
	PROJECTED
	COMPLETED
	TOLL ROAD



SOURCE: TxDOT research.  
 \*POPULATION ESTIMATE: NCTCOG.

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**TxDOT was joined** by Denton County Judge Andy Eads, Commissioner Hugh Coleman and other local officials to celebrate the completion of the FM 720 project on Feb. 12. The \$15 million project widened FM 720 from two to six lanes bringing safety and mobility improvements to the area.

**TxDOT**  
#EndTheStreakTX

**IF YOU LOVE IT, CLICK IT**

**YOU PROTECT THE THINGS YOU LOVE MOST. SHOULDN'T THAT INCLUDE YOU TOO?**

No one expects a crash. But when it happens, anyone or anything with you in your vehicle is at risk. The people and things you're most proud of — your big brother or third-time state championship trophy. Vehicle crashes in Texas are the leading cause of death among people 15 to 20. And in 2018, 42% of Texas teens who died in crashes weren't wearing a seat belt. So if you care about it — put a seat belt on it. *That includes you.*

**EVERY RIDER, EVERY RIDE.**  
Learn more at [TexasClickItOrTicket.com](http://TexasClickItOrTicket.com)

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**Denton County** Area Engineer Tina Massey and Denton County Judge Andy Eads speak at the FM 720 Ribbon Cutting ceremony.



**KUDOS!** | Public Comment:

**At left:** Another great advert for the "Teen Click It or Ticket" campaign.

**Mr. Kenneth W. of Dallas, TX:**

"I wanted to commend TxDOT or whom-ever it may concern for taking precautions this past week and treating our highways in Dallas County for freezing rain. Thank you."

SOURCE: TxDOT

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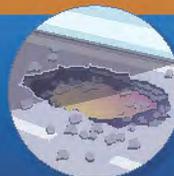
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