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RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE 2026 CLICK IT OR TICKET
MOBILIZATION

WHEREAS, the Borough of Wharton is committed to promoting safety for all motorists; and

WHEREAS, in 2024, the seat belt usage rate was 91%, yet many fatalities still occur due to unbuckled occupants, particularly among younger drivers; and

WHEREAS, the NHTSA is launching the national “Click It or Ticket” campaign from May 18 – May 31, 2026, to enforce seat belt laws; and

WHEREAS, increased enforcement of seat belt laws, combined with awareness efforts, is proven to reduce the risk of injury or death in motor vehicle crashes; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of Wharton Police Department will participate in this national effort to boost awareness and safety;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Borough of Wharton formally supports the 2026 "Click It or Ticket" mobilization and urges all residents to buckle up, every trip, every time.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the community is reminded that seat belts save lives, and law enforcement will be actively enforcing safety belt laws to ensure the safety of our roads.

Adopted: April 20, 2026

BOROUGH OF WHARTON

ATTEST:

VINCENT BINKOSKI,
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