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## FCCI to Kick Off "I Promise to Drive Cell Phone-Free" Campaign

SARASOTA, Fla. – March 28, 2017 – Sarasota-based FCCI Insurance Group will kick off a month-long "I Promise to Drive Cell Phone-Free" campaign in April – Distracted Driving Awareness Month. Teammates and their family members will make a commitment to drive cell phone-free for the month. Several FCCI officers and members of the Risk Control leadership team have already signed pledge cards to make their commitment official. Participants will be

given removable stickers to place in their vehicle or on their phone to remind them not to use their phone while driving.

The purpose of this campaign is to promote safer and less distracted driving behaviors that will continue long after the month of April. Teammates who participate in the month-long campaign will receive weekly educational emails, and if they maintain distracted-free driving for the entire month, they will be entered to win a gift card. FCCI Risk Control will hold a Driving Awareness Training Workshop as well.



This campaign will demonstrate how committed FCCI is to safety. "Distracted driving has become a dangerous epidemic, and we want to do our part to try to stop cell phone use behind the wheel. We care about our teammates' safety, and we also want to encourage their families and our agents and policyholders to put down their phones while driving, too," says Michael Janicki, FCCI's Managing Director, Risk Control.

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