

# Robeson County Vision Zero Coalition

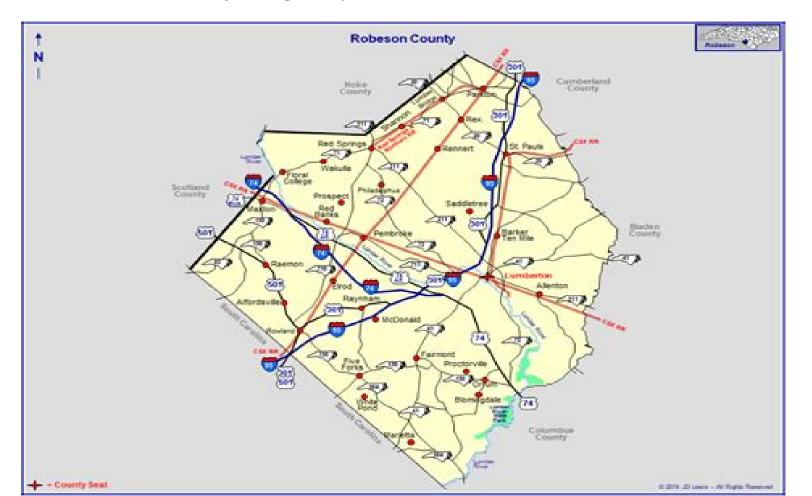


**Executive Committee for Highway Safety** 

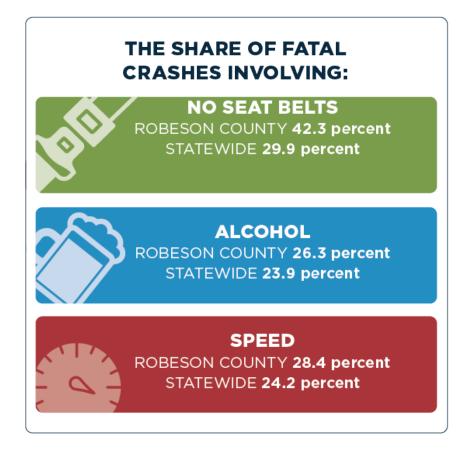
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### **Facts about Robeson County**

- Largest county geographically in NC
- Most diverse: 33% Black; 33% American Indian (Lumbee); 33% White
  - Two major highways and lots of rural roads



# **Primary Factors**



Source: NCDOT's Division of Mobility and Safety, 2013-2017 figures

# Robeson County Vision Zero Task Force

- Held first task force meeting at UNC-Pembroke on Feb. 15, 2018; Regular monthly meetings
- Community-led, supported by others as requested
- Data-driven
- Multi-agency
- First county wide VZ site



# **Example of Partners: Locally Led!!**

- Robeson County
- UNC Pembroke
- Robeson Community College
- Robeson Co Sheriff's Office
- District Attorney's Office
- Public Schools of Robeson County
- Southeastern Health
- Mountaire Farms
- N.C. Highway Patrol
- N.C. Governor's Highway Safety Program
- N.C. Department of Transportation











#### Successful Activities: 2018-2021

 Seatbelt diversion program & safety class by Southeastern Health

- GHSP grants to law enforcement
- New DWI court through D.A's office
- Spanish version rack cards
- Significant infrastructure investments (roundabouts, crosswalks, etc.)
- Rural Route Safety Initiative (National Governor's Association, NCDOT and GHSP)





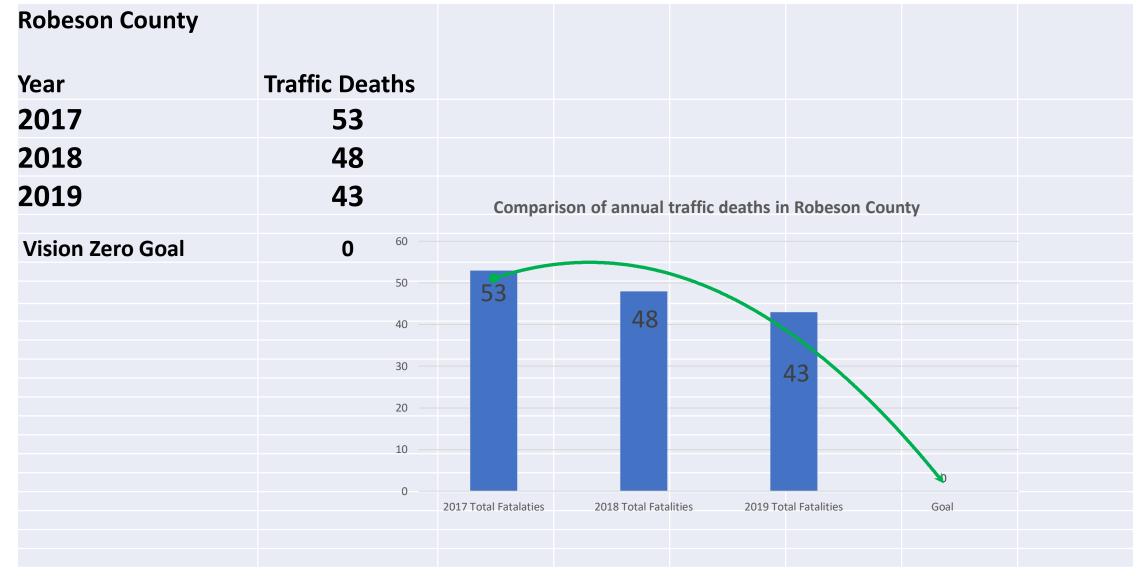
#### Successful Activities-2018-2020

- DON"T ROB ROBESON campaign
- SEATS vehicle advertising conducted earlier this year
- Other advertising efforts through NC DOT and GHSP



# DON'T ROB ROBESON COUNTY OF MORE LIVES. #BuckleUp #EverySeatEveryTime NCVisionZero.org/Robeson

# Fatalities Drop 2 Straight Years





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#### **Questions?**



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