



# Automated Red Light Camera Enforcement

**SafeLight**  
*Dallas Stops on Red!*



Presented to: Automated Red Light Enforcement Commission

Date: Tuesday, October 11, 2011

# FY 10-11 PERFORMANCE

## October 2010 – September 2011

	OCT	NOV	DEC	1st Qtr Total
Citations Issued	10,239	8,877	7,398	26,514

	JAN	FEB	MAR	2nd Qtr Total
Citations Issued	9,273	8,634	10,047	27,954

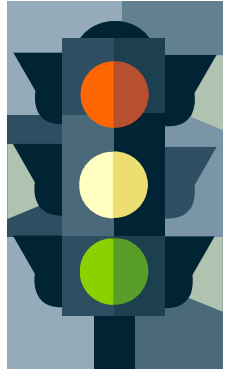
	APR	MAY	JUN	3rd Qtr Total
Citations Issued	11,570	11,357	12,868	35,795

	JUL	AUG	SEPT	4th Qtr Total
Citations Issued	12,297	10,545	11,410*	22,842

\*: Citation process for Sept. 2011 has not been completed; the number is an estimate based on the number of citations mailed and number of incidents in process.

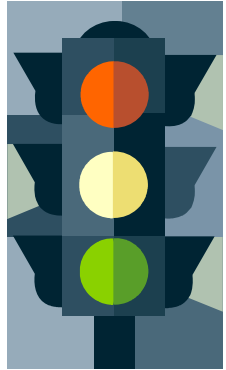
FY 10-11 citations issued

113,105



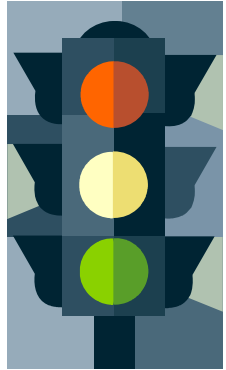
## PROGRAM UPDATE FY 10-11 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Completed kiosks project: Over 125 SafeLight Posters throughout the City of Dallas spreading statistical information about the program's progress and performance along with a "Do not text and drive" message.
- North Dallas Kiwanis Club, November 10, 2010
- Staff joined nixle.com, a community involvement news organization.
- Omega Driving School – Monday, March 28<sup>th</sup>
- DPD North Central Neighborhood Safety Fair- May 14<sup>th</sup>
- DPD Northeast Division Kids Safety Fair- May 21<sup>st</sup>
- Added 4 new cameras and relocated 6 from March 28<sup>th</sup> – June 22<sup>nd</sup>  
(see pgs. 19-20, listed in red)



PROGRAM UPDATE  
FY 10-11 ACCOMPLISHMENTS  
continued

- The Mayor's Back to School Fair – August 4<sup>th</sup>
- National Stop on Red Week – August 10<sup>th</sup>
- New Thought Fellowship Church Back to School Festival – August 20<sup>th</sup>
- National Night Out – October 04, 2011



## Marketing Update

### Scheduled Events:

- Texas State Fair Exhibitor – Coliseum Foyer, from 10 am – 10 pm.
  - **Friday, September 30th**
  - **Saturday, October 8<sup>th</sup>**
  - **Sunday, October 23<sup>rd</sup>**

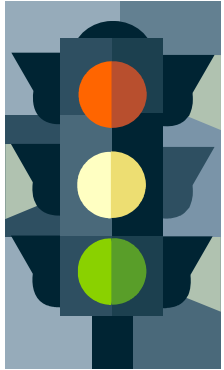
# HOUSTON RED LIGHT CAMERA PROGRAM SUMMARY

- In August 2010, a petition was created in Houston to reject the RLC program and turn off 70 cameras
- Houston voters rejected the RLC program by 53% in November 2010 through a referendum that the Mayor placed on the ballot despite being informed that the referendum violated city charter deadlines for contesting ordinances. The Mayor placed it on the ballot because she was confronted with a 50,000 signature petition.
- The vendor, ATS, sued the city after the Mayor ordered the cameras to be turned off, alleging that the city owed \$25 million in actual damages not including punitive damages and attorney fees. ATS was willing to give Houston a “clean slate” offering not to pursue damages for the eight months the city had the cameras off if they kept the cameras on until December 31, 2013, five months before the contract expired May 2014.
- U.S. District Judge Lynn Hayes provided a summary judgment, agreeing with ATS that the proposition was a referendum to repeal the ordinance and that it was too late.

# HOUSTON RED LIGHT CAMERA PROGRAM SUMMARY (continue)

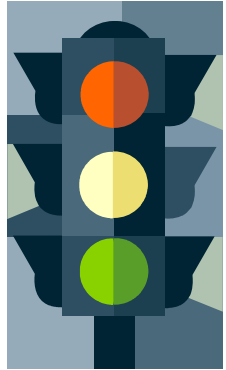
- Cameras were ordered back on by the Mayor
- A Federal Judge stated that the referendum was illegal, however, cameras were turned back on while the city appealed the judge's ruling
- Houston City Council approved a resolution and voted August 24, 2011 to permanently turn the cameras off and repeal the ordinance, canceling the program's contract going against the Judge's ruling that said the city illegally put the referendum on the ballot.
- ATS and Houston are in contract mediation.
- Information retrieved from various Houston Chronicle internet articles.

# Tentative Meeting Dates for 2012



- Tuesday, January 10, 2012
- Tuesday, April 10, 2012
- Tuesday, July 24, 2012
- Tuesday, October 9, 2012

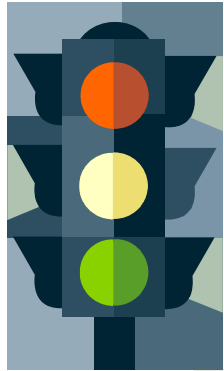




## Appendices

- List of ARC members
- Red Light Camera Map
- Red Light Camera Locations
- 2011 Approved Goals

# Councilmember & Commission Appointee



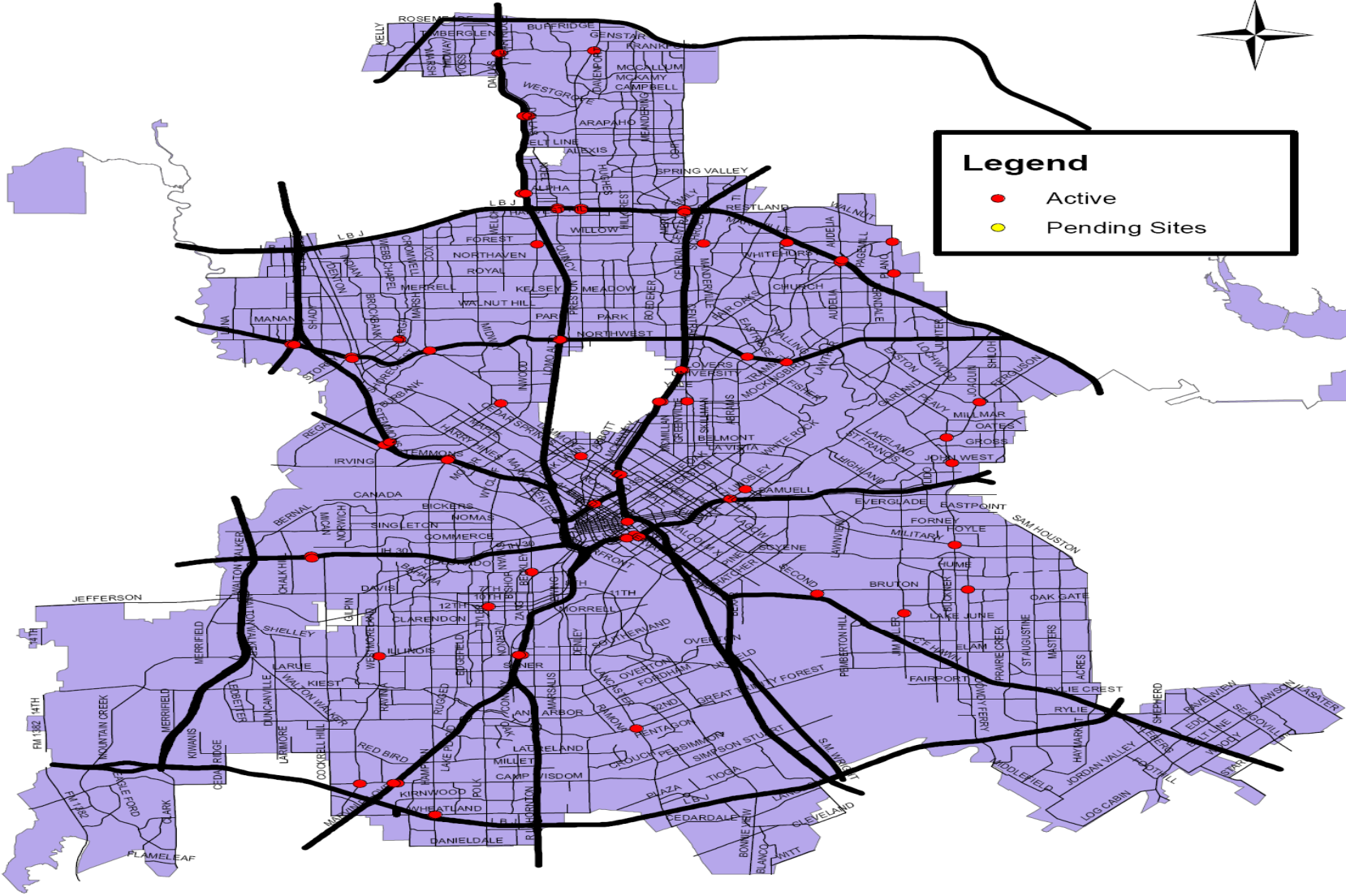
<b>Delia Jasso</b>	<b>VACANT</b>
<b>Mayor Pro Tem, Pauline Medrano</b>	<b>Charlie Chen</b>
<b>Scott Griggs</b>	<b>Ernesto Lopez</b>
<b>Dwaine R. Caraway</b>	<b>VACANT</b>
<b>Vonciel Jones Hill</b>	<b>Yolanda Williams</b>
<b>Monica Alonzo</b>	<b>Jessica Sepulveda</b>
<b>Carolyn R. Davis</b>	<b>VACANT</b>
<b>Deputy Mayor Pro Tem Tennell Atkins</b>	<b>Lionel Churchill</b>
<b>Sheffie Kadane</b>	<b>Ben Davis</b>
<b>Jerry R. Allen</b>	<b>Chick Cowan</b>
<b>Linda Koop</b>	<b>Brett Ferguson (Vice Chair)</b>
<b>Sandy Greyson</b>	<b>Thomas Goyne</b>
<b>Ann Margolin</b>	<b>Edwin Bright</b>
<b>Angela Hunt</b>	<b>VACANT– Rosato, resigned effective 09/09/10</b>
<b>Mayor Mike Rawlings</b>	<b>Raul Magdaleno (Chair)</b>
<b>City Staff</b>	<b>Beth Ramirez</b>

# Red Light Camera Sites



**Legend**

- Active
- Pending Sites



# Camera Locations 1 of 2

1	S 2nd Ave SB @ Bruton Rd	21	Graham Ave EB @ Lindsley Ave
2	Alpha Rd WB @ Dallas Pkwy	22	Greenville Ave NB @ E Mockingbird Ln
3	N Beckley Ave SB @ W Colorado Blvd	23	Griffin St W WB @ S St Paul St
4	N Buckner Blvd NB @ John West Rd	24	S Hampton Rd SB @ W Wheatland Rd
5	<b>Inwood SB @ Stemmons Fwy</b>	25	Harry Hines Blvd SB @ N NW Hwy
6	W Camp Wisdom Rd WB @ S Westmoreland Rd	26	W Illinois Ave EB @ RL Thornton Fwy
7	N Central Expy NB @ E Lovers Ln	27	W Jefferson Blvd EB @ S Tyler St
8	N Central Expy NB @ Lemmon Ave	28	Keller Springs Rd WB @ Knoll Trail Dr
9	N Central Serv W NB @ E Mockingbird Ln	29	<b>I30 Frontage Rd WB @ S. Cockrell Hill Rd.</b>
10	Coit Rd NB @ Banner Dr	30	<b>Buckner NB @ Military Parkway</b>
11	Commerce St EB @ S Central Expy	31	LBJ Fwy WB @ Preston Rd
12	Dallas Pkwy NB @ Keller Springs Rd	32	Lemmon Ave NB @ Oak Lawn Ave
13	Ferguson Rd EB @ Peavy Rd	33	<b>I30 Frontage Rd EB @ S. Cockrell Hill Rd.</b>
14	Ferguson Rd SB @ Gus Thomasson Rd	34	E Ledbetter Dr EB @ S Lancaster Rd
15	Forest Ln EB @ Abrams Rd	35	E Ledbetter Dr WB @ Lancaster Rd
16	Forest Ln EB @ Plano Rd	36	E Lovers Ln WB @ N Central Expy
17	Forest Ln WB @ Inwood Rd	37	Marvin D Love Fwy NB @ W Camp Wisdom Rd
18	Forest Ln WB @ Schroeder Rd	38	<b>E. Northwest Hwy EB @ Trammel Dr</b>
19	Frankford Rd EB @ Preston Rd	39	Montfort Dr SB @ LBJ Serv N
20	Frankford Rd WB @ Dallas Pkwy	40	E Mockingbird Ln WB @ N Central Serv E

# Camera Locations 2 of 2

41	W Mockingbird Ln EB @ John Carpenter Fwy	54	Skillman St SB @ LBJ Fwy
42	W Mockingbird Ln WB @ N Stemmons Serv E	55	Inwood Rd NB @ Stemmons Fwy
43	S Munger Blvd NB @ Lindsley Ave	56	N Walton Walker Blvd SB @ W NW Hwy
44	E NW Hwy WB @ Avenue E / Abrams Rd	57	Webb Chapel Rd SB @ Lombardy Ln
45	N NW Hwy WB @ Dallas North Toll Way	58	S. Westmoreland Rd SB @ Illinois Rd
46	W NW Hwy EB @ Dallas North Tollway	59	Woodall Rodgers Serv S WB @ Olive St
47	W NW Hwy EB @ Marsh Ln / Lemmon Ave	60	Preston SB at Frankford
48	W NW Hwy EB @ N Walton Walker Blvd	61	Preston NB at Frankford
49	W NW Hwy WB @ Marsh Ln / Lemmon Ave	62	Camp Wisdom at Marvin D. Love
50	Preston Rd SB @ LBJ Fwy	63	S Buckner Blvd SB @ Bruton Rd.
51	E R L Thornton Serv N WB @ S Harwood St	64	N Buckner Blvd NB @ Garland Rd
52	E R L Thornton Serv S EB @ S Harwood St	65	Garland Rd EB @ N Buckner Blvd
53	Skillman St NB @ LBJ Fwy	66	Garland Rd WB @ N Buckner Blvd



## 2011 ARC Goals-

1. Increase public awareness meetings
2. Increase media involvement
3. Increase Government Relations and Program Imaging
4. Increase Diversity Outreach