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**Dallas County District Attorney Craig Watkins Leads Team from DA's Office  
in MADD's Signature "Walk Like MADD" Event**

**WHAT:** Dallas County District Attorney (DA) Craig Watkins will lead his team of more than 50 people in the Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) annual fundraising event — Walk Like MADD. The DA's team, also known as the "Torch Carriers," is comprised of office staff, family and friends, and includes both physical and virtual walkers. To date, the "Torch Carriers" have raised more than \$10,000 for this year's event, up significantly from \$700 last year.

Walk Like MADD, MADD's signature walk, is a fun, community-driven 5K walk that raises funds and saves lives. Walk Like MADD supports MADD and its Campaign to Eliminate Drunk Driving which calls for ignition interlocks for all drunk drivers; sobriety checkpoints and/or saturation patrols; community support; and the development and exploration of advanced technologies that will one day make it impossible for someone to drive drunk.

**WHEN:** Saturday, April 19, 2008  
8:30 a.m. CDT

**WHERE:** Williams Square  
5215 N. O'Connor Blvd.  
Irving, Texas 75039

**PHOTO OPS:** DA Watkins with Mary Kardell, executive director, MADD, and other MADD representatives.  
District Attorney Craig Watkins in his event t-shirt walking with his team.

**INFORMATION:** For more information about the Walk Like MADD Dallas event, please call 214-637-0372 or log on to [www.walklikemadd.org](http://www.walklikemadd.org).

The Dallas County District Attorney's (DA) Office is located at the Frank Crowley Courts Building in Dallas, Texas, and is led by District Attorney Craig Watkins, who took office on January 1, 2007. The DA's Office represents the State of Texas in the prosecution of all Dallas County criminal cases. For more information about the Dallas County District Attorney's Office, please visit [www.dallasda.com](http://www.dallasda.com).

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