



# ROAD SAFETY STARTS WITH AWARENESS, COURTESY & CAUTION



**WE ALL SHARE THE ROAD.**

Stay alert, be patient and look out for others. Your actions can prevent a crash and save a life.



## IN WORK ZONES

**Navigate cautiously**

- Slow down, move over – most state laws require you to move over for emergency and hazard vehicles
- Be vigilant – worker activity may encroach into driving lanes
- Share the road – low speed construction vehicles may be entering and leaving driving lanes



## WITH BICYCLISTS

- Be considerate – bicyclists usually have the same rights and responsibilities as motor vehicles
- Be generous – share the lanes and give cyclists room
- Be patient – give them their space and pass with care
- Be aware – use the far hand reach when exiting a parked vehicle



## WITH LARGER VEHICLES

- Avoid blind spots – follow tractor-trailers far enough back to see both outside mirrors
- When passing a truck – cut back only when your rear view can see its front tires on the pavement
- If it's signaling a right turn – stay behind it, away from the curbside, until the turn is completed
- Remember – the larger the vehicle is and the faster it's going, the longer it takes to stop



## WITH MOTORCYCLISTS

- Be prepared – motorcycles can seem to appear out of nowhere
- Drive defensively – scan the roadway for possible motorcycle hazards
- Cooperate – use courtesy and obey the law
- Anticipate – problems and follow at a safe distance behind a motorcycle



## WITH SCHOOL BUSES

**CAUTION: Kids on board**

- Reduce your speed
- Expect children to appear out of nowhere
- Cover the brake
- If its amber lights are flashing, get ready to stop
- If its red lights are flashing and stop arm extended...STOP!



**BE AWARE.  
BE COURTEOUS.  
BE THE DIFFERENCE.**



**AWARENESS + COURTESY + CAUTION = SAFER ROADS FOR EVERYONE**



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