

What You Can Do...

As a driver



Share the Road

- ◆ Our roads are designed for use by pedestrians, bicyclists and motor vehicles.
- ◆ Obey the rules of the road and allow safe passage for everybody.
- ◆ For many pedestrians, walking is their only form of transportation, be courteous and respect their right to share the road.

Give pedestrians a brake

- ◆ Pedestrians have the right of way at marked mid-block crosswalks, at marked and unmarked intersection crosswalks and with a green "WALK" signal.
- ◆ Yellow lights mean prepare to stop -- not speed up!
- ◆ Stop and look for pedestrians crossing when making a right hand turn on a red light.
- ◆ **ALWAYS STOP FOR PEDESTRIANS ENTERING A CROSSWALK**

Slow down and watch out

- ◆ Residential streets are designed for local use. Use major streets as much as possible.
- ◆ Expect the unexpected and be prepared to stop suddenly when children are present.
- ◆ Look for pedestrians when pulling out of driveways, and when driving near vending trucks, buses, parks and schools.

REMEMBER

- ◆ Pedestrians are unable to control the effects of weather, bad drivers, blind spots, etc.
- ◆ Young children are too young to make complicated decisions in dangerous traffic situations.
- ◆ Older adults may not be able to cross quickly or to see or hear approaching cars.
- ◆ Reduce the number of trips you take and walk more often.

Your vehicle is a deadly weapon against a human body. Drive alert and watch out!

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