

Walking/Biking Safety A Shared Responsibility

Be Visible:

- Wear bright/light colored clothing and/or reflective materials
- Use LED lights at night when walking & bicycling. It is the law for bicycling
- Cross the street in a well-lit area
 at night
- Stand clear of buses, hedges, parked cars, or other obstacles before crossing so drivers can see you

Be Predictable:

- Walk facing traffic if there is no sidewalk. Bike <u>with</u> traffic-not against
- Don't assume vehicles will stop -Make eye contact with drivers and <u>communicate your</u> intentions

Be Alert and Aware:

- Look across ALL lanes you cross and visually clear each lane before proceeding
- No headphone or cell phone use
 while walking or bicycling
- Remain sober and alert
- Obey traffic signals, signs, and devices



Transit Safety Try Transit

- Stay back from the curb before
 boarding bus
- Avoid running or bicycling into traffic to catch bus
- Communicate with bus driver your travel intentions
- Front seats are designated for passengers with unique mobility needs or the elderly
- Do not block the bus aisle with bags or any other items
- Bicyclists: Please return bike rack to the upright position if your bicycle was the last one on the rack



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Help Make Our Streets Safe for Everyone. Here's How:

Reduce Speed



Avoid stopping in crosswalk or blocking sidewalk



Provide a safe travel distance away from persons biking or



Avoid parking/driving in bike



Remain sober while traveling. Don't throw any debris from



PLEASE PAY FULL ATTENTION: Do not talk, text, or use cell phone while driving. Minimize <u>all</u> distractions



