

LET'S ALL KEEP WORK ZONES SAFE

Crews are on the roads every day, working to keep the roads safe and improve services in the community.

Please follow these simple steps to keep your family and the men and women working out there safe.

Plan

- Be aware of construction zones along your route.
- Check the news for current road reports.
- Consider alternative routes.

Drive Defensively

- Expect the unexpected. Road surfaces and traffic patterns can change frequently in work zones.
- Anticipate detours and stops. Merge early.

Obey All Signs

- Signs contain important information to warn you about the work ahead, traffic conditions, detours and road closures.

Concentrate

- Pay attention at all times. Distracted driving is a major cause of crashes. Stay off the phone, don't eat or drink while driving, and minimize distractions as much as possible.
- Watch for workers, new signs, traffic signals, pavement markings, or uneven pavement. The travel lane may only be a few feet from workers and equipment.

Slow Down

- Drive at the posted reduced speed limit.
- Keep a safe distance between you and the vehicle in front of you
- Don't tailgate — sudden stops are common in construction zones.

