



Remember...Same Roads ● Same Rules ● Same Rights

The City of Town and Country Ordinances state the following:

SECTION 375.030 RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF BICYCLE AND MOTORIZED BICYCLE RIDERS.

- Every person riding a bicycle or motorized bicycle upon a street or highway shall be granted all of the rights and shall be subject to all of the duties applicable to the driver of a vehicle as provided by Chapter 304, RSMo.

SECTION 375.050 RIDING ON ROADWAYS AND BICYCLE PATHS.

- Every person operating a bicycle or motorized bicycle at less than the posted speed or slower than the flow of traffic upon a street or highway shall ride as near to the right side of the roadway as safe, exercising due care when passing a standing vehicle or one proceeding in the same direction, except when making a left turn, when avoiding hazardous conditions, when the lane is too narrow to share with another vehicle, or when on a one-way street. Bicyclists may ride abreast when not impeding other vehicles.

MOTORISTS

- 🚗 Stay alert-avoid all distractions while driving.
- 🚗 Yield to bicyclists when turning.
- 🚗 In bad weather, give bicyclists extra passing room, just as you would other motorists.
- 🚗 Make a visual check for bicyclists by checking mirrors and blind spots before entering or leaving a lane of traffic.
- 🚗 Slow down and give at least 3 feet of clearance when passing.
- 🚗 Reduce your speed when passing bicyclists, especially when the road is narrow.
- 🚗 NEVER honk your horn at a bicyclists-it could cause them to swerve into traffic or off the roadway and crash.
- 🚗 Always check for bicyclists before opening your car door.
- 🚗 Children on Bicycles are often unpredictable-expect the unexpected.

BICYCLISTS

- 🚲 Ride on the roadway or shared pathways, rather than on sidewalks.
- 🚲 Follow the same rules of the road as other roadway users, including riding in the same direction as traffic and following all the same traffic signs and signals.
- 🚲 Signal all turns.
- 🚲 Wear a bicycle helmet every time and on every ride.
- 🚲 Be visible by wearing bright colors during the day, reflective gear in low light conditions, and use head and tail lights at night.
- 🚲 Remember respect is a two way street. Show motorists the same courtesy that you expect from them.
- 🚲 Ride single file when vehicular traffic is present behind you.