

HOW YOU CAN IMPROVE WORK ZONE SAFETY

STAY ALERT AND MINIMIZE DISTRACTIONS

- Dedicate your full attention to the roadway
- Avoid distractions – put away the cell phone, leave the radio alone, and forget the snack until after you are through the Work Zone

DON'T TALGATE

- Keep a safe distance from the vehicle in front of you

OBEY THE POSTED SPEED LIMIT

- Fines doubled in the Work Zones
- Workers may be present on the side of the highway
- Slow down

FOLLOW ALL FLAGGER INSTRUCTIONS

- Flaggers are the motorist's first point of contact in a work zone
- Flaggers communicate with motorist specific driving instructions to follow

EXPECT THE UNEXPECTED

- Vehicles may slow or change lanes suddenly
- Vehicle, workers, or equipment may enter the roadway without warning

PAY ATTENTION TO THE ROAD

- Look for brake lights on the vehicle ahead of you
- Follow the Warning Signs

MERGE AND CHANGE LANES SAFELY

- Take turns

BE PATIENT!

- It can cost you **Money**
- It can cost you **Time**
- It can cost a **Life**



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