

# Staying Safe

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# SNOW PLOW & EMERGENCY VEHICLE SAFETY



- DO NOT follow too close behind snow removal vehicles/equipment (equipment may be other than just a truck)
- Be watchful for abrupt maneuvers in stopping, backing and turning.
- Snow plows are in Service to Maintain road conditions for safe travel "Give Them A Break"
- Remember the slow down/move over law for highway maintenance vehicles/equipment, including tow truck operators (not only for police/fire vehicles/equipment)
- Do not attempt to pass or follow a plow too closely, due to visibility issues. Plows cannot travel as fast as other vehicles during heavy snow events and active plowing operations.
- When plowing or shoveling your driveway, do not put snow into the street. It is against law to put snow into the street.

**STAY BACK A  
MINIMUM OF  
200 FEET**

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EQUIPMENT.**