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BROTHER



NEIGHBOR

A **CYCLIST** MIGHT BE SOMEONE YOU KNOW.

DRIVE SMART!

- Expect bicyclists on the road.
- Always keep a safe following distance.
- In certain conditions, bicycles may use the full lane.
- Allow at least 3 feet when passing.
- Yield the right-of-way to bicyclists when turning.
- Merge into bike lane when turning right.
- Look for bicyclists before opening a car door.
- Stay alert when pulling out of driveways or side streets.
- Watch for children.
- Keep your eyes on the road. It's illegal to text and use hand held devices while driving.
- Stay alert – avoid all distractions.

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BIKE SMART!

- Bikes are vehicles; obey the rules of the road.
- Stop at all red lights and stop signs.
- Ride defensively – expect the unexpected.
- Ride with traffic, never against it.
- Use hand signals when turning or stopping.
- Yield the right-of-way to pedestrians.
- Pass on the left when overtaking a vehicle.
- Use marked bike lanes or paths when present.
- Use sharrows to help guide you in shared travel lanes.
- Use caution when crossing ramps.
- Never ride more than two abreast.
- Only ride on sidewalks where it is allowed by local ordinance.
- Stay visible when riding at night and during inclement weather.
- Wear a helmet correctly.
- If using a crosswalk, dismount and walk your bicycle across the street.

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