PEACOCK GROUP SAFETY MEETING

You are not the only Vehicle on the Road!

Sharing The Road - With Trucks
- Drivers falsely assume truckers can see them better because they are higher off the road. Truck drivers have better forward view and bigger mirrors, but they still have serious blind spots called the “NO ZONE”
- Don’t cut off a truck in traffic or on a highway to reach your exit ramp or turn
- Don’t linger alongside a truck when passing
- Don’t follow too closely or tailgate
- Never underestimate the size and speed of an approaching truck

Sharing The Road - With Buses and Streetcars
- Stop for a school bus which is stopped and flashing yellow lights
- Don’t drive through a safety zone set aside for pedestrians and marked by raised buttons or markers on a roadway
- Stop behind the nearest door or vehicle platform of a bus or streetcar when people are boarding and there is no safety zone
- Don’t overtake and pass an interurban train or streetcar on the left except on a one-way street; when tracks prevent from passing on the right; or when a traffic officer directs you to
- Safe passing speed is 10 mph

Sharing The Road - With Light Rail Vehicles
- Light rail vehicles, or trolleys, have the same rights and responsibilities as other vehicles
- Buildings, trees, etc., cause blind spots for the trolley operator
- Look for approaching trolleys before you turn across the tracks
- Trolleys can preempt traffic signals; so don’t proceed forward until the signal indicates you may
- Never turn in front of a trolley
- Maintain a safe distance from the trolley