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Driggs' Adopt-a-Landscape Program

SAFETY REQUIREMENTS FOR PARTICIPANTS

While in or on the roadway or roadside, remember: **SAFETY FIRST!**

To protect yourself and others:



Stay out of the traveled portions of the roadway.



Use caution when crossing streets. Be especially careful if carrying materials or tools, or if your attention might otherwise be distracted. Use crosswalks and signals where available.



Face oncoming traffic as you work and keep an eye on traffic. Be prepared to move quickly, if necessary.



Do not work on the roadway or shoulder, unless the area has been properly barricaded off to traffic.



Discontinue work before dusk.



Do not work when fog or other conditions reduce visibility for drivers.



Items to avoid include powders, chemicals, smelly substances, suspicious packages, chemical drums or containers, weapons, syringes or hypodermic needles, dead animals and broken glass.



Notify Public Works or the police of the location of weapons or suspected toxic substances immediately.



Do not compact trash bags. Injuries occur from broken or jagged objects.



Wear orange safety vests and gloves whenever you are working on the landscaped areas.



Wear long pants and substantial leather shoes or boots with ankle support. Watch your footing and stay off steep slopes, drainage facilities or places from which you might fall. Light colored clothing, long sleeve shirts and sunscreen lotion are recommended.



Do not run, throw objects, or engage in horseplay or any other activity; which may distract drivers.



Avoid overexertion. Drink plenty of water, especially on warm, humid days.



Do not consume alcoholic beverages or drugs before entering, or while on, the roadside.