

with Farmers

Farm season means sharing the road with large farm equipment, which can be frustrating to hurried drivers. Farmers must move slowly in large equipment, and public roads are often the only way to get from point A to point B.

When you find yourself following or meeting large farm equipment on the road, please do the following to keep everyone safe:

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Be alert and cautious, giving large farm equipment and other slow-moving vehicles adequate space.

Do not pass in a "No Passing Zone," or in any area where it is not safe to do so such as intersections, bridges and railroad crossings.



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Make sure the tractor is not trying to make a left turn before you pass on the left.

Do not tailgate. Following too closely means you could be in the farmer's blind spot.



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Be careful when you do get the chance to pass. Oftentimes, farmers will move their equipment over when it is safe to do so.

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