

SAFETY MATTERS

Work Zone Safety

National Work Zone Awareness Week is April 26–30. Like collection workers, construction and maintenance workers need motorists to drive more carefully around them.



Know Before You Go

With information on active work zones, you can change your trip, possibly avoiding work zones altogether.

Stay Alert and Obey the Roadway

Work zones change daily; pay attention so you can anticipate new traffic patterns.

Watch for Workers

In 2019, 135 workers were killed in highway work zones in the United States and several were killed in Canada.

Watch for Sudden Stops

Work zone activity often leads to congestion, delays, and stopped traffic. Be alert and watch for sudden stops.

Slow Down

Always obey posted work zone speed limits and keep a safe distance from the vehicle ahead of you.

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