



PEDESTRIAN SAFETY TIPS FOR SENIORS

from the Summit Police Department

- **Walk on sidewalks** and cross only at corners, within marked crosswalks where available.
- If crossing in other locations, **yield to the right of way** of vehicles. Failure to obey the law carries a \$54 fine.
- Always walk **facing traffic**.
- Wear **bright-colored** or reflective clothing, especially at night.
- Look **left, right, and left** again before crossing and look out for turning vehicles.
- **Make eye contact** with the driver before crossing in front of a vehicle.
- Use the **buddy system**. Walk and cross with others when possible.
- If possible, **do not walk at night** or during bad weather such as snow, rain, or ice.



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