

## **SAFETY FIRST**

## HALLOWEEN SAFETY

Halloween is this Tuesday, October 31! That means kids will be out in costumes, even during the day. Here are some reminders to keep everyone safe.

- Children act unpredictably and might be extra distracted when out trick or treating.
- Costumes and masks can reduce the wearers' vision making it harder to see oncoming vehicles.
- Some costumes might make a person less visible if they are dark colors.
- Reduce your speed and cover the brake in neighborhoods, near schools, and childcare centers.
- Find out if neighborhoods or communities you serve have dedicated trick or treat hours and be extremely cautious during those times.
- Adults celebrate, too! Be aware of drivers, bicyclists, and pedestrians, especially those that have been drinking.



Don't forget if you work the next day to limit or avoid alcohol and ensure you get your normal amount of sleep.

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