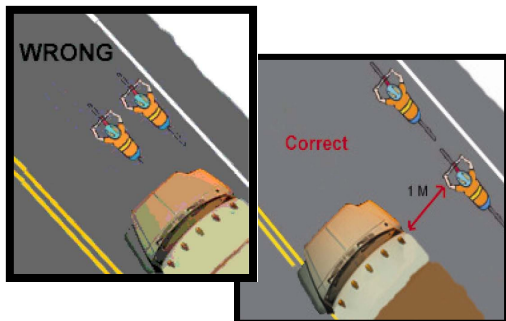


Cyclists and Motorists have the SAME rights and responsibilities on the road....

..**KNOW THE LAW BEFORE YOU RIDE!**

Cyclists **MUST**:



- ⇒ NOT ride abreast of another person riding a bike on a roadway
- ⇒ Wear a helmet
- ⇒ Use a headlight and tail-light when riding 1/2 an hour before sunset and sunrise
- ⇒ Use hand signals when changing lanes, turning, slowing down and stopping.
- ⇒ Ride as near as practicable to the right hand side of the roadway



For more Cycling Information:

- >>> British Columbia Cycling Coalition:  
[www.bccc.bc.ca](http://www.bccc.bc.ca)
- >>> ICBC Road Safety:  
[www.icbc.com/road\\_safety/](http://www.icbc.com/road_safety/)
- >>> B.C.'s Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure  
[www.th.gov.bc.ca/BikeBC/](http://www.th.gov.bc.ca/BikeBC/)
- >>> Vancouver Area Cycling Coalition  
[www.vacc.bc.ca/](http://www.vacc.bc.ca/)



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## SAFE RIDING TIPS:

### CYCLISTS



#### Make sure you are...

- **MANEUVERABLE**—Always maintain an escape route and are 1 metre from the curb
- **VISIBLE**—Ensure other road users can see you
- **PREDICTABLE**—Ensure other road users know where you are going
- **COMMUNICATE**—Ensure other road users know what you are doing, or what you want to do

**Wearing a bicycle helmet reduces the risk of head injury up to 85% !**



## Remember ...

**...it's EVERYBODY'S RESPONSIBILITY TO SHARE THE ROAD...**

**... AND USE ROAD SENSE**

**THEN WE CAN ALL ...**

**ENJOY THE RIDE!**



**Mainroad Courtesy  
Cyclist Shuttle at  
George Massey Tunnel**

Mainroad provides road and bridge maintenance services for major roadways across the Lower Mainland. We understand the importance of road safety for motorists, and cyclists alike. That is why the Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure and Mainroad provide such services as the Cyclist Shuttle at the George Massey Tunnel on Highway 99.

## SAFE DRIVING TIPS:

### DRIVERS



#### BE AWARE!

#### Give yourself and a cyclist space:

- Avoid passing while approaching an oncoming vehicle
- Leave 1 metre of space between your vehicle and cyclists at all times.
- If there is no shoulder, or it is an unsafe shoulder, a cyclist will have to ride to the left of the white line .



Most common bicycle/motor vehicle collisions are due to:

- Cyclist paying undue attention to their surroundings
- Cycling on the wrong side of the road
- Failing to yield to 'right of way' rule
- Motorist error and/or confusion