Traffic Safety

Over 1100 motor vehicle crashes involving farm equipment occur in Midwest states each year.

When driving farm equipment on roadways:

**ALWAYS**
- Follow rules of the road
- Use reflective materials and SMV
- Clean and replace reflective materials
- Be visible 24/7

**WHEN POSSIBLE**
- Use lead cars
- Use flashers
- Avoid heavy traffic
- Avoid bad weather

**NEVER**
- Drink and drive
- Allow riders on fenders
- Use personal electronics
- Drive while tired

[Sources: Great Plains Center for Agricultural Health, The University of Iowa IPRG Injury Prevention Research Center.]

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