



# NEW NEBRASKA LAW REQUIRES DRIVERS TO MOVE OVER FOR SAFETY

With passage of the *Move Over Law*, drivers are required to move over a lane when approaching stopped emergency or roadside assistance vehicles on controlled access highways. After determining it's safe, *you must move over* to create a clear lane of traffic as you approach the following vehicles with flashing lights:

- Tow service vehicles
- Fire fighting vehicles
- Motorist assist units
- Emergency medical service vehicles
- Law enforcement vehicles
- Department of Roads vehicles

If you are unable to move over due to road or weather conditions, or traffic congestion, slow down and maintain a safe speed while passing.

## PENALTIES FOR VIOLATING THE LAW:

For a first offense, drivers can be fined up to \$100. Subsequent offenses can result in fines of up to \$500 and/or up to seven days in jail.

## AAA WELCOMES THIS NEW LEGISLATION

This measure has proved highly effective in states where the law already exists, creating an open lane of safety for emergency personnel, first responders and stranded drivers.



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