

# Roadway Safety is Everyone's Responsibility !



## ***Know the Rules***

Traffic laws apply to all vehicles on public roadways. Bicycles have as much right to be on the roadway as other vehicles. Motorists have a responsibility to watch for the smaller, slower-moving bicycles, and bicyclists have a responsibility to watch for faster-moving vehicles. Motorists may not impede a bicyclist's travel, and a bicyclist may not impede a motorist's travel.

City of Frontenac traffic ordinances include traffic laws designed to protect both the bicyclist and the motorist. Among these ordinances is the requirement that bicyclists must ride in single file when motor vehicle traffic is present. This ordinance is detailed below.



### **SECTION 385.050: RIDING TO RIGHT, REQUIRED FOR BICYCLES AND MOTORIZED BICYCLES**

Every person operating a bicycle or motorized bicycle at less than the posted speed or slower than the flow of traffic upon a street or highway shall ride as near to the right side of the roadway as safe, exercising due care when passing a standing vehicle or one proceeding in the same direction, except when making a left turn, when avoiding hazardous conditions, when the lane is too narrow to share with another vehicle, or when on a one-way street. Bicyclists may ride abreast when not impeding other vehicles.

## **Be Polite and Keep to the Right**



For additional information, please call the Frontenac Police at 314-994-9300



## ***Be Courteous***

