



Slow-Moving Vehicles on Alabama Roadways

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Have you ever seen a slow-moving vehicle sign on a farm tractor traveling on a highway? The sign shown here indicates that the vehicle is a slow-moving vehicle.



When you see the sign, you must slow down. If you are traveling at 55 miles per hour and are 100 yards away from the vehicle — the length of a football field — you have less than 3 seconds until you will hit it unless you apply your brakes.

We share our rural highways with farm tractors, and we must expect to encounter them in rural areas of Alabama. When you approach a slow-moving vehicle, slow down quickly and pass with caution when the way is clear.

Many visitors travel to Alabama beaches during the summer months. Farming is prevalent in these rural areas, and tractors must travel the same roadways used to get to the beaches. Please remain aware of slow-moving vehicles and drive responsibly and patiently. Enjoy your stay, and come back safely to visit again.

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