

TAILGATE SAFETY

**SAFETY
FIRST**

The FGI believes it is important to always put safety first.

Our **Tailgate Safety Program** is a safety training resource for

construction and other high hazard industries. Print out and conduct training right from your tailgate on the job site, or in a formal meeting at your office.

Safety training for the job site & the office!

Defensive Driving- 8/1/2025 - Neil Nowak

Keys to Defensive Driving:

- Make sure you and your vehicle are prepared to drive
- Anticipate the other driver's next move - don't be surprised by it
- Make driving your first priority



Practice Safe Behaviors:

- Keep focused on driving
- Realistically assess personal skill level and capabilities of your vehicle
- Stay cool and calm in stressful conditions
- Plan plenty of time for travel and adjust the way you are driving or the situation you are in
- Include the driving activity in your daily JHA/JSEA
- Don't forget to use Stop Work Authority

Driving:

- Only use a vehicle that is fit for purpose and checked prior to use.
- Drive at a speed appropriate to the conditions and adhere to the road rules.
- Not use personal devices while driving except for hands-free navigation.
- Plan my journey to include regular breaks and fatigue checks.



Safety tips are presented monthly by FGI members & industry experts

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