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Town of Hilton Head Island

BIKE/E-BIKE ETIQUETTE

TOWN OF HILTON HEAD ISLAND SOUTH CAROLINA 1663 1983

KNOW THE LAW

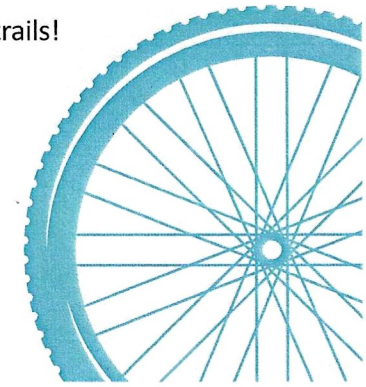
In South Carolina, motorists have the right of way at all crosswalks, intersections and curb cut entrances.
On pathways, pedestrians have the right of way.
Please be courteous and respect of other pathway users, bikes, and pedestrians at all times.

PATHWAY SAFETY

Pathway safety is important! All pathway users should adhere to the guidelines below as you explore the Island's trail experience. These guidelines are provided to ensure everyone's safe enjoyment of our recreational resources.

- Keep right, pass left
- Announce to pass: Use your bell or voice ("passing on your left") when passing others
- Observe a safe & courteous speed limit on pathways
- If you stop, pull off the path
- At intersections, stop, look, listen. Make eye contact with turning traffic
- Wear a helmet, especially children 12 and under
- Respect all pathway users

E-BIKE ETIQUETTE

These safety and etiquette guidelines apply to all bike riders including e-Bike riders while on Island pathways. Before you ride, it is important to understand an e-Bike is different from other bicycles. It can be faster, heavier, handles differently, needs longer stopping distances, and requires some practice to operate. Practice mounting, dismounting, stopping, and starting your e-Bike in a safe location prior to your first ride.

Have fun, stay alert and happy trails!