**TIPS FOR SAFE TRAVEL**

**PLAN AHEAD**
- Traffic delays are common on weekends and holidays.
- Check cotrip.org for traffic information.
- Weather can change quickly, especially in mountains.
- Always check forecast before you go.
- Don’t get stranded — avoid driving during storms.

**ROUNDABOUTS AND TOLL LANES**
- Roundabouts are common. When a gap in traffic appears, merge into a roundabout and proceed to your exit.
- In a multi-lane roundabout, you must yield to both lanes of traffic.
- You may use Express Lanes for a faster trip in exchange for an electronic toll.
- Fees apply in metro Denver and along I-70 eastbound near Idaho Springs.
  (westbound toll — Express Lane coming Spring 2021)

**USE CAUTION**
- Watch for wildlife, especially at night.
- Scan shoulders and look for eye shine.
- In snow always use headlights, allow extra space, go slow and anticipate turns.
- Give plow trucks room to work — avoid passing.
- Pack extra food, water, blankets, etc.

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**LAWS**

**Cell Phone Law**  
- Texting while driving is illegal.

**DUI Laws**  
- Don’t drive impaired.  
- DUI’s include alcohol, cannabis and other drugs.

**Move Over Law**  
- Move over for stopped emergency vehicles ahead.  
- If unsafe to move over, slow down.

**Seat Belt Law**  
- You must buckle your seat belt.

**Traction Law**  
- Often in effect during winter storms.  
- Required: AWD, 4WD or tires with the mud/snow (M+S) or snowflake designations.  
- Tires must have min. 3/16” tread.  
- These requirements in effect on I-70 in mountains all winter, regardless of weather.