



NORTH CAROLINA Department of Transportation

Division 13

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Mitchell, Rutherford, Yancey*

June 2020 Edition

Tips for Your Safe Return to the Road



As COVID-19 restrictions are eased, more people are getting out. That means it's especially important for everyone to pay attention to the [rules of the road](#).

This is also the time to [start a conversation with teen drivers](#) about road safety. The period between Memorial Day and Labor Day is known as the 100 Deadliest Days, when the number of crash fatalities involving teen drivers historically rises.

Finally, North Carolina recognizes June 6 as [Secure Your Load Day](#), so we want to remind drivers to help us reduce the number of deaths and injuries on our highways by securing items in or on their vehicles.



News Near You...

Slide Closes U.S. 25/70

A section of U.S. 25/70 in Madison County is closed indefinitely for the safety of the traveling public. Rocks and debris continue to fall from the slope into the ditch and onto the road creating unsafe conditions not only for drivers, but

NCDOT crews, too.

U.S. 25/70 will only reopen after necessary safety measures have been installed to protect the traveling public. NCDOT urges drivers to utilize the established and marked detour of I-26 and N.C. 213 which is safer and more suitable for trucks and large vehicles.

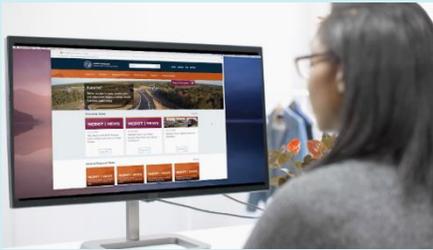
[Click here for the detour](#)



Got Ideas for Our Greenways?

NCDOT wants your feedback about how to improve our state's greenways. The NCDOT [Great Trails State Plan](#) will use existing plans and new recommendations to identify a network of trails that connect every county in North Carolina.

[Share Your Thoughts](#)



A Friendly Reminder to Stay Updated

Remember, you can find information about protecting your health, applying for unemployment and many other topics related to COVID-19 on [our website](#).



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