



Community Benefits

Slower traffic is safer — for people walking and cycling, for children and the elderly, and even for other drivers. As a vehicle travels more slowly, the driver and all other road users are given more time for courtesy and safety.

Less road aggression and frustration — When drivers allow themselves enough travel time so they're not in a hurry, they are much less aggressive and create less tension on the roadway. With less speed and tension, the streets can be shared much more safely.

Better chance of survival in the case of an incident! A little extra speed can mean the difference between life and death for a cyclist or pedestrian struck by a vehicle. A person hit by a vehicle traveling at 25mph has a 90% chance of surviving; at 40mph, a person has a 90% chance of dying. Let's remove this critical risk from the streets we share!

Street safety is a key element towards making a community truly livable.

Our civic pride is reflected in how we treat each other on the street.

Driving Less makes the environment healthier, creates more opportunities to get outside for exercise and interaction with neighbors, and SAVES MONEY! The American Automobile Association estimates that maintaining and fueling a car costs over \$7,000 a year!

OTHER PACE CAR PROGRAMS: Boise (ID), Palo Alto and Santa Cruz (CA), Atlanta (GA), Greensboro (NC), Salt Lake City (UT), Northampton (MA), Santa Fe (NM), Washington (DC), and other cities around the world.



*Put the sticker on your vehicle & drive
the posted speed limit on all streets!*

**YOU can make Maryland
a safer place to walk,
a better place to bike, and a
more satisfying place to live!**

*Want better cycling, walking and mass transit options in Maryland?
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Welcome...

to the Maryland Community Pace Car Program!

The Maryland Community Pace Car Program encourages residents to take responsibility for the impact of their own driving while setting the "pace" for safer streets and neighborhoods.

one

Drivers sign the Pledge to drive safely, courteously, and within the speed limit on community streets, and display the official "Maryland Community Pace Car" sticker on their vehicles.

two

Drivers send the signed pledge back to One Less Car to become an official TEAM PACE CAR member and to get further updates and information on the program.

three

The Pace Car sticker shows other drivers that you, as a resident, are taking part in a community-based effort to "set the pace" for safer and more enjoyable neighborhood streets.



Sign the pledge and sticker your vehicle!

Join the other drivers who have chosen to become part of Team Pace Car, the solution for safer streets in Maryland!



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Pledge

- 1. I will drive within the speed limit on all community streets in Maryland.
2. I'll treat all pedestrians with respect and will share the road safely with them.
3. I'll treat all bicyclists with respect and only pass them when I can give them at least 3 feet of safe clearance.
4. I'll give myself enough travel time so that I'm not sacrificing courtesy or safety.
5. I will not be pressured by other driver's impatience to drive above the posted speed limit.
6. I will devote my full attention to driving and avoid distractions such as cell phones.
7. I will choose to DRIVE LESS by walking, bicycling and taking mass transit when I can in order to reduce traffic, save money and improve the environment in my community.



Name

Address

Email

Please send your pledge back to: ONE LESS CAR P.O. Box 19987, Baltimore, Maryland 21211

Thank you for joining Team Pace Car!