

Rapid Flash Beacons

What you need to know!

New crosswalk enhancements that have been installed are pedestrian-activated rapid-flashing warning lights, sometimes called rapid flash signals.

This warning light flashes to alert motorists that a pedestrian wants to cross the street. Drivers are legally obligated to stop for that person.

What does this mean for pedestrians?

1. Push the button to activate flashing lights.
2. Wait until the traffic stops.
3. Cross the street.

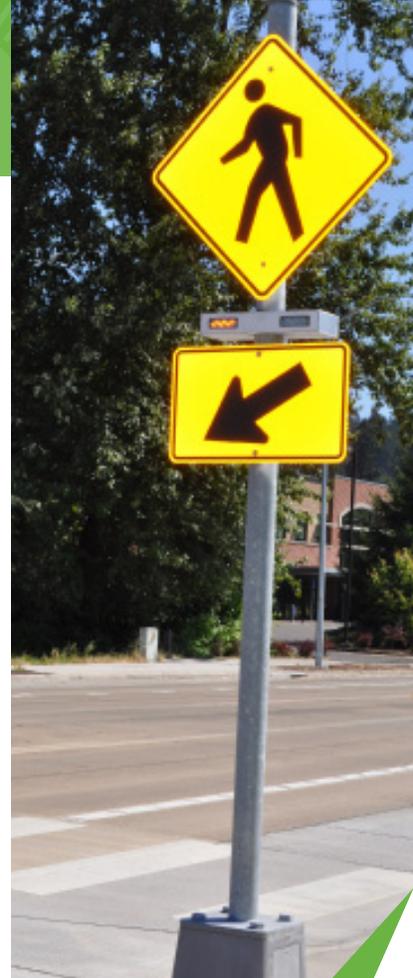
What does this mean for drivers?

1. Watch for the new devices at intersections.
2. STOP* when lights flash. Know that a pedestrian is waiting to cross.
3. Proceed when the pedestrian has crossed your lane and half of the adjacent lane.

** Oregon law requires motorists to stop for pedestrians in crosswalks.*



For additional information, please contact City of Springfield Traffic Operations at (541) 736-7134.



Watch an instructional video about **RAPID FLASH BEACONS** at www.ci.springfield.or.us/DPW/Brochures