



**Building Relationships Today
For Stronger Neighborhoods Tomorrow
and A Better Community For All**

Neighborhood tips

your source for tips and information on what makes Owasso Neighborhoods Strong

Keeping Our Streets Safe

Streets can be a cause for concern for many Owasso residents, especially in neighborhoods. Drivers who are in a hurry or are simply not paying enough attention to their surroundings are a hazard to everyone around them. The choices of individual drivers determine whether the streets of Owasso are safe; citizens must follow the rules of the road. Resident support and involvement is crucial for implementing and maintaining safe streets in our neighborhoods.



Safe driving habits

You can protect yourself, your passengers, your vehicle and pedestrians when following these guidelines:

Aggressive driving: remain calm and be patient.

Cell phone: best to avoid while driving; use a hands-free device. **Texting is prohibited while driving.**

Focus: look ahead toward the road and traffic. Avoid driving if you are fatigued.

Motorcycles: be alert to keep you and cyclists safe.

Seat belt: to be properly worn by all passengers every time. Follow child safety seat guidelines.

Safety in neighborhoods

We all must remember that streets are designed for cars, not as a playground for children.

As a parent, you have the responsibility to ensure the safety of your children by keeping them away from the street.

TIPS to do – your part

- Drive safely, defensively, and lawfully
- Pledge to obey the speed limit
- Contact Owasso's Neighborhood Coordinator to organize meeting to discuss traffic safety
- Help develop a strategic neighborhood traffic safety plan
- Report traffic violations or concerns to the Owasso Police Department: 918-272-2244



**Living in a good neighborhood is not a right;
it is a responsibility for all of us to do our part.**

For information about the Owasso Strong Neighborhood Initiative:

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