# **KNOW YOUR RIGHTS**

### You Have The Right To:

- Remain silent.
- Refuse to consent to a search of yourself, your car, or your home.
- Leave calmly if you are not under arrest
- A lawyer if you are arrested. Ask for one immediately.

### If you are stopped while driving...

- Stop the car in a safe place as quickly as possible. Turn off the car, turn on the internal light, open the window partway, and place your hands on the wheel.
- Upon request, show the police identification, registration, and proof of insurance.
- You have the right to refuse a vehicle search without reasonable suspicion.



• Both drivers and passengers have the right to remain silent.

### **Best Practices when driving...**

- Make sure your car is in good condition
- Make sure your tags are not expired
- Wear your seatbelt
- \*Use your turn signals
- Do not drink and drive
- Do not speed

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\*This is not intended as legal advice.

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### If you are a non-citizen...

- Ask your lawyer about the effect of a criminal conviction or plea on your immigration status.
- Don't discuss your immigration status with anyone but your lawyer.
- While you are in jail, an immigration agent may visit you.
  Do not answer questions or sign anything before talking to a lawyer.
- Read all papers thoroughly. If you do not understand or cannot read the papers, tell the officer you need an interpreter.

### For more information...

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