

## How to Use an RRFB (Rectangular Rapid-Flashing Beacon)

## Pedestrians and Bicyclists in the Crosswalk

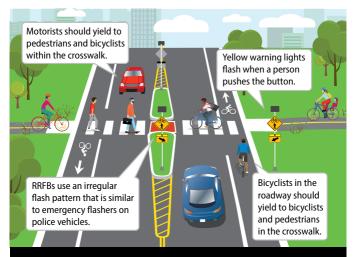
- 1. Press the button to activate the flashing yellow warning lights, telling drivers a person is ready to cross.
- 2. Make eye contact with drivers to confirm they are yielding before entering the crosswalk.
- 3. Continue to scan both directions as you cross the street.
- 4. Bicyclists on the roadway should follow tips for "drivers and on-street bicyclists" on reverse.

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## **Drivers and On-Street Bicyclists**

- 1. Anticipate people crossing whenever approaching a crosswalk.
- 2. Yellow warning lights may flash to indicate that people are crossing or are ready to cross.
- 3. Yield to people on foot or bicycle within a crosswalk.
- 4. Do not pass another vehicle that is yielding.
- 5. When yielding, give space between your vehicle and the crosswalk so your vehicle does not block another driver's view of people crossing.
- 6. Do not stop in or block a crosswalk.
- 7. Wait for people walking and bicycling to clear the crosswalk before proceeding, regardless of the status of the RRFB.

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