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Bicycle and Pedestrian Safety

With the onset of warmer weather approaching, Morris Police Chief, Brent Dite would like to remind everyone how important it is to be conscious of traffic safety when it concerns abiding by the local ordinances and state laws governing the operation of bicycles, skateboards and pedestrians traffic, especially in the downtown area of our city.

Chief Dite would also like to add that it is not only the responsibility of motorist to be aware of cyclists and pedestrians, but it is everyone's responsibility to be aware and adhere to the safe operation of all modes of travel within the city, whether it is on the roadway or the sidewalks.

We have ordinances prohibiting cycling, skateboarding and roller blading in the downtown business area of Liberty Street. These areas are clearly posted. This doesn't mean you can't take your bike or skateboard downtown; you just can't ride them on the street or sidewalk while you are in that particular area.

