

Save Money: Drive Slower

As gasoline prices continue to rise, many organizations are struggling to make ends meet on their youth trips. According to www.fueleconomy.gov, every 5 mph faster than the 60 mph speed limit is like paying 23% more for a gallon of gas. Aggressive driving on the highway can reduce your fuel efficiency by 33%. Simply enforcing a policy with drivers about driving the speed limit or under the speed limit can save your program money on each trip. That kind of money adds up fast, and slower speeds save lives.

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