

Campus Walkway Safety

PURPOSE

Unsafe conditions occur on campus walkways when wheeled vehicles are operated near pedestrians. This policy establishes regulations for safe operation of vehicles on walkways.

Walkways for pedestrians are the principal means of travel between buildings and activities on the central campus. People should be able to walk on the campus without feeling threatened by wheeled vehicles. Where possible and practical, the university will provide a safe environment for persons walking the campus and will minimize hazardous conditions.

1.1 In 1997, the Utah Legislature passed House Bill 196 which requires that: a person operating any

3.2 Moving Violations

Illegitimate use of walkways will be a moving violation against the vehicle operator and will be enforceable in the same manner as other traffic violations.

The University Police will patrol the walkways of the Pedestrian Zone. Citations will be issued to offenders.

3.3 Parking Violations

Vehicles, as defined in 1.2, parking in any location other than authorized parking facilities or stalls will be in violation of this policy. Any vehicle that impedes pedestrian traffic or access ways for persons with disabilities such as pedestrian walks, ramps, exits and entrances to buildings, and stairways, will be