Lesson #5

Review: Lesson #4 **Destination**: Morton

SKILLS

A. Speed Control

1. Maintain constant speed at posted speed limits

B. Tracking

1. Maintain correct tracking line (cover grease spot), making slight adjustments to do so

C. Right-of-Way

- 1. Whoever gets to stop first should be able to go first
- 2. Arrive at same time, the driver on the right should be able to go first; make eye contact with other driver
- 3. Always yield to pedestrians and vehicles in intersection and crosswalk
- 4. Yield to oncoming traffic when making a left turn
- 5. Always yield to emergency vehicles

D. Uncontrolled Railroad Crossings

- 1. Be alert for crossings with no gates or lights
- 2. Look for white crossbuck or round yellow railroad warning sign
- 3. Look both ways as you approach
- 4. Listen for train sounds; turn down radio and roll down window
- 5. If there is a train coming, stop 15 to 50 feet before the tracks
- 6. When train passes, check for another train
- 7. If no train, take foot off accelerator
- 8. Resume speed limit

E. Controlled Railroad Crossings

- 1. Recognize lights and or gates
- 2. Stop at marked stop line

3. After gates go up and lights go off, check again for another train

F. Perpendicular Parking – Right or Left Side

- 1. Position car as far away from intended parking spot as possible (at least 8 feet)
- 2. Flash brake lights
- 3. Signal right or left
- 4. Check traffic, front and rear
- 5. Continue to brake
- 6. Determine reference point, when your front bumper passes the taillight of the vehicle you are parking next to (at least 5 feet); Turn wheels sharply into parking spot
- 7. Cover brake
- 8. Look toward the middle of the parking spot
- 9. Straighten wheels
- 10. Stop before wheels touch curb

G. Lane Changes

- 1. Make sure roadway is clear ahead
- 2. Check rearview mirror and outside mirror of intended lane change
- 3. Check blind spot of intended lane change
- 4. Signal in direction of intended lane change
- 5. Move into intended lane, maintaining or increasing your speed; do not brake
- 6. Cancel signal
- 7. Adjust speed to traffic flow

H. Rural Roadways

- 1. Tracking over grease spot
- 2. Maintain speed at posted speed limit
- 3. Orderly visual search pattern
- 4. Recognize all signs and road markings

I. Road Markings

- 1. Recognize two-way traffic (broken yellow lines) and turn lanes
- 2. Recognize different driving environment

J. Rural Intersections

- 1. Identify intersection early
- 2. Indentify traffic control and cross traffic's traffic control
- 3. When approaching, search and scan intersection
- 4. Slow and stop when necessary

RESOURCES

Drive Right Textbook: Chapter 10

KEY LEARNING POINTS

Remember Terms:

- ✓ Right-of-Way
- ✓ Speed Control
- ✓ Tracking
- ✓ Sign Recognition
- ✓ Orderly Visual Search Pattern
- ✓ Blind Spot Checks

Practice Area:

- ✓ South Main out of Washington
- ✓ Route 150 into Morton