Ordinance on the Promotion of Safe and Appropriate Use of Bicycles

Main Points of the Ordinance

- Riders should wear helmets.
- All riders must enroll in Bicycle (Liability Insurance.
 - OAbout Bicycle Liability Insurance
 You should check if your current
 insurance covers compensation for harm
 suffered as a result of a bicycle
 accident.

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Please follow bicycling riding rules

Bicycles must ride on the road.

Bicycles may ride on sidewalks if:

There are sign indicating bikes permissible





- A child under 13, adult 70 and over, or person with disabilities is riding.
- The road is inaccessible, e.g. during construction

Bicycles must ride on the left side of the road

Pedestrians have priority on sidewalk

 When riding on sidewalks, you must ride slowly and stay to the side of the road



You must follow safety rules

- You must not ride after having any alcohol
- In principle, two adults must not ride on the same bike
- You must not ride side-by-side with another bike
- You must use a light at night
- You must follow traffic lights
- You must stop at crosswalks to check for safe crossing





You should wear a helmet

You must not use your smartphone while riding

