

## Felix Ventures Foundation Driving Procedures.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Please read and initial. By initialing you agree to follow the FVF Driving procedures.

We always try to caravan and here is why:

- To keep track of each other and minimize the chance of drivers getting lost
  - To look after each other to make sure we drive safe (especially after a long trip/backpacking trip)
  - If an emergency happens (i.e., car accident, car problems) we can help and problem solve quickly
  - To minimize the chance of driving above speed limit
- Initials: \_\_\_\_\_

**Stopping:** Please let us know if you need to make a stop for restroom break, gas, nausea, or switch drivers, call us. Most likely another vehicle needs to stop too 😊.

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**Red Light:** Did you get behind on a red light? Don't worry, the leader will wait by either slowing down to give you time to catch up, or by pulling off to the side and waiting. When you see the group waiting for you shine your lights and slow down so they can pull back onto the road and continue driving. Please do not speed up or take a late yellow/red. We will WAIT FOR YOU! Your priority is to drive safe.

Initials: \_\_\_\_\_

**On the Road....**

- When driving on mountain roads with **bicyclist**. Please wait behind them and pass only when it's safe to go around them
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  - When **driving down** on mountain roads. Make sure to use your brakes the least possible by switching to lower gears. Don't know how to do that? Ask Yuri or Eric. They will show you. Remember you can do severe damage to your brakes if you over use them while going down the hill. We have had previous drivers whose breaks caught fire before. Also, it is very costly to fix.
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**Cell Phone:** Please avoid phone usage while driving. Use hands free devices to answer calls. Assign a venture to help you navigate/ be your co-pilot. This is a great teaching opportunity 😊. If you need to answer a text, please let someone else do it, or do it only when it's safe and the car is no longer in motion.

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