

## **Safety Tips for Driving in Fog-Related Weather Conditions**

- Drive with lights on low beam. High beams will only be reflected back off the fog and actually impair visibility even more, creating what is referred to as a “white wall.”
- Use the markings on the right edge of the roadway, or fog lines, to help keep you in the roadway.
- Reduce your speed and keep a close eye on your speedometer. Fog creates a visual illusion of slow motion when you may actually be speeding.
- Listen for traffic by opening your window.
- Use wipers and defrosters as necessary for maximum visibility.
- Patience is important. Do not pass lines of traffic.
- Do not stop on an interstate or heavily traveled highway. If your car stalls or becomes disabled, turn your vehicle's lights off, and take your foot off of the brake pedal. People tend to follow tail lights when driving in fog. Move away from the vehicle to avoid injury.