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### ***Vision Zero Safety Bulletin: Dusk and Darkness***

To all trade waste licensees and registrants:

As Daylight Saving Time ends this Sunday, **November 5, 2023**, this is a reminder that safety must be the top priority when hauling trade waste.

Commercial drivers have an increased responsibility to exercise caution and keep City streets safe as the days get shorter.

#### ***Traffic Safety Tips for Dusk and Darkness***

- NYC moves fast, but the citywide speed limit is 25 MPH. Speeding is a leading cause of traffic deaths. Reducing speed has a big impact on safety.
- Slow down at dusk and make sure to look out for pedestrians and cyclists. Vision typically decreases tenfold at night!
- Adjust lighting inside truck cabs so looking at the dark road does not become disorienting.
- Expect increased enforcement of speeding and failure to yield during evening hours.

Find further resources and information from Vision Zero [here](#).

