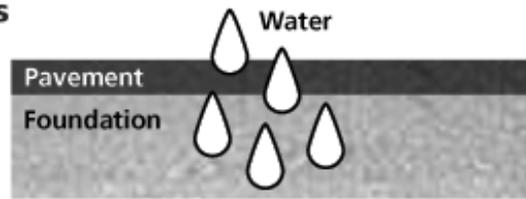


How to steer clear of potholes

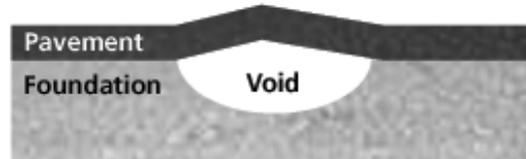
- Potholes are often located within the curb lane due to drainage patterns of the roadways. Try to avoid driving in the curb lane for peace of mind.
- If possible, avoid driving through pools of water, which can hide deep potholes.
- If you must drive through a large puddle, try to slow down. Remember that motorists share the roadways with pedestrians, who could get an unexpected shower of dirty water as you pass by.
- Use common sense. Regardless of the road conditions, the onus for safe and responsible driving rests primarily with the motorist. Always drive to road conditions.



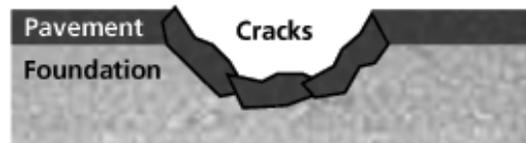
Water penetrates the foundation.



Freezing water expands causing displacement of the pavement and/or foundation.



The ground thaws and leaves a void in the foundation.



Unsupported pavement fails under the traffic load.