

## Local Road Hazards

Driving in cities, towns and remote areas can pose unique and unknown challenges! Incidents involving tight corners, hills, obstructions, overhead hazards, as well as unpredictable pedestrian issues are common in towns, cities and remote areas.

### The incident noted in this photo resulted in:

- A six-hour interaction with local authorities.
- Business interruption.
- Missed deliveries.
- Product and property damage.



### Preventing issues like this come down to the following simple steps:

#### Plan ahead:

- Know your route and what issues and areas to avoid.
- Plan your route of travel and know your way in and way out of the area.
- If you have any questions, check with local authorities, Department of Transportation and other drivers that have travelled in the area.

#### Don't go if you don't know:

- If you do encounter an obstacle or questionable situation, *stop and don't go* until you are sure there are no issues or potentials for loss!

#### Stay in communication:

- Immediately communicate to your supervisor or office dispatch any areas of concern or trouble for advice and assistance as needed.
- Keep a log and communicate problem areas for future reference.

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