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### **Final Draft Yielding Regulations to OSAC December 3rd**

Jefferson County Open Space staff will present a final draft of proposed changes to the Yielding Regulations at the regular Open Space Advisory Committee (OSAC) public meeting scheduled for Thursday, December 3, 2009 at 7:00 p.m. The meeting will be held at the Open Space Hearing Room, 700 Jefferson County Parkway, Golden, CO. Staff will ask OSAC to recommend these changes to the Board of County Commissioners for implementation in 2010. The following language is being proposed.

#### 6.4.1.C.25. Passing On Trails

##### C.25.a Yielding Order:

Yielding means, when passing from any direction, all trail users must give the right-of-way to equestrians; bicyclists and other wheeled users (except wheelchair users) must also give the right-of-way to pedestrians.  
Fine: \$50.00

##### C.25.b Passing On Natural Surface Trails:

At no less than fifteen (15) feet of approaching other trail users from any direction, slow to a speed comparable to the trail user being passed, communicate and gain their attention. Pass safely, single file and when oncoming traffic is clear. Stop when necessary to allow safe passage.  
Fine: \$50.00

##### C.25.c Passing On Concrete Trails, Asphalt Trails Or Posted Service Roads That Serve As Natural Surface Trails:

When passing other trail users from behind, slow to a safe speed, communicate and gain the attention of the user being passed. Pass safely, single file and on the left when oncoming traffic is clear. Stop when necessary to allow safe passage. Obey posted speed limits.  
Fine: \$50.00

The existing regulations can be referenced online at this address: [http://jeffco.us/jeffco/openspace\\_uploads/07\\_rules\\_regs\\_english.pdf](http://jeffco.us/jeffco/openspace_uploads/07_rules_regs_english.pdf)

