Wisconsin law requires that vehicles, including cars, pickup trucks, SUVs, motorcycles and mopeds provide space and yield to vehicles 40 feet and longer, or 10 feet and wider, when navigating a roundabout. In this example, we’ll look at what needs to happen to ensure a large vehicle can make a safe left turn.

*(Visual: Freeze frame of animation + Title Overlay – “Larger vehicle of 40’ or greater approaching multi-lane roundabout for left turn move”)*

See the yellow car maintaining a safe distance as the larger vehicle approaches the roundabout and waits its turn to enter. The tractor-trailer yields to traffic within both roundabout lanes. Wisconsin law requires all vehicles, large and small, to yield to any traffic that’s already in the roundabout.

*(Visual: Animation + Arrow + Title Overlay – “Smaller vehicle yields to larger vehicle by staying back and giving space”, “Larger vehicle yields to both lanes of roundabout traffic on left in accordance to yield sign”)*

After the blue cars pass, the tractor-trailer is clear to go. Notice the yellow cars continue to keep a safe distance, including through the turn.

*(Visual: Animation + Arrow + Title Overlay – “Smaller vehicles continue to yield by giving space to larger vehicle when driving through roundabout”)*

In this example, we’ll look at what needs to happen to ensure a large vehicle can make a safe through maneuver.

*(Visual: Freeze frame of animation. | Title Overlay – “Larger vehicle of 40’ or greater approaching multi-lane roundabout for straight-through move”)*

See the yellow car maintaining a safe distance as the larger vehicle approaches the roundabout and waits its turn to enter.

*(Visual: Animation + Arrow + Title Overlay – “Smaller vehicle yields to larger vehicle by staying back and giving space”)*

After the blue cars pass, the tractor-trailer is clear to go.

*(Visual: Animation + Arrow + Title Overlay – “Larger vehicle yields to both lanes of roundabout traffic on left in accordance to yield sign”)*

The yellow vehicles continue to yield by giving space to the larger truck throughout the entire roundabout

*(Visual: Animation + Arrow + Title Overlay – “Smaller vehicles continue to yield by giving space to larger vehicle when driving through roundabout”)*

Remember to always give space and stay safe when driving in a roundabout.

*(Visual: Freeze frames of animations? + Title Overlay – “Give Space. Stay Safe.”)*