by a police or traffic officer until the ambulance, police or fire department or salvage corps vehicle shall have passed. It shall be unlawful for the operator of any vehicle other than one on official business to follow any fire apparatus traveling in response to a fire alarm closer than six hundred feet or to drive into or park such vehicle within six hundred feet to the place where fire apparatus has stopped in answer to a fire alarm.

The State Roads Commission is hereby authorized and directed to designate main traveled or through highways by erecting at the entrances thereto from intersecting highways signs notifying drivers of vehicles to come to a full stop before entering or crossing such designated highway, and whenever any such signs have been so erected, it shall be unlawful for the operator of any vehicle to fail to stop in obedience thereto, except when traffic at such marked intersection is controlled by traffic signals or officers. All such signs shall be illuminated at night or so placed as to be illuminated by the headlights of an approaching vehicle or by street lights. The operator of a vehicle entering a highway so designated shall yield the right of way to all vehicles approaching on such highway, provided that at the intersection of two highways so designated, all vehicles shall have the right of way over other vehicles approaching on the intersecting highway from the left and shall give right of way to those approaching from the right; provided, however, that within the limits of Baltimore City, the designation and marking of such main traveled or through highways shall be made by the Police Commissioner of Baltimore City.

No ordinance, rule or regulation of any municipality or county shall change or abrogate in any way these provisions of the General Law with reference to right of way, even though any such ordinance be an attempted exercise of the Police Power delegated to such municipality or county.

The operator of a vehicle about to stop or turn to the left shall give a signal to those behind by extending or raising the hand, or by a suitable mechanical device.

No vehicle of any kind or description shall be parked with any of the wheels thereof on the paved or improved part of any public highway of this State, outside of the corporate limits of any municipality, at or near the top of any hill, nor near, on, or within any curve, where the view to the front or rear for the entire width of the improved part of said highway is obstructed within a distance of two hundred feet in either of said directions nor shall any vehicle of any kind be parked on the improved