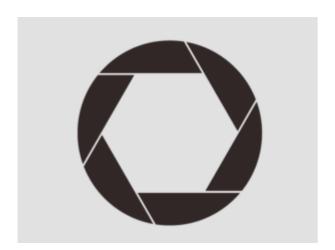
## **Train Safety Picture This**



## TRACK SAFETY

LEARN THE FACTS. EXERCISE JUDGEMENT. TEACH OTHERS.

Statistics obtained from Operation Lifesaver. Visit their website to learn more: oli.org



The **FORCE** of a 30-car freight train HITTING YOUR CAR





On average, it takes a train about a mile to stop after the engineer has fully applied the brake.

## ALL TRAIN TRACKS PRIVATE PROPERTY

It is not only dangerous to walk on train tracks, it is also

**ILLEGAL** 

Photographers who pose subjects on tracks are subject to



ONCE EVERY 3 HOURS

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SOMEONE or SOMETHING

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CRIMINAL PENALTIES

A train can extend 3 or more feet beyond the steel rail. Stay behind the yellow line at stations.



**DISTRACTIONS** 

No texting, headphones or other distractions to prevent you from hearing an approaching train. STAY ALERT.

DON'T ASSUME

Trains can move any direction at any time. No one track is a dedicated track for a particular direction. Trains are quieter than ever, and always move faster than they appear. Freight trains don't operate on fixed schedules.

STAY OFF. STAY AWAY. STAY ALIVE.

Source: https://www.vre.org/