

Our [bike accident lawyers](#) in Michigan handle cases for bicyclists injured due to a defective highway, roadway, street, or sidewalk. Every six hours a bicycle accident happens in the United States, and although many of these accidents are due to negligence of another, many of times these bicycle accidents can be caused due to dangerous roadways.

There are many common roadway issues that pose a major threat to bicyclists. These dangerous roadways include:

- Potholes
- Improper trenching
- Loose debris
- Poor pavement transitions
- Overgrown trees or foliage

If you are a victim of a [bicycle accident due to a dangerous roadway](#) or defect, several factors may play a role in determining if you have a bicycle accident case. Questions you may want to have answered include:

- How long did the hazard exist?
- Is there a history of problems in that area?
- How was it created?
- Who is responsible for maintaining the roadway at issue?

Other actions you may want to take include:

- Obtaining prior collision records from the city or county through a public records act request or through the highway patrol.
- Retaining a civil engineer familiar with roadway design and modification as an expert witness in cases where roadway design is to blame.
- Contact a Michigan bike accident lawyer to discuss your case.
- Review state highway design manual to see if specific requirements for roadway transitions are correct.

Contact Your Michigan Bike Accident Lawyer

For more information regarding your rights after a **Michigan bike accident due to a defective roadway**, call us now at **(800) 606-1717** to speak with one of experienced Michigan [personal injury attorneys](#).