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Dear Larry Gonzales,

I think that texting while walking shouldn’t be banned. One reason is that people text while walking for a reason. They might be in a rush to explaining to their boss why the will be late for work today, or trying to inform someone about something they just remembered and don’t have time to waste.

Another reason it shouldn’t be banned is it would make some people feel like they’re being babied, people are smart enough to manage when they should be texting. It would also be very expensive to make that a law because first of all, it would waste a lot of time because it would take months to make the law and all its requirements. Second, of all how would you see if someone is texting while walking? It’s not like we can get police to drive around looking for people, and you can’t put cameras everywhere because it would cost too much.

The third reason is if you’re going to ban texting while walking why not ban other walking distractions, like talking, listening to music, etc, because texting while walking is just a dangerous as these. Finally, banning texting while walking would be like banning social media, and we all need that.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration!

Sincerely

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