

# **Did you know?**

## **Here's the state law on using sidewalks**

Sidewalks are not just the safest places for walkers and runners — they're required to be used under Florida law wherever they're available.

Florida Statute 316.130 states: "Where sidewalks are provided, no pedestrian shall, unless required by other circumstances, walk along and upon the portion of a roadway paved for vehicular traffic."

Bicycles may be ridden on sidewalks but cyclists must yield to pedestrians. Statute 316.2065 states that in most situations, cyclists "must ride in the bicycle lane or, if there is no bicycle lane on the roadway, as close as practicable to the right-hand curb or edge of the roadway." Sabal Point has sidewalks throughout but no bike lanes.