

Alternative Traction Device (ATD) means pneumatically driven chains which, when engaged, spin under the drive wheels automatically as traction is lost or a traction device differing from metal chains in construction, material or design but capable of providing traction equal to or exceeding that of such metal chains under similar conditions. [WAC 204-24-015](#)

Please consult your vehicle's owner's manual or see what the manufacturer recommends whenever considering an alternative traction device.

The following are state-approved alternative traction devices.

								
	AutoSock	Easy Grip EVO	Grip Tex	ISSE Safety	Polaire Grip	Polaire Steel	SOS Grip	Alpha Trax
Front wheel drive*	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Rear wheel drive*	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
4WD or AWD	✓	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
5 or less axles**	✓	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗
5 or more axles**	✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗	✗

*Passenger vehicles under 10,000lbs

**Vehicle or vehicle combinations over 10,000lbs