

Calendar Year 2012

Statewide Recap

Department of Public Safety

Nevada Highway Patrol

# SAFESTAT REPORT

## Nevada Highway Patrol

### VISION:

A united and diverse workforce, providing state-wide 24 hour service to an educated motoring public, and other highway users, which voluntarily complies with traffic laws, resulting in a safer highway environment.

### PHILOSOPHY:

As public servants, we will treat all persons with respect, and provide impartial, non-biased, professional and fiscally responsible service to the public. We will provide this service and keep the public trust by upholding the constitution and laws of the United States and of the State of Nevada with the utmost integrity, honesty and fairness.

### MISSION STATEMENT AND ORGANIZATIONAL GOALS

To promote safety on Nevada Highways by providing law enforcement traffic services to the motoring public. This is accomplished through five division goals:

**Prevent Loss of Life, Injuries, and Property Damage** - To minimize the loss of life, personal injury, and property damage resulting from traffic collisions or criminal acts through education, engineering and enforcement. To enforce the provisions of the Nevada Revised Statutes and other laws to prevent crime.

**Maximize Service to the Public and Assistance to Allied Agencies** - To maximize service to the public in need of aid or information, and to assist other public agencies when appropriate.

**Manage Traffic and Emergency Incidents** - To promote the safe and efficient movement of people and goods throughout Nevada, and to minimize exposure of the public to unsafe conditions resulting from emergency incidents and highway impediments.

**Protect Public and State Assets** - To protect the public, their property, state employees, and the state's infrastructure. To collaborate with local, state, and federal public safety agencies to protect Nevada.

**Improve Departmental Efficiency** - To continuously look for ways to increase the efficiency and/or effectiveness of departmental operations.

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**CRASH ANALYSIS AND OVERVIEW**

	Calendar Year 2012	Calendar Year 2011	% Change	Calendar Year 2010	% Change
Total crashes	17370	17313	0.3%	16900	2.8%
Property crashes [including commercial vehicles]	12347	12312	0.3%	12085	2.2%
Injury crashes [including commercial vehicles]	4925	4896	0.6%	4667	5.5%
Fatal crashes [including commercial vehicles]	92	105	-12.4%	129	-28.7%
DUI crashes [DUI charged]	571	733	-22.1%	641	-10.9%
Total persons killed in fatal crashes	113	125	-9.6%	140	-19.3%
Total drivers killed without seatbelts	26	34	-23.5%	35	-25.7%
Total passengers killed without seatbelts	13	18	-27.8%	17	-23.5%
Total drivers killed with seatbelts	38	37	2.7%	45	-15.6%
Total passengers killed with seatbelts	15	15	0.0%	18	-16.7%
Total persons killed - seatbelts not applicable	22	21	4.8%	40	-45.0%
Total number of commercial vehicle crashes	862	902	-4.4%	690	24.9%
Property crashes involving commercial vehicle	662	678	-2.4%	514	28.8%
Injury crashes involving commercial vehicle	188	206	8.7%	162	16.0%
Fatal crashes involving commercial vehicle	13	18	-27.8%	14	-7.1%

**CRASH ANALYSIS**

- ◆ Percentage of fatal crashes to total crashes 0.5 %
- ◆ Percentage of DUI crashes to total crashes 3.3 %
- ◆ Percentage of persons killed *without* seatbelts to total persons killed 34.5 %
- ◆ Percentage of Commercial Vehicle crashes to total crashes 5.0 %
- ◆ Total crashes up 0.3 % compared to last year.
- ◆ Commercial vehicle crashes up 0.3 % from last year.
- ◆ Fatality crashes down -12.4 % as compared to last year.

**FIELD ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY**

	Calendar Year 2012	Calendar Year 2011	% Change	Calendar Year 2010	% Change
<b>TRAFFIC OPERATIONS</b>					
DUI arrests from crashes ##	571	733	-22.1%	644	-11.3%
DUI arrests <i>prior</i> to crashes ##	2630	2981	-11.8%	3048	-13.7%
Other arrests	18682	18833	-0.8%	15085	23.8%
Total persons arrested (DUI included) ##	7462	8150	-8.4%	7193	3.7%
Speed violations	88541	101041	-12.4%	89727	-1.3%
Hazardous moving violations	38452	36059	6.6%	32824	17.1%
Occupant restraint violations * ##	10495	15030	-30.2%	13315	-21.2%
Total violations [above violations included]	251248	249341	0.8%	227518	10.4%
<b>COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS</b>					
Hazardous moving violations - citations/arrests	2007	1766	13.6%	2545	-21.1%
Other traffic violations - citations/arrests	2095	2672	-21.6%	2882	-27.3%
Total safety inspections [level 1, 2, 3, 4, & 6]	27362	27960	-2.1%	26859	1.9%
Terminal inspections [level 5] CR only	70	151	-53.6%	128	-45.3%
Total safety violations -- citation	4834	7063	-31.6%	9286	-47.9%
Total safety violations -- repair order	40117	45780	-12.4%	53977	-25.7%
Total vehicles placed "Out of Service"	2045	2066	-1.0%	2619	-21.9%
Total drivers placed "Out of Service"	1537	1704	-9.8%	1930	-20.4%
Total school buses inspected	4426	4600	-3.8%	4602	-3.8%
Total school buses placed "Out of Service"	790	721	9.6%	832	-5.0%
Total trucks weighed	17346	34916	-50.3%	22684	-23.5%
Total overweight citations	240	454	-47.1%	349	-31.2%
Total dyed fuel inspections	16052	16674	-3.7%	16977	-5.4%
Total dyed fuel citations	38	11	245.5%	16	-137.5%

\*Seatbelt and Child Restraint ## Commercial Operations Activity Included

<b>COMMERCIAL ACTIVITY [TRAFFIC PERSONNEL ONLY]</b>	Calendar Year 2012	Calendar Year 2011	Calendar Year 2010
Level 2/3 Inspections	4855	4515	3712
Total Safety Violations Citation	1253	1348	998
Total Safety Violations <b>Repair Order</b>	5647	3616	3450
Total Drivers Placed "Out of Service"	254	271	159
Total Dyed Fuel Inspections	3075	2892	3107
Total Dyed Fuel Citations	30	20	3

**DUI / IMPAIRMENT ANALYSIS**

- ◆ Average BAC 0.176%
- ◆ Average age of DUI arrests: 35 years old.

**ADMINISTRATIVE OPERATIONS**

<b>ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES</b>	Calendar Year 2012	Calendar Year 2011	% Change	Calendar Year 2010	% Change
<b>COMMUNICATION CENTER</b>					
Radio Transmissions from Console	14,776,084	9,926,316	48.9%	7,462,860	98.0%
CAD Incidents	392,025	529,692	-26.0%	639,629	-38.7%
Telephone Calls	735,578	624,758	-17.7%	650,467	-13.1%
<b>FRONT OFFICE</b>					
Accident Reports Processed	17,852	17,964	-0.6%	18,384	-2.9%
Arrest Reports Processed	7,410	6,674	11.0%	6,949	6.6%
Incident / Officer Reports Processed	327	543	-39.8%	494	-33.8%
<b>COURT/ WARRANT</b>					
Warrants Received	17,392	17,577	-1.1%	19,035	-8.6%
Warrants Entered	13,332	13,378	-0.3%	16,556	-19.5%
Warrants Cleared	10,950	10,861	0.8%	15,952	-31.4%
Warrants Validated	87,898	82,965	5.9%	71,972	22.1%
Extradition / Transports	469	355	32.1%	554	-15.3%
<b>CONTRACT SERVICES</b>					
Total Contracts	384	262	46.6%	230	67.0%
Total Hours	912870.5	14718.66	6102.1%	9889.21	9131.0%
Total Amount Billed	\$68,674,693	\$1,092,975.90	6183.3%	\$746,607.39	9098.2%

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