

July 2013

Department of Public Safety

Nevada Highway Patrol

# SAFESTAT REPORT

*Nevada Highway Patrol*

**Office of the Deputy Chief**

## Overview

Southern Command personnel handled 1,056 crashes in July 2013. Of these, 773 were property damage, 279 were injury, and 4 were fatal. The total crashes increased by 1.0% compared to last year. When compared to last year, fatalities decreased by 66.7%. 72 of these crashes involved commercial vehicles; 15 of the commercial crashes resulted in injuries, 57 were property damage, and 0 resulted in fatality. Crashes involving commercial vehicles represented 6.8% of the total crashes handled by the Southern Command. Impaired drivers were responsible for 2.8 % of all crashes in the Southern Command.

The Southern Command is driven to provide this community with a professional and effective law enforcement presence. The Southern Command extends a thank you to all those who assisted us in gaining success in our law enforcement services this past month.

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## CRASH ANALYSIS AND OVERVIEW

	July 2013	July 12	% Change	June 13	% Change
Total crashes	1056	1045	1.0%	977	8.0%
Property crashes [including commercial vehicles]	773	751	2.9%	686	12.7%
Injury crashes [including commercial vehicles]	279	288	-3.1%	283	-1.4%
Fatal crashes [including commercial vehicles]	4	6	-66.7%	8	-75.0%
DUI crashes [DUI charged]	30	21	42.9%	23	30.4%
Total persons killed in fatal crashes	5	6	-16.7%	8	-37.5%
Total drivers killed without seatbelts	0	2	-200.0%	2	-200.0%
Total passengers killed without seatbelts	2	1	100.0%	0	200.0%
Total drivers killed with seatbelts	0	1	-100.0%	2	-200.0%
Total passengers killed with seatbelts	1	1	0.0%	0	100.0%
Total persons killed - seatbelts not applicable	2	1	100.0%	4	-50.0%
Total number of commercial vehicle crashes	72	40	80.0%	62	16.1%
Property crashes involving commercial vehicle	57	34	67.6%	44	29.5%
Injury crashes involving commercial vehicle	15	6	150.0%	15	0.0%
Fatal crashes involving commercial vehicle	0	0	0.0%	3	-300.0%

## CRASH ANALYSIS

- ✿ Percentage of fatal crashes to total crashes .18 %
- ✿ Percentage of DUI crashes to total crashes 2.8%
- ✿ Percentage of persons killed *without* seatbelts to total persons killed 66%
- ✿ Percentage of commercial vehicle crashes to total crashes 6.8 %
- ✿ Total crashes increased 1.0% compared to last year.
- ✿ Commercial vehicle crashes increased 80.0 % from last year.
- ✿ Fatality crashes decreased 66.7% compared to last year.

## PERFORMANCE MEASURES

Total Contacts	15,016
Total Interdiction Contacts (ICE)	412
Total Traffic Safety Program Operations	11

## FIELD ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY

[Analysis and review of current reporting period, versus same period in previous fiscal year, versus previous reporting period]

TRAFFIC OPERATIONS	July 2013	July 2012	% Change	June 13	% Change
DUI arrests from crashes	30	21	42.9%	23	30.4%
DUI arrests <i>prior</i> to crashes	125	137	-8.8%	156	-19.9%
Other Arrests	851	1043	-18.4%	896	-5.0%
Total persons arrested (DUI included)	322	372	-13.4%	340	-5.3%
Speed violations	3812	3538	7.7%	3320	14.8%
Hazardous moving violations	1864	1638	13.8%	2093	-10.9%
Occupant restraint violations *	405	314	29.0%	350	15.7%
Total violations** [above violations included]	10400	10098	3.0%	9938	4.6%
<b>COMMERCIAL OPERATIONS</b>					
Hazardous moving violations - citations/arrests	123	19	547.4%	101	21.8%
Other traffic violations - citations/arrests	139	53	162.3%	158	-12.0%
Total safety inspections [level 1, 2, 3, 4, & 6]	759	810	-6.3%	1324	-42.7%
Terminal inspections [level 5]	2	0	200.0%	1	100.0%
Total safety violations -- citation	209	193	8.3%	224	-6.7%
Total safety violations -- repair order	1585	1325	19.6%	1756	-9.7%
Total vehicles placed "Out of Service"	101	77	31.2%	99	2.0%
Total drivers placed "Out of Service"	63	62	1.6%	77	-18.2%
Total school buses inspected	261	377	-30.8%	109	139.4%
Total school buses placed "Out of Service"	35	91	-61.5%	219	-84.0%
Total trucks weighed	811	30	2603.3%	1579	-48.6%
Total overweight citations	6	3	100.0%	22	-72.7%
Total dyed fuel inspections	404	523	-22.8%	522	-22.6%
Total dyed fuel citations	0	1	-100.0%	0	0.0%

\*Seatbelt and Child Restraint

COMMERCIAL ACTIVITY [TRAFFIC PERSONNEL ONLY]	2013	2012
Level 2/3 Inspections	47	8
Safety Violations Citation	14	2
Safety Violations <b>Repair Order</b>	14	9
Drivers Placed "Out of Service"	1	2
Dyed Fuel Inspections	0	1
Dyed Fuel Citations	0	0

