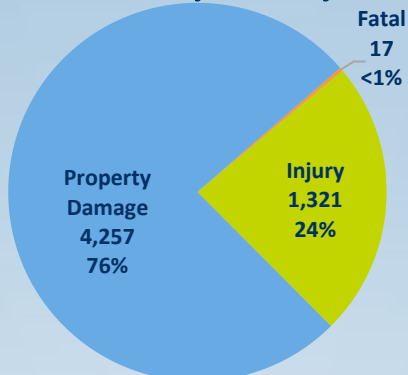




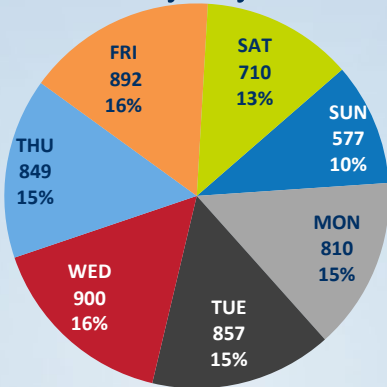
# FAST FACTS

## 2025 Mahoning County Traffic Crashes

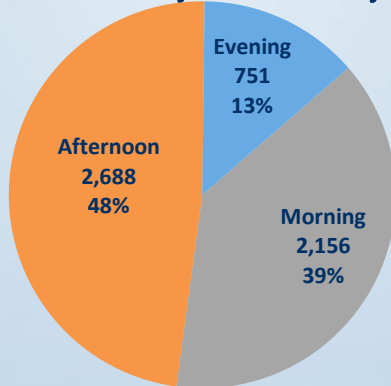
### Crashes by Severity



### Crashes by Day of Week



### Crashes by Time of Day

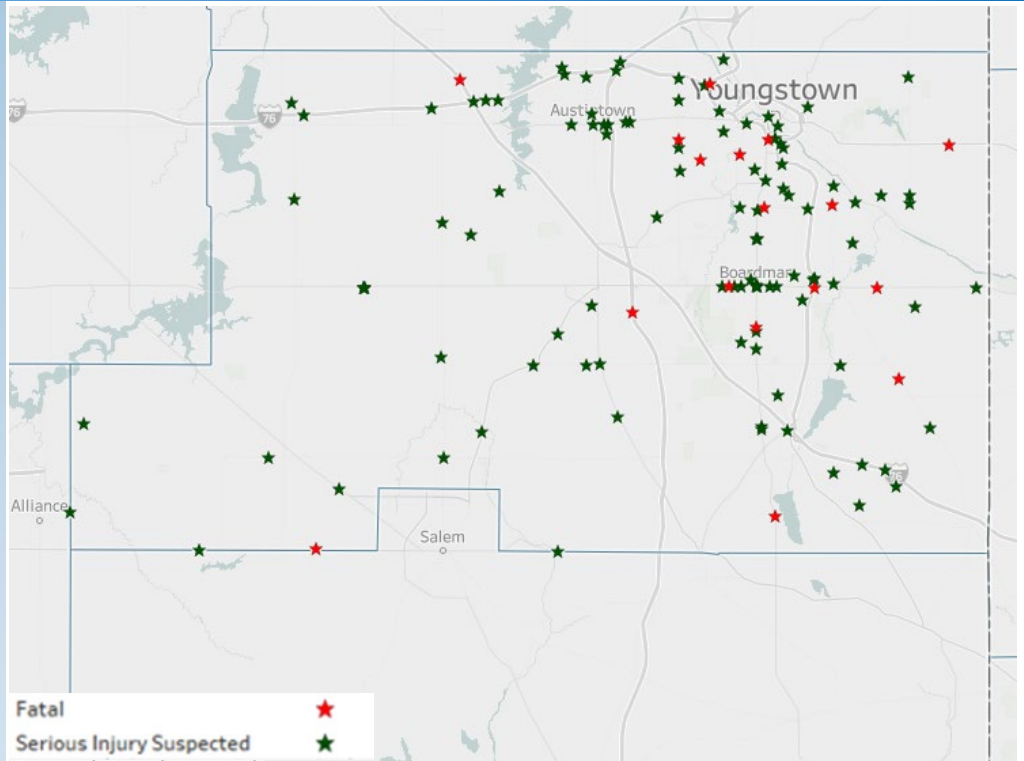


Mahoning County Safety Belt Compliance Rate

80.0%

Statewide Safety Belt Compliance Rate

87.8%



### Crash Severity

| Crash Severity  | 2023  | 2024  | 2025  | Total  | Average |
|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|--------|---------|
| Fatal           | 10    | 17    | 17    | 44     | 15      |
| Serious Injury  | 112   | 114   | 105   | 331    | 110     |
| Minor Injury    | 707   | 678   | 677   | 2,062  | 687     |
| Injury Possible | 531   | 555   | 539   | 1,625  | 542     |
| Property Damage | 3,868 | 3,962 | 4,257 | 12,087 | 4,029   |

### Select Crash Categories

| Category                           | 2023  | 2024  | 2025  | Total | Average |
|------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|---------|
| Youth -Related (Driver Age 15 -24) | 1,561 | 1,619 | 1,634 | 4,814 | 1,605   |
| Failure to Yield -Related          | 914   | 970   | 1,004 | 2,888 | 963     |
| Teen-Related (Driver Age 15 -19)   | 699   | 727   | 757   | 2,183 | 728     |
| Speed -Related                     | 588   | 610   | 623   | 1,821 | 607     |
| Commercial -Related                | 302   | 339   | 349   | 990   | 330     |
| Ran Red Light/Stop Sign            | 325   | 309   | 304   | 938   | 313     |
| Distracted -Related                | 233   | 217   | 187   | 637   | 212     |
| OVI-Related                        | 185   | 167   | 157   | 509   | 170     |
| Drug -Related                      | 40    | 45    | 41    | 126   | 42      |

### Top 3 Routes

| Route  | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 | Total | Average |
|--------|------|------|------|-------|---------|
| US-224 | 554  | 547  | 637  | 1,738 | 579     |
| IR-680 | 239  | 282  | 250  | 771   | 257     |
| IR-76  | 236  | 242  | 238  | 716   | 239     |

Additional crash information for Mahoning County is available from the OSTATS Crash Dashboard at: <https://statepatrol.ohio.gov/ostats>



### Share the Road with Pedestrians, Bicycles & Motorcycles

- Stay alert and slow down in areas with heavy pedestrian or bicycle activity, especially at crosswalks and intersections.
- Give at least three feet of space when passing bicycles and motorcycles – allow a safe buffer and only pass when it's legal and clear.
- Check blind spots carefully, as pedestrians, bicyclists, and motorcycles can be harder to see than cars.

### Stay Focused and Stay in Your Lane

- 26% of Ohio's fatal crashes over the last 5 years were the result of driving off the roadway.
- Driving off the road is the 2<sup>nd</sup> most common factor in teen crashes in Ohio. Speeding is #1.
- Distraction often causes drivers to drift out of their lane which puts themselves, their passengers, and others on the road in danger.
- Ohio's distracted driving law makes it illegal to use or hold a cell phone in your hand or on your lap while driving.

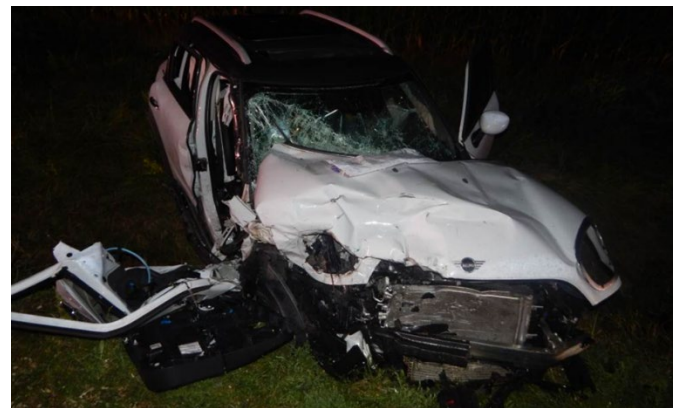
### Ohio's App to Practice Safe Driving Skills



- RoadReady Ohio is a free app for new drivers that helps them log their required 50 hours of driving practice.
- Beginning April 1, 2026, the BMV will require new drivers to submit a detailed log of supervised driving hours with their 50 Hour Affidavit.

## Three Injured in Head On Crash Involving Drunk Driver

On September 28, 2025, the driver of a black car was traveling west on US 224 in Berlin Township. Just before 8:30 p.m., he crossed the center line near Duck Creek Road and struck a white car which was traveling eastbound at 54 mph. The driver and passenger in the white car were taken to the hospital with serious injuries and broken bones. The driver of the black car also sustained serious injuries and toxicology tests showed his blood alcohol content was .275 – more than three times the legal limit. He was arrested for OVI and Aggravated Vehicular Assault.



## Distracted Driving and Alcohol Involved in Teen's Crash

A 17-year-old driver was traveling west on State Route 165 around 9:30 p.m. on November 13, 2025. She crossed the center line near mile post 9, went off the left side of the road, and hit a utility pole. The teen driver was wearing a seat belt and was not hurt. Troopers say she was using a cell phone at the time of the crash, and a breathalyzer test showed her blood alcohol content was .155. She was charged with OVI and Failure to Control.

