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## JUNE TRAFFIC FATALITY TOLL

**29**

During the month of June 2016, twenty-nine persons were killed in traffic crashes on Nebraska roadways, according to data collected by the Nebraska Department of Roads.

- ◆ These 29 fatalities occurred in 24 crashes
- ◆ Seventeen of the 24 vehicle occupants killed were not using safety belts
- ◆ Three fatalities occurred on the interstate, eighteen happened on non-interstate highways, and eight took place on local roads
- ◆ Twenty-three of the fatalities occurred in rural locations
- ◆ Four of the fatalities were motorcyclists
- ◆ One of the fatalities was a pedestrian
- ◆ Eleven persons died as a result of run-off-the-road crashes

**For the Daily Count, visit this website:**

<http://www.roads.nebraska.gov/media/3340/tollcompare.pdf>

### COMPARISON WITH PREVIOUS YEARS

JANUARY THRU JUNE	FATALITIES	FATAL CRASHES	% CHANGE v. 2016 (FATALITIES)
2016	100	90	
2015	112	101	- 10.7
2014	107	93	- 6.5
2013	100	88	- 0.0
2012	92	86	+ 8.7
2012-2015 Avg.	103	92	- 2.9

- ◆ There were 13 fatalities in June of 2015
- ◆ Sixty-one of the 83 vehicle occupants killed during 2016 were not using safety belts (73.5%)
- ◆ June was the deadliest month on Nebraska roadways so far this year. The 29 fatalities were also the most in a month since September of 2012 when 29 persons were also killed.

This report includes information available through July 15, 2016, from the Highway Safety/Accident Records Section, Traffic Engineering Division, Nebraska Department of Roads. For additional information, contact NDOR Communication Division at (402) 479-4512.



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