

## Atlantic County Highway Safety Fatal Crash Summary Report January 1, 2006 - December 31, 2006

### Fatalities By Year:

|             |    |
|-------------|----|
| <b>2006</b> | 58 |
| <b>2005</b> | 62 |
| <b>2004</b> | 38 |

### 2006 Highway Fatalities

|                |    |               |   |
|----------------|----|---------------|---|
| January 2003   | 4  | February 2003 | 3 |
| January 2004   | 2  | February 2004 | 2 |
| January 2005   | 5  | February 2005 | 1 |
| January 2006   | 3  | February 2006 | 5 |
| March 2003     | 1  | April 2003    | 2 |
| March 2004     | 3  | April 2004    | 3 |
| March 2005     | 4  | April 2005    | 3 |
| March 2006     | 1  | April 2006    | 7 |
| May 2003       | 4  | June 2003     | 7 |
| May 2004       | 4  | June 2004     | 1 |
| May 2005       | 3  | June 2005     | 7 |
| May 2006       | 8  | June 2006     | 5 |
| July 2003      | 5  | August 2003   | 4 |
| July 2004      | 3  | August 2004   | 4 |
| July 2005      | 13 | August 2005   | 2 |
| July 2006      | 4  | August 2006   | 4 |
| September 2003 | 2  | October 2003  | 1 |
| September 2004 | 4  | October 2004  | 5 |
| September 2005 | 6  | October 2005  | 2 |
| September 2006 | 7  | October 2006  | 3 |
| November 2003  | 2  | December 2003 | 3 |
| November 2004  | 4  | December 2004 | 2 |
| November 2005  | 7  | December 2005 | 7 |
| November 2006  | 9  | December 2006 | 2 |

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**Fatalities by Municipality**

|                      |    |
|----------------------|----|
| Absecon              | 4  |
| Atlantic City        | 3  |
| Buena Vista Township | 2  |
| Egg Harbor Township  | 12 |
| Estell Manor         | 2  |
| Galloway Township    | 8  |
| Hamilton Township    | 12 |
| Hammonton            | 3  |
| Mullica Township     | 3  |
| Pleasantville        | 6  |
| Port Republic        | 1  |
| Ventnor              | 1  |
| Weymouth Township    | 1  |

**Roadway Category/Fatal Crashes**

|                       |            |              |
|-----------------------|------------|--------------|
| <b>County Road</b>    | 12 Crashes | ( 13 Deaths) |
| <b>Municipal Road</b> | 11 Crashes | ( 12 Deaths) |
| <b>State Hwy.</b>     | 31 Crashes | ( 33 Deaths) |

**Includes:**

- **Route 30** 8 ( 9 Deaths)
- **Route 322/40** 9 ( 9 Deaths)
- **AC Expressway** 2 ( 2 Deaths)
- **Route 50** 3 ( 3 Deaths)
- **Route 54** 1 ( 1 Death)
- **Route 9** 1 ( 1 Death)
- **Garden State Parkway** 6 ( 7 Deaths)
- **Route 652** 1 ( 1 Death)

**Persons Killed**

|                     |    |
|---------------------|----|
| <b>Driver</b>       | 30 |
| <b>Passenger</b>    | 10 |
| <b>Pedestrian</b>   | 10 |
| <b>Motorcyclist</b> | 7  |
| <b>Bicyclist</b>    | 1  |

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**Contributing Circumstances**

|                                       |    |
|---------------------------------------|----|
| <b>Alcohol/Drug Involvement</b>       | 9  |
| <b>Unsafe Speed</b>                   | 12 |
| <b>Black Ice</b>                      | 1  |
| <b>Driver Inattention</b>             | 11 |
| <b>Driver Fell Asleep</b>             | 2  |
| <b>Pedestrian Inattention</b>         | 5  |
| <b>Jay-Walking</b>                    | 4  |
| <b>Motorcyclist Inattention</b>       | 1  |
| <b>Failure to Obey Traffic Signal</b> | 2  |
| <b>Failure to Yield</b>               | 1  |
| <b>Failure to Signal</b>              | 1  |
| <b>Improper Turn</b>                  | 1  |
| <b>Crushed Under Vehicle</b>          | 1  |
| <b>Medical Condition</b>              | 2  |
| <b>Unknown</b>                        | 1  |

**Safety Equipment**

|                           |                                   |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <b>No Restraint</b>       | 20 (One airbag, but no restraint) |
| <b>Belt &amp; Harness</b> | 17                                |
| <b>Helmet</b>             | 7                                 |
| <b>Pedestrian N/A</b>     | 10                                |
| <b>Bicyclist N/A</b>      | 1                                 |
| <b>Unknown</b>            | 3                                 |

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**Fatalities by Roadways & Municipality**

| <b>State Roadways</b>                                      | <b>Municipality</b> | <b>Victim</b> | <b>#</b> |
|--|---------------------|---------------|----------|
| Route 30 (White Horse Pike) W. of Elwood Rd.<br>MM 35.5 EB | Mullica Twsp.       | Passenger     | 1        |
| Route 30 (White Horse Pike) & Shore Rd.                    | Absecon             | Pedestrian    | 1        |
| Route 30 ( 707 White Horse Pike)                           | Absecon             | Driver        | 1        |
| Route 30 (White Horse Pike) & MLK Blvd.                    | AC                  | Passenger     | 1        |
| Route 30 & Poplar Ave EB                                   | Galloway            | Driver        | 1        |
| Route 30 EB MM 202   | Galloway            | Pedestrian    | 1        |
| Route 30   | Absecon             | Pedestrian    | 1        |
| Route 30 @ Old Forks Rd. <b>(Double Fatal)</b>             | Hammonton           | Driver        | 1        |
|  |                     | Passenger     | 1        |
| Route 322/40 MM 58.6 EB                                    | Pleasantville       | Pedestrian    | 1        |
| Route 322/40 & Malaga Rd.                                  | Hamilton Twsp.      | Driver        | 1        |
| Route 322/40 MM 42.5 WB                                    | Hamilton Twsp.      | Driver        | 1        |
| Route 322/40 MM 38.9 EB                                    | Hamilton Twsp.      | Pedestrian    | 1        |
| Route 322 EB MM 39   | Folsom              | Motorcyclist  | 1        |
| 1  |                     |               |          |
| Route 40 (Black Horse Pike) MM 19                          | Hamilton Twsp.      | Motorcyclist  | 1        |
| Route 40 (Black Horse Pike) & Main Street                  | Pleasantville       | Pedestrian    | 1        |
| Route 40 (Black Horse Pike)                                | EHT                 | Pedestrian    | 1        |
| Route 40 (Black Horse Pike) & Tremont Ave                  | EHT                 | Driver        | 1        |
| AC Expressway MM 15.94 WB                                  | Hamilton Twsp.      | Driver        | 1        |
| AC Expressway & Service Rd. MM 26.9                        | Hammonton           | Driver        | 1        |
| Garden State Parkway MM 47.1 NB                            | Port Republic       | Passenger     | 1        |
| Garden State Parkway MM 37 NB                              | EHT                 | Motorcyclist  | 1        |
| Garden State Parkway MM 43 NB <b>(Double Fatal)</b>        | Galloway            | Driver        | 1        |
|  |                     | Passenger     | 1        |
| Garden State Parkway MM43.2 NB                             | Galloway            | Driver        | 1        |
| Garden State Parkway SB MM 39.1                            | EHT                 | Motorcyclist  | 1        |
| Garden State Parkway EB MM 7.0                             | EHT                 | Driver        | 1        |
| Route 50 SB MM 15  | Estell Manor        | Motorcyclist  | 1        |
| Route 50 NB MM 16  | Estell Manor        | Driver        | 1        |
| Route 50 & 9th Street                                      | Hamilton Twsp.      | Driver        | 1        |
| Route 54 MM 1.1 NB   | Buena Vista Twsp.   | Driver        | 1        |
| Route 9 (New Rd.) & Church St. SB                          | Pleasantville       | Driver        | 1        |
| Route 636 SB   | EHT                 | Bicyclist     | 1        |

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**County Roadways**

|  |                |              |   |
|--|----------------|--------------|---|
| Route 559 (Weymouth Rd.) MM 19.8 SB                | Hamilton Twsp. | Driver       | 1 |
| Ridge Avenue & Mill Road (CR 662)                  | EHT            | Driver       | 1 |
| Main Street (Shore Rd.) & Park Avenue              | Pleasantville  | Motorcyclist | 1 |
| Aloe Street & Route 686                            | Galloway       | Driver       | 1 |
| Ventnor Avenue (CR 629) & Cornwall Avenue          | Ventnor        | Driver       | 1 |
| Pitnet Rd. 1/2 Mile of Moss Mill Rd.               | Galloway       | Driver       | 1 |
| Mill Road W of Tremont Avenue                      | EHT            | Driver       | 1 |
| 6812-6815 Delilah Road                             | EHT            | Motorcyclist | 1 |
| CR 666 & 13th Street (Cape May Ave)                | Weymouth Twsp. | Driver       | 1 |
| Cologne Ave  | Hamilton Twsp. | Driver       | 1 |
| Tilton Rd. (Shore Mall Entrance) NB                | EHT            | Driver       | 1 |
| N. Main St. & Redwood Ave. ( <b>Double Fatal</b> ) | Pleasantville  | Driver       | 1 |
|  |                | Passenger    | 1 |

**Municipal Streets**

|  |                |            |   |
|--|----------------|------------|---|
| 51 S New York Avenue                                     | AC             | Pedestrian | 1 |
| Tennessee & Atlantic                                     | AC             | Pedestrian | 1 |
| Estelle Avenue off Landis Avenue ( <b>Double Fatal</b> ) | Hamilton Twsp. | Driver     | 1 |
|  |                | Passenger  | 1 |
| Estelle Ave.   | Hamilton Twsp. | Driver     | 1 |
| McCall Ave. near 1st Ave.                                | Hamilton Twsp. | Pedestrian | 1 |
| Aloe Street & Frankfurt Avenue                           | Galloway       | Passenger  | 1 |
| New Jersey Avenue (Parking Lot)                          | Absecon        | Driver     | 1 |
| Reading Avenue EB  | Mullica Twsp.  | Driver     | 1 |
| 4746 Reading Avenue                                      | Mullica Twsp.  | Passenger  | 1 |
| Tremont Ave. & Mt. Vernon Ave. NB                        | EHT            | Driver     | 1 |
| New Jersey Ave. & Ridge Ave.                             | EHT            | Passenger  | 1 |

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**Weather & Surface Conditions**

|                     |    |
|---------------------|----|
| <b>Clear/Dry</b>    | 48 |
| <b>Rain/Wet</b>     | 2  |
| <b>Ice/Snow</b>     | 1  |
| <b>Fog/Rain/Wet</b> | 3  |

**Time Of Day**

|                    |    |
|--------------------|----|
| <b>6 AM - 6 PM</b> | 24 |
| <b>6 PM - 6 AM</b> | 30 |

**Light Conditions**

|                        |    |
|------------------------|----|
| <b>Day Light</b>       | 23 |
| <b>Dawn or Dusk</b>    | 7  |
| <b>Dark, Lights On</b> | 24 |
| <b>Dark, No Lights</b> | 0  |

**Day Of Week**

|                  |    |
|------------------|----|
| <b>Monday</b>    | 7  |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | 4  |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | 6  |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | 6  |
| <b>Friday</b>    | 7  |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | 6  |
| <b>Sunday</b>    | 18 |

**Age**

|                |    |
|----------------|----|
| <b>0-16</b>    | 1  |
| <b>17-20</b>   | 7  |
| <b>21-29</b>   | 16 |
| <b>30-54</b>   | 15 |
| <b>55-64</b>   | 5  |
| <b>65+</b>     | 13 |
| <b>Unknown</b> | 1  |

|               |    |
|---------------|----|
| <b>Male</b>   | 42 |
| <b>Female</b> | 16 |

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**Victim Residence**

|                        |    |
|------------------------|----|
| <b>County Resident</b> | 33 |
| <b>Non County</b>      | 20 |
| <b>Out of State</b>    | 3  |
| <b>Unknown</b>         | 2  |

**Statistical Data Resources - Atlantic County Medical Examiner; Atlantic County Association of Chiefs of Police; NJ State Police & NJ FARS.**

**Note: Some statistics could change pending the outcome of ongoing investigations.**

