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MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS

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SUMMARY OF ALL REPORTED ACCIDENTS IN * RURAL AREAS OF TEXAS FOR AUGUST 1983

Prepared by TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY * INCLUDES TOWNS TO 5,000 POP.

THIS SUMMARY INCLUDES REPORTS AND INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON 09-20-83

1. CURRENT PERIOD		NUMBER OF ACCIDENTS											
A. TYPE OF ACCIDENT	TOTAL				ON ROADWAY				OFF ROADWAY				
	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY	TOTAL	FATAL	INJURY	NON-INJURY	
PEDESTRIAN	76	16	60	0	72	15	57	0	4	1	3	0	
MOTOR VEHICLE IN TRAFFIC	4371	62	1362	2947	4311	60	1342	2909	60	2	20	38	
RAILROAD TRAIN	27	5	11	11	27	5	11	11	0	0	0	0	
PARKED MOTOR VEHICLE	277	4	53	220	119	0	13	106	158	4	40	114	
PEDALCYCLIST	39	0	39	0	37	0	37	0	2	0	2	0	
ANIMAL	265	1	53	211	264	1	53	210	1	0	0	1	
FIXED OBJECT	1422	41	649	732	38	1	11	26	1384	40	638	706	
OTHER OBJECT	59	0	16	43	50	0	14	36	9	0	2	7	
MOTOR VEH. OTHER ROAD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
OVERTURNED	710	33	421	256	138	9	87	42	572	24	334	214	
OTHER NON-COLLISION	115	3	40	72	59	3	26	30	56	0	14	42	
TOTALS	7361	165	2704	4492	5115	94	1651	3370	2246	71	1053	1122	

NUMBER OF PERSONS				
KILLED	INJURED	INJURY SEVERITY		
		A	B	C
16	63	34	25	4
86	2506	449	1032	1025
8	20	8	6	6
4	78	20	32	26
0	43	10	28	5
1	90	8	25	56
48	907	231	472	204
0	19	4	7	8
0	0	0	0	0
37	653	195	325	133
3	46	10	27	9
203	4425	969	1980	1476

2. COMPARATIVE TOTALS		TOTAL						ON ROADWAY					
A. TYPE OF ACCIDENT	THIS YEAR TO DATE			SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR			PERCENT CHANGE IN DEATHS	THIS YEAR TO DATE			SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR		
	ACCIDENTS	KILLED	INJURED	ACCIDENTS	KILLED	INJURED		ACCIDENTS	KILLED	INJURED	ACCIDENTS	KILLED	INJURED
PEDESTRIAN	555	115	494	684	163	593		491	101	424	602	143	515
MOTOR VEHICLE IN TRAFFIC	34876	589	19188	35520	759	19128		34320	567	18899	34993	726	18843
RAILROAD TRAIN	177	27	106	206	41	110		174	27	102	201	39	110
PARKED MOTOR VEHICLE	2462	32	596	2656	33	731		1043	3	121	938	2	123
PEDALCYCLIST	232	9	238	252	13	255		221	8	226	237	11	240
ANIMAL	2167	4	481	2144	3	400	*	2158	4	480	2134	3	358
FIXED OBJECT	12723	355	7716	13020	328	7621		303	5	120	418	1	170
OTHER OBJECT	431	6	174	411	12	206		363	5	144	342	9	172
MOTOR VEH. OTHER ROAD	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
OVERTURNED	5681	199	5020	6151	214	5086		990	46	882	902	53	842
OTHER NON-COLLISION	857	11	282	824	30	251		431	11	167	417	27	149
TOTALS	60161	1347	34297	61868	1596	34381		40494	777	21565	41184	1014	21562

INJURY SEVERITY			
MILEAGE RATES	THIS YEAR TO DATE	SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR	PER CENT CHANGE
REPORTED MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC DEATHS	1,347	1,596	*
REPORTED MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC INJURIES	34,297	34,381	-0.2%
ESTIMATED VEHICLE MILES TRAVELED (MILLIONS)	37,991	36,764	+ 3%
DEATH RATE PER 100,000,000 VEHICLE MILES	3.5	4.3	*
INJURY RATE PER 100,000,000 VEHICLE MILES	90.3	93.5	- 3%

3. TIME HOUR BEGINNING		TOTAL ACCIDENTS		SUNDAY		MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY		SATURDAY		PEDESTRIAN		PEDALCYCLIST	
		ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL	ALL	FATAL
MIDNIGHT		239	8	49	3	30	1	24	1	16	0	28	0	24	1	68	2	5	4	0	0
1:00 A.M.		222	9	67	4	15	0	15	3	22	0	20	2	17	0	66	0	4	1	0	0
2:00 A.M.		194	9	62	2	17	1	11	0	14	1	24	0	24	1	42	4	3	1	0	0
3:00 A.M.		116	2	23	2	17	0	10	0	17	0	13	0	13	0	23	0	2	0	0	0
4:00 A.M.		78	5	22	3	13	0	8	1	3	0	7	0	8	1	17	0	1	1	0	0
5:00 A.M.		103	2	21	1	14	0	12	1	9	0	17	0	9	0	21	0	0	0	0	0
6:00 A.M.		170	4	18	0	26	0	41	1	23	0	18	0	25	0	19	3	2	0	1	0
7:00 A.M.		270	3	14	0	50	0	47	0	55	1	36	0	52	1	16	1	2	0	0	0
8:00 A.M.		269	2	15	0	56	0	58	0	49	1	30	0	29	0	32	1	3	0	2	0
9:00 A.M.		277	1	19	1	50	0	44	0	40	0	44	0	40	0	40	0	1	0	1	0
10:00 A.M.		290	2	15	0	55	0	46	0	44	0	44	1	38	0	44	1	0	0	0	0
11:00 A.M.		350	4	31	0	56	0	53	0	62	1	57	1	45	1	46	1	1	0	3	0
NOON		350	5	39	0	57	1	48	1	45	2	58	1	52	0	51	0	3	1	3	0
1:00 P.M.		398	13	39	3	69	4	66	1	61	1	47	2	60	0	56	2	2	0	8	0
2:00 P.M.		367	7	29	0	65	3	55	1	70	1	48	1	62	0	38	1	2	0	1	0
3:00 P.M.		497	7	44	2	81	0	80	1	76	0	76	2	66	0	74	2	2	0	4	0
4:00 P.M.		543	9	57	1	66	3	90	2	77	0	85	0	92	0	76	3	7	0	2	0
5:00 P.M.		606	15	72	4	97	2	100	3	89	4	84	0	81	1	83	1	2	0	1	0
6:00 P.M.		457	5	72	1	61	0	68	0	69	1	58	0	58	1	71	2	2	0	6	0
7:00 P.M.		364	12	55	3	49	4	44	2	40	0	46	1	62	1	64	1	6	0	1	0
8:00 P.M.		305	13	45	5	39	1	35	1	43	2	37	2	48	0	58	2	9	3	4	0
9:00 P.M.		336	10	53	1	36	2	35	1	55	1	45	3	67	0	45	2	4	1	1	0
10:00 P.M.		274	9	30	3	24	0	43	1	43	0	36	2	58	1	40	2	9	2	1	0
11:00 P.M.		286	9	42	2	34	0	33	1	23	0	32	2	66	3	56	1	4	2	0	0
TOTALS		7361	165	941	41	1077	22	1066	22	1045	16	990	20	1096	12	1146	32	76	16	39	0

NOTE: Beginning with January 1, 1983 accidents, a death will not be counted if it occurs more than 30 days after the accident date. Fatal accidents and deaths for 1983 cannot be compared with prior years; however, about 98% of all deaths occur within 30 days after the accident date.

ALL FIGURES ON THIS REPORT ARE PRELIMINARY. To insure proper comparison, 1982 figures are the preliminary figures covering the same reporting period as those of 1983.

