Hot Topics In Traffic Safety

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- One will die violently in a vehicle crash during his/her lifetime

- 7 will be injured in a crash during their lifetimes…some more than once.
Traffic Deaths

- Traffic Deaths
- Fatalities (Linear Projection at -20)

Years: 2003 to 2030

Traffic Deaths:
- 2007: 896
- 2011: 816
- 2027: 496

Fatalities (Linear Projection at -20):
- 2027: 496
Severe Crashes

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SEVERE CRASHES

- **Unknown**: 132
- **Local/City Road**: 1246
- **County Road**: 642
- **State Road**: 768
- **US Route**: 480
- **Interstate**: 255
Intersection Casualties

- **Unknown**: 20 (Incapacitating), 2 (Fatal)
- **Local/City Road**: 112 (Incapacitating), 19 (Fatal)
- **County Road**: 254 (Incapacitating), 56 (Fatal)
- **State Road**: 254 (Incapacitating), 56 (Fatal)
- **US Route**: 194 (Incapacitating), 42 (Fatal)

Legend:
- INCAPACITATING
- FATAL
Prevent Lane Departure Crashes
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Reduce Severity of Lane Departure Crashes
Reduce Severity of Intersection Crashes
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Build a GIS Base Map of Crashes

- GIS can use combinations of mapped variables
- Build and analyze new variables
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