

# CRASHES ARE NOT ACCIDENTS

COMMITMENT TO ZERO

An Action Plan >>> for Safer Streets in Ocala Marion

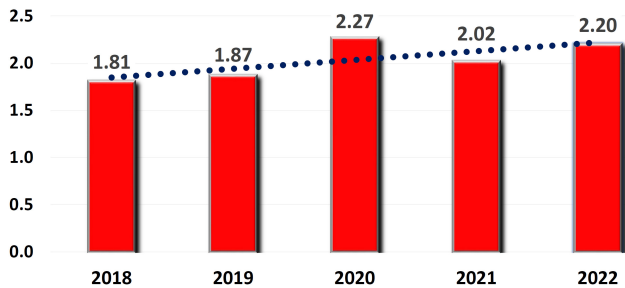


Traffic crashes are the result of preventable human error and systemic design. They are fixable problems. Each traffic-related death and serious injury are more than a number with profound impacts felt throughout the entire community.

In 2022, the Ocala/Marion Community experienced:

**105** Fatalities   **473** Serious Injuries   **9,261** Total Crashes

Fatality Crash Rate by Year - 2018 to 2022



\*fatalities per 100 million vehicle miles traveled

Marion County's \*fatality rate is much higher than state and national rates (40 to 70%).

Traffic fatalities in Marion County are growing by an average of 6.5% a year.

## Top Three Fatal Crash Types

Run-Off-Road



Pedestrian and Bicycle Crashes



Angle/Left Turn Crashes



## Major Factors in Fatal and Serious Injury Crashes in Marion County

Not Wearing a Seatbelt  
Speeding

Impairment  
Lighting Conditions

Distracted Driving  
Arterial Roadways