

Honoring Those Who Have Made the Ultimate Sacrifice

Every day a State Trooper goes on duty, knowing their life may end that day protecting and serving the citizens of their state. Yet each day Troopers throughout the country, who are often overlooked, proudly do so to help protect the lives of our loved ones and keep our highways safe. All of them have given some, and some have given all. We ask that you join us in honoring the brave men and women who have made the ultimate sacrifice. Our thoughts and prayers go out to the families whose lives are changed forever and will be without a father, a mother, a spouse or a child.



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AUDIO: Noises that distract you



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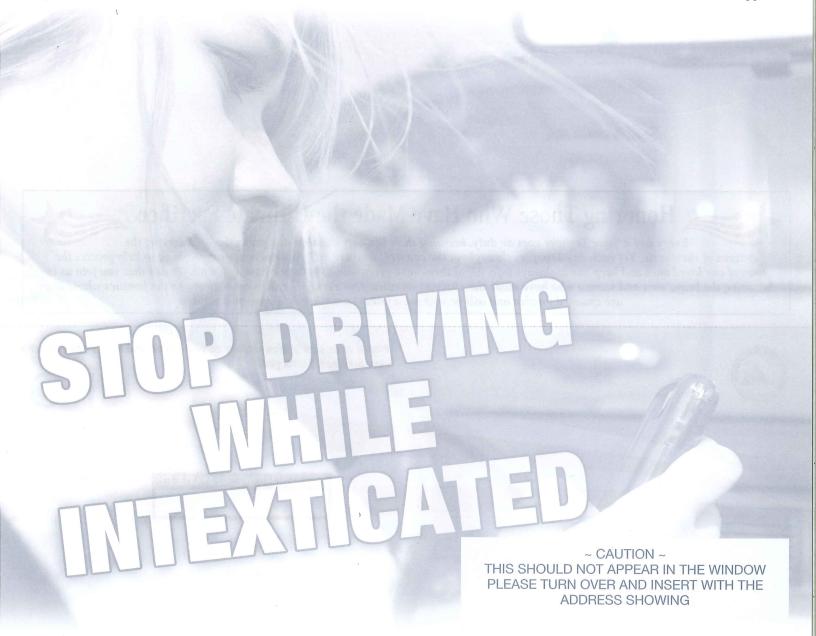


COGNITIVE: Taking your mind off the road

DEGREES OF DISTRACTION

Texting is the most dangerous distraction because it requires three of the primary degrees of attention required to drive safely: visual, manual, and cognitive.

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Law Enforcement's Code of Ethics

As a Law Enforcement officer, my fundamental duty is to serve mankind; to safeguard lives and property; to protect the innocent against deception, the weak against oppression or intimidation, and the peaceful against violence or disorder; and to respect the Constitutional rights of all men to liberty, equality and justice.

I will keep my private life unsullied as an example to all; maintain courageous calm in the face of danger, scorn, or ridicule; develop self-restraint; and be constantly mindful of the welfare of others. Honest in thought and deed in both my personal and official life, I will be exemplary in obeying the laws of the land and the regulations of my department. Whatever I see or hear of a confidential nature or that is confided to me in my official capacity will be kept ever secret unless revelation is necessary in the performance of my duty.

I will never act officiously or permit personal feelings, prejudices, animosities, or friendships to influence my decisions. With no compromise for crime and with relentless prosecution of criminals, I will enforce the law courteously and appropriately without fear or favor, malice or ill will, never employing unnecessary force or violence and never accepting gratuities.

I recognize the badge of my office as a symbol of public faith and I accept it as a public trust to be held so long as I am true to the ethics of the police service. I will constantly strive to achieve these objectives and ideals, dedicating myself before God to my chosen profession...law enforcement.



Move over.... is not just a good idea, it's the law!

All 50 States have enacted "Move Over" laws to help protect law enforcement officers, but very few Americans know they exist! Don't be one of the 71% who's unaware of these laws.

Nebraska law requires a driver approaching a stopped emergency vehicle, including tow trucks, with flashing lights and traveling in the same direction, to vacate the lane closest to the vehicle or reduce speed and maintain a safe speed while passing the vehicle. If vacating the closest lane is not possible, a driver must slow to a safe speed.

Help protect Nebraska's law enforcement officers.

Making a traffic or emergency stop on the side of our Nation's highways is one of the most dangerous things law enforcement officers do in the line of duty. The number one cause of law enforcement deaths is traffic incidents. Each year dozens of law enforcement officers across the nation are injured or killed in traffic-related incidents.



Thank you for supporting...



...the State Troopers Association of Nebraska

Your Support Helps Provide Funding for:

- Fallen Partners recognition, to help recognize Officers killed in the line of duty
- Teddy Bear Project to help Troopers comfort children in traumatic situations
- The Wishing Well Program to help grant special wishes to seriously ill children
- Junior Wheelchair Sports Camps
- Nebraska Special Olympics
- Children in Six Troop Areas
- And much, much more!

How it Began...

The State Troopers Association of Nebraska was formed over thirty years ago, after troopers across the state recognized the need for a representative organization of the state patrol officers. From its first days until the present time, S.T.A.N. has provided a unified voice for Nebraska's troopers regarding public safety issues, professional law enforcement concerns and legislative initiatives.

The State Troopers Association of Nebraska also enhances communication among troopers about duty experiences while strengthening their resolve to seek continued workplace involvement as a means of attracting and retaining highly qualified and motivated individuals to be Nebraska State Troopers.

Membership of S.T.A.N. is compromised of employees of the Nebraska State Patrol (NSP). All the duty activities of the NSP are funded by the State of Nebraska. Uniform Nebraska State Patrol officers are primarily assigned to traffic enforcement. The NSP has specialized divisions of officers for Carrier Enforcement, Air Wing, K-9 Units, Training Academy, Executive Protection, SWAT, Bomb Disposal, and Accident Reconstruction.

Investigative Services State Patrol officers are responsible for criminal, drug, alcohol & tobacco, and auto theft investigations. They also deal with criminal identification, the Crime Laboratory, the Latent Fingerprint Laboratory, and the Sex Offender Registry.

Membership in S.T.A.N. is open to retired officers of all ranks.

In addition to monetary support, S.T.A.N. members contribute a considerable amount of time to benevolent activities. Examples include Teammate mentoring, grade school basketball coaching, youth soccer coaching, boy scout leading, and manning a tent for a Family Retreat Center at the Nebraska State Fair.



Nebraska Troopers Care...

As members of the State Troopers Association of Nebraska (S.T.A.N.), sworn officers and personnel of the Nebraska State Patrol have a long history of community involvement and support for charitable causes within the State of Nebraska.

Wishing Well Program...

In cooperation with the Children's Hospital in Omaha and Regional West Medical Center in Scottsbluff, S.T.A.N. supports the Wishing Well Program. Begun by the Association in 1985, S.T.A.N. continues to help grant wishes to seriously ill children through the hospital foundations. The program is designed to give an extra boost to the morale of children in an effort to assist their recovery.

Children's wishes have included visitations they admire—such as athletes, coaches, and entertainers. Other wishes granted have been special trips to sporting events, amusement parks, or visits to cherished places. Wishes have been granted for special medical equipment, toys, clothes, and electronic games to help make a restricted lifestyle more enjoyable.

Special Needs Fund—The Wishing Well Program expanded in 1992 to provide families in need with cribs, highchairs, car seats, special foods, and medicine.

Association Support is Statewide...

In addition to the **Wishing Well Program**, the State Troopers Association of Nebraska supports programs throughout the state. Some examples are:

Teddy Bear Project– Teddy Bears are provided to numerous hospitals across Nebraska. The project also provides the Nebraska State Troopers with teddy bears in their patrol cars to have available for children during times of accident or trauma.

The Six Troop Areas—Funds are allocated annually to the six troop areas of the State Troopers Association of Nebraska. These discretionary funds are used for local projects such as after-prom parties and youth athletic teams.

Nebraska Special Olympics— Each year the Association contributes to the Special Olympics games. Additional support for the Special Olympics is provided by the Nebraska Law Enforcement Torch Run, with law enforcement officers and troopers running on Nebraska roadways from the Panhandle to the Missouri River.

Other Programs & Projects—S.T.A.N. also provides financial support and volunteer support for the Junior Wheelchair Sports Camp, Buckboard Therapeutic Riding Academy, Cedars Home for Children Foundation, and Nebraska Make-a-Wish Foundation.



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