Traffic Safety... Yesterday & Today
Lieutenant Jody Skogen

- Graduate of Hettinger High School
- Bachelor of Science degree in Criminal Justice from Minot State University (1993).
- Hired by North Dakota Highway Patrol in 1995 (Harvey).
- Promoted to the rank of sergeant in September 2005
  - Regional sergeant in both Fargo and Bismarck.
- 2006 graduate of Northwestern University Traffic Institute’s School of Police Staff and Command
- Promoted to the rank of lieutenant in 2009
  - Appointed the Highway Patrol’s Safety and Education Officer.
    - North Dakota Amber Alert Coordinator, Director of Capitol Security and the Highway Patrol’s Public Information Officer.
North Dakota

- 7,382 miles of highway (U.S., State, and Federal Highways)
- 70,704 square miles
- 641,481 residents
  - (2008 est.)
97 Fatal Crashes in 2008

- 104 Fatalities
  - 1 BIA Roads
  - 34 County / Township Roads
  - 30 State Highways
  - 7 Interstate
  - 13 Other U.S. Highways
  - 12 City Streets
Historical Demographics
ND Population: 1910 - 2008
ND Rural-Urban Population Distribution 1900-2020
Source: U.S. Bureau of Census, Decennial Censuses
North Dakota’s Eight Largest Cities

NDDPI: 5/30/2007
North Dakota DUI Arrests

North Dakota DUI Conviction Rate

![Graph showing the North Dakota DUI Conviction Rate from 2002 to 2008. The graph indicates that the conviction rate has been relatively consistent across these years, with a slight decline in 2008.]

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*DOT through District Court
Licensed ND Drivers (14-17 YOA)
“The Four E’s”

- **Engineering**
- **Emergency Services**
- **Education**
- **Enforcement**