MEIGS COUNTY OVERVIEW:

Between 2015 and 2019 there were a total of 1,852 crashes reported within Meigs County, Ohio, averaging 370 per year. Around 681 people were injured as result of these crashes which includes 29 fatalities and 86 serious injuries. Overall there has been a decrease in total crashes, with 6% less crashes in 2019 compared to 2015. Fatal crashes have decreased over the 5-year period by 17%, with high points of 6 in 2015 & 2018. Injury crashes overall have decreased by 7% in the last 5-years.

CRASH TRENDS BY YEAR, 2015 TO 2019:

YEAR	CRASH STATISTICS				OCCUPANT STATISTICS			SAFETY METRICS	
	Fatal Crashes	Injury Crashes	Property Damage Crashes	Total Crashes	Fatalities	Serious Injuries	Minor Injuries	Injury Rate	Severity Index
2015	6	118	238	362	6	17	111	34.3%	1.83
2016	5	127	223	355	5	13	124	37.2%	1.87
2017	4	132	253	389	4	17	110	35.0%	1.79
2018	6	130	270	406	8	11	116	33.5%	1.80
2019	5	110	225	340	6	28	105	33.8%	1.81
5-Year Total	26	617	1,209	1,852	29	86	566		
Annual Average	5	123	242	370	6	17	113	34.70%	1.82
% Change '15-'19	-16.70%	-6.80%	-5.50%	-6.10%	0.00%	64.70%	-5.40%	-1.30%	-1.40%

Notes:
- Cells with red text indicate the year with the highest value for each respective column
- The Severity Index is calculated by the following formula: $[(12 \times \#FatalCrashes) + (3 \times \#InjuryCrashes) + \#NoInjuryCrashes] / \#TotalCrashes$

CRASH TYPE BY FREQUENCY AND SEVERITY:

% of Crashes	CRASH TYPE	PDO	Injury Crash	Fatal Crash	Fatal and Injury %
43.00%	**Fixed Object**	477	303	17	3.92%
21.00%	**Animal**	359	30	0	0.92%
8.60%	**Rear End**	81	78	0	2.56%
6.20%	**Angle**	55	58	1	2.82%
4.40%	**Sideswipe - Passing**	56	25	0	1.65%
4.20%	**Left Turn**	41	36	1	3.07%
3.30%	**Overturning**	26	34	1	4.74%
2.50%	**Backing**	42	5	0	0.68%
2.10%	**Head On**	13	23	3	3.76%
1.90%	**Parked Vehicle**	27	8	0	1.30%
0.80%	**Right Turn**	8	7	0	1.83%
0.80%	**Other Non-Collision**	11	3	0	0.79%
0.60%	**Other Object**	11	1	0	0.61%
0.30%	**Sideswipe - Meeting**	1	2	2	3.42%
0.20%	**Pedestrian**	0	3	0	5.88%
0.10%	**Pedalcycles**	0	1	1	4.65%
0.10%	**Unknown**	1	0	0	0.00%
0.00%	**Train**	0	0	0	0.00%
0.00%	**Falling From Or In Vehicle**	0	0	0	0.00%

*PDO stands for Property Damage-Only Crash

KEY FACTS:

➢ There's been an 6% decrease in total crashes between 2015 and 2019.

➢ On average, there were 5 fatal crashes per year between 2015 and 2019. That's roughly a fatal crash every 2.5 months.

➢ Between 2015 and 2019, there were 797 Fixed object crashes (43% of total crashes), making this the most common crash type overall and also accounts for the largest number of fatalities.

➢ There were only 2 Pedalcycle crashes, but 1 resulted in a fatality.

➢ Head On crashes were responsible for only 2.1% of the crashes in the last 5-years but account for the second highest fatalities in Meigs County at 3.

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Meigs County - Top 5 Crash Intersections 2015-2019

Rank	Location	Crashes	Highest Severity	Jurisdiction
1	SR 143/Wagner Ln/SR 7	11	Visible Injury	Salisbury Township
2	Bradbury Rd/SR 7	9	Visible Injury	Salisbury Township
3	Union Ave/SR 7	8	Fatality	Salisbury Township
4	SR 7	6	Visible Injury	Salisbury Township
4	Pomeroy Pike/SR 7/ SR 248	6	Visible Injury	Chester Township

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High Crash Density

Low Crash Density

0 500 1,000 Feet

0 2 4 8 12 16 Miles

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