

2003 Ranking of Cities with Populations of 10,000 or More

Based on All Reported Crashes From January 1, 2001 through December 31, 2003

City	Total Crashes	% Alcohol Related Crashes	Fatal Crashes	Non-Fatal Injury Crashes	Ranking			City	Total Crashes	% Alcohol Related Crashes	Fatal Crashes	Non-Fatal Injury Crashes	Ranking		
					2001	2002	2003						2001	2002	2003
GREENSBORO	27,309	4.17%	68	10,602	2	1	1	KANNAPOLIS	3,497	4.26%	9	1,014	32	40	34
FAYETTEVILLE	18,459	3.59%	44	5,790	6	5	2	KINSTON	2,176	3.81%	4	894	41	36	35
GASTONIA	13,455	4.15%	32	3,466	5	4	3	THOMASVILLE	2,015	3.82%	10	572	47	50	36
CHARLOTTE	94,033	3.82%	153	26,897	1	2	4	CARY	9,473	2.97%	12	1,891	37	41	37
WILMINGTON	16,295	4.17%	25	5,096	3	6	5	HUNTERSVILLE	2,223	5.31%	9	623	35	37	38
LUMBERTON	4,663	3.28%	15	1,450	11	9	6	EDEN	1,139	6.15%	5	499	50	49	39
HICKORY	11,215	3.44%	14	2,385	4	3	7	LENOIR	1,650	4.12%	8	453	20	26	40
ASHEVILLE	7,577	5.44%	19	3,367	6	7	8	SOUTHERN PINES	1,196	3.85%	3	430	38	32	41
BURLINGTON	6,145	4.87%	14	2,184	8	7	9	KINGS MOUNTAIN	1,445	4.15%	5	296	--	38	42
SANFORD	3,499	4.72%	15	979	18	21	9	ROANOKE RAPIDS	1,411	4.75%	5	495	46	46	43
CONCORD	7,145	4.49%	21	2,339	15	13	11	ALBEMARLE	1,779	3.37%	3	552	33	39	44
DURHAM	29,448	3.71%	52	6,948	10	11	12	LINCOLNTON	1,231	3.90%	2	418	--	42	45
HIGH POINT	8,011	6.00%	26	3,343	12	15	13	MINT HILL	909	5.50%	10	267	54	45	46
WINSTON-SALEM	21,883	4.64%	55	6,496	14	12	14	CHAPEL HILL	4,207	4.64%	4	1,124	43	44	47
RALEIGH	51,356	3.53%	64	10,405	9	10	15	ELIZABETH CITY	1,890	3.60%	3	529	40	47	48
ROCKY MOUNT	6,655	4.28%	19	2,018	23	16	16	BOONE	3,497	3.32%	0	435	39	43	49
SHELBY	3,249	3.66%	8	1,003	16	18	16	INDIAN TRAIL	1,357	3.98%	2	461	53	52	50
WILSON	6,706	4.19%	14	1,739	22	17	18	HENDERSON	1,654	4.47%	2	483	42	48	51
GREENVILLE	8,604	4.11%	12	2,601	26	22	19	MOORESVILLE	1,341	4.03%	4	421	57	56	52
MORGANTON	2,313	5.10%	7	705	27	24	19	GRAHAM	1,391	5.32%	2	348	45	51	53
MONROE	3,695	5.36%	8	1,165	13	14	21	REIDSVILLE	1,221	5.16%	1	444	52	54	54
KERNERSVILLE	2,201	5.54%	10	635	29	28	22	LAURINBURG	757	4.49%	2	432	48	53	55
HENDERSONVILLE	2,730	4.25%	3	741	20	20	23	CLEMMONS	1,303	4.30%	2	397	49	58	56
SALISBURY	3,578	3.63%	8	975	17	19	24	PINEHURST	699	5.01%	2	221	--	--	57
STATESVILLE	2,690	5.35%	3	1,223	24	23	25	NEW BERN	1,461	4.59%	0	491	51	55	58
GARNER	2,739	3.32%	9	647	36	33	26	TARBORO	416	5.29%	2	207	56	57	59
LEXINGTON	2,057	5.44%	9	636	18	27	27	HOPE MILLS	838	4.77%	2	250	59	59	60
GOLDSBORO	4,568	3.57%	11	1,208	30	28	28	WAKE FOREST	771	4.28%	1	232	62	63	61
JACKSONVILLE	6,697	4.42%	15	1,862	33	34	29	CARRBORO	606	8.09%	0	210	58	60	62
SMITHFIELD	2,650	3.25%	5	469	25	25	30	HOLLY SPRINGS	598	5.69%	3	143	--	--	62
ASHEBORO	3,178	3.37%	4	1,001	28	30	31	APEX	1,605	3.99%	1	335	60	61	64
MATTHEWS	3,255	4.06%	6	856	31	31	32	CORNELIUS	1,053	5.22%	2	204	55	61	65
NEWTON	1,224	5.96%	7	415	44	35	33	HAVELOCK	782	3.32%	0	153	61	64	66

This ranking of cities is based on several factors including reported crashes, crash severity, and crash rates based on population. For a complete listing of factors and data, contact Brian Murphy with the Traffic Safety Systems Management Unit in the Department of Transportation.