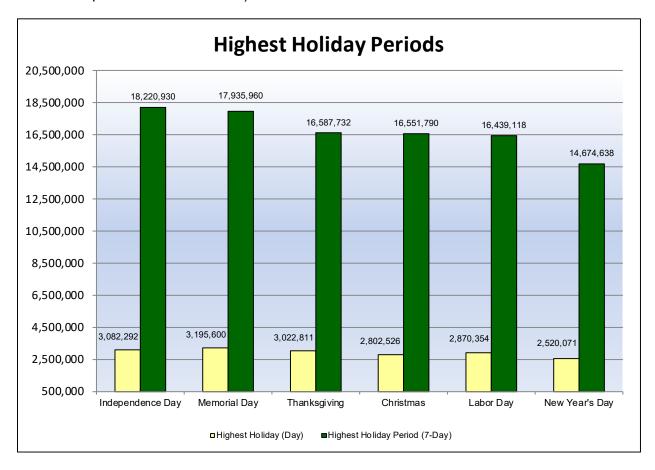
Heaviest Holiday Travel Periods: 2019

The 109 permanent sites, which are the total number of sites with a minimum of six months of data, were used to calculate the holidays having the highest seven-day periods of traffic. The highest seven-day holiday periods and the highest day within the seven-day holiday period (total traffic at all permanent site stations) are shown on the chart below:



The chart indicates that Independence Day had the highest seven-day holiday period in 2019 with a total volume of 18,220,930. Memorial Day ranked second (17,935,960) followed by Thanksgiving Day (16,587,732) and Christmas (16,551,790). Labor Day and New Year's Day ranked fifth (16,439,118) and sixth (14,674,638) respectively.

The highest day during a seven-day holiday period in 2019 was the Friday before Memorial (May 24, 2019), which had a volume of 3,195,600. The second highest day was the Friday before Independence Day (June 28, 2019), which had a volume of 3,082,292. The Wednesday before Thanksgiving Day (November 27, 2019), ranked third with 3,022,811, while the Friday before Labor Day (August 30, 2019), ranked fourth with 2,870,354. The Friday before Christmas (December 20, 2019) ranked fifth with 2,802,526, while the Thursday before New Year's Day (December 27, 2018) ranked sixth with 2,520,071.

Heaviest Holiday Travel Period Comparisons: 2018-2019

Highest Holiday (Day)						
2018			2019			
Holiday	Total Volume		Holiday	Total Volume		
1. Memorial Day	3,075,492		1. Memorial Day	3,195,600		
2. Labor Day	2,967,235		2. Independence Day	3,082,292		
3. Independence Day	2,897,288		3. Thanksgiving	3,022,811		
4. Thanksgiving	2,742,816		4. Labor Day	2,870,354		
5. New Years Day	2,616,388		5. Christmas	2,802,526		
6. Christmas	2,585,396		6. New Years Day	2,520,071		

Highest Holiday Period (7-Day)						
2018			2019			
Holiday	Total Volume		Holiday	Total Volume		
1. Independence Day	17,402,945		1. Independence Day	18,220,930		
2. Memorial Day	17,187,879		2. Memorial Day	17,935,960		
3. Labor Day	16,861,924		3. Thanksgiving	16,587,732		
4. Thanksgiving	15,230,972		4. Christmas	16,551,790		
5. New Year's Day	14,509,138		5. Labor Day	16,439,118		
6. Christmas	14,455,475		6. New Year's Day	14,674,638		