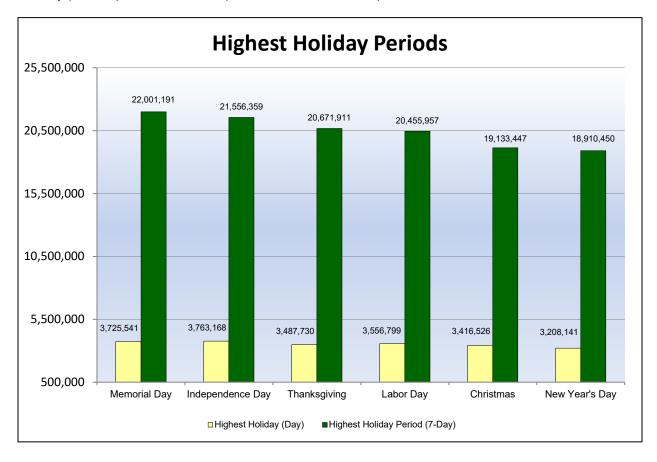
Heaviest Holiday Travel Periods: 2023

The permanent sites 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 Memorial Day had the highest seven-day holiday period in 2023 with a total volume of 22,001,191. Independence Day ranked second (21,556,359) followed by Thanksgiving Day (20,671,911) and Labor Day (20,455,957). Christmas Day and New Year's Day ranked fifth (19,133,447) and sixth (18,910,450) respectively.

The highest day during a seven-day holiday period in 2023 was the Friday before Independence Day (June 30, 2023), which had a volume of 3,763,168. The second highest day was the Friday before Memorial Day (May 26, 2023), which had a volume of 3,725,541. The Friday before Labor Day (September 1, 2023) ranked third with 3,556,799, while the Wednesday before Thanksgiving Day (November 22, 2023), ranked fourth with 3,487,730. The Friday before Christmas (December 22, 2023) ranked fifth with 3,416,526, while the Friday before New Year's Day (December 30, 2022) ranked sixth with 3,208,141.

Heaviest Holiday Travel Period Comparisons: 2022-2023

Highest Holiday (Day)						
2022			2023			
Holiday	Total Volume		Holiday	Total Volume		
1. Independence Day	3,883,595		1. Independence Day	3,763,168		
2. Labor Day	3,870,753		2. Memorial Day	3,725,541		
3. Thanksgiving	3,801,705		3. Labor Day	3,556,799		
4. Memorial Day	3,662,918		4. Thanksgiving	3,487,730		
5. Christmas	3,348,107		5. Christmas	3,416,526		
6. New Year's Day	2,797,440		6. New Year's Day	3,208,141		

Highest Holiday Period (7-Day)						
2022			2023			
Holiday	Total Volume		Holiday	Total Volume		
1. Independence Day	22,594,854		1. Memorial Day	22,001,191		
2. Labor Day	22,173,704		2. Independence Day	21,556,359		
3. Memorial Day	21,931,198		3. Thanksgiving	20,671,911		
4. Thanksgiving	21,760,356		4. Labor Day	20,455,957		
5. Christmas	19,400,215		5. Christmas	19,133,447		
6. New Year's Day	16,617,687		6. New Year's Day	18,910,450		