# 2024 Work Zone Awareness Survey Results
National Results

Total 514 responses; Responses varied for some questions. Percentages are based on responses to each question and may not sum to 100 due to rounding (total specified in some questions).

1. In the past 12 months, how many crashes involving a motor vehicle have occurred at a highway work zone where your firm operates? (512 Responses)

Response	Percentage
0	30%
1	7%
2	10%
3	7%
4	2%
5 or more	28%
Don't know	17%
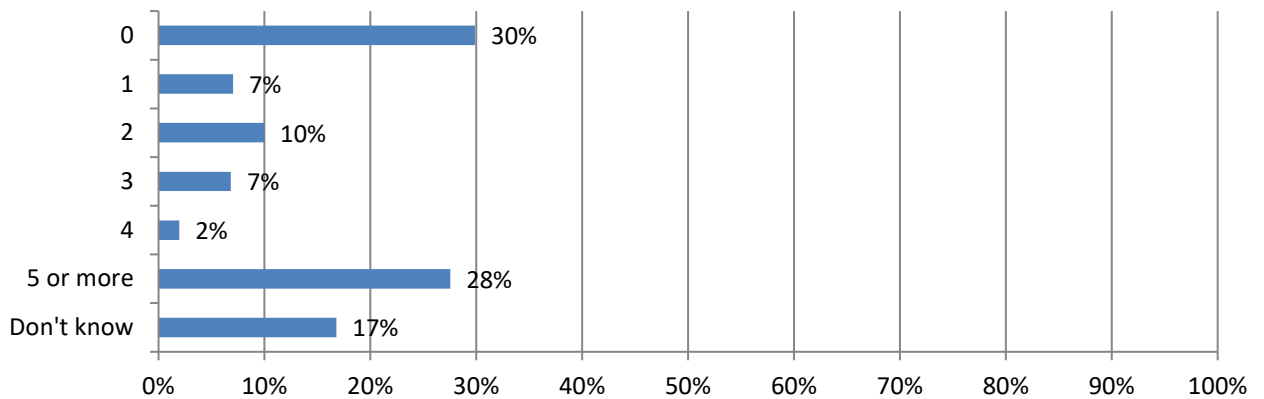
2. How many construction workers were injured in these crashes? (339 Responses)

Response	Percentage
0	53%
1	10%
2	6%
3	2%
4	1%
5 or more	3%
Don't know	26%
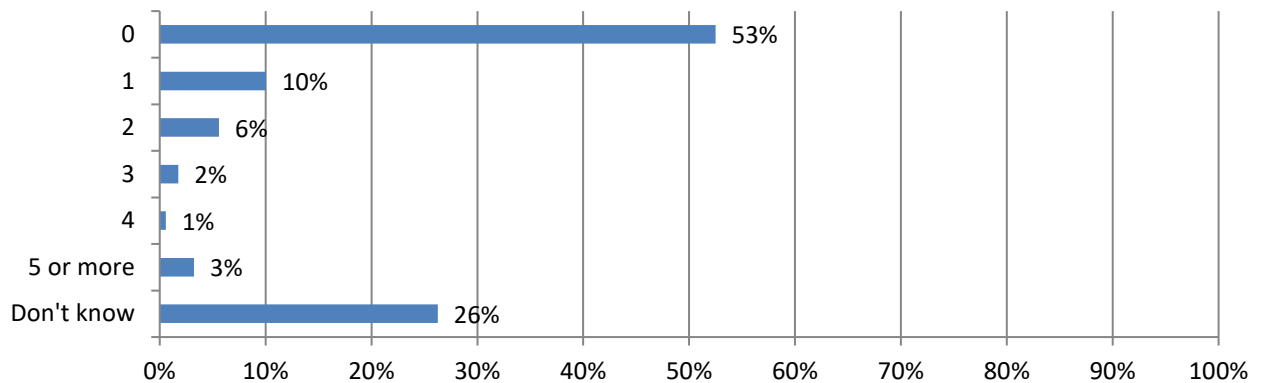
3. How many drivers or passengers were injured in these crashes? (314 Responses)

Response	Percentage
0	18%
1	7%
2	8%
3	5%
4	3%
5 or more	13%
Don't know	46%
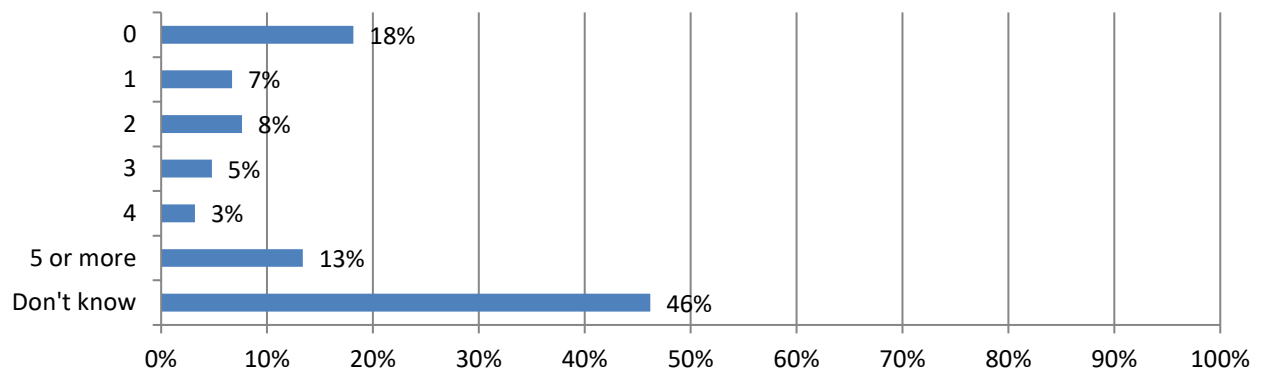
4. How many construction worker fatalities resulted from these crashes? (323 Responses)

Answer	Percentage
0	75%
1	6%
2	0%
3	0%
4	0%
5 or more	1%
Don't know	18%
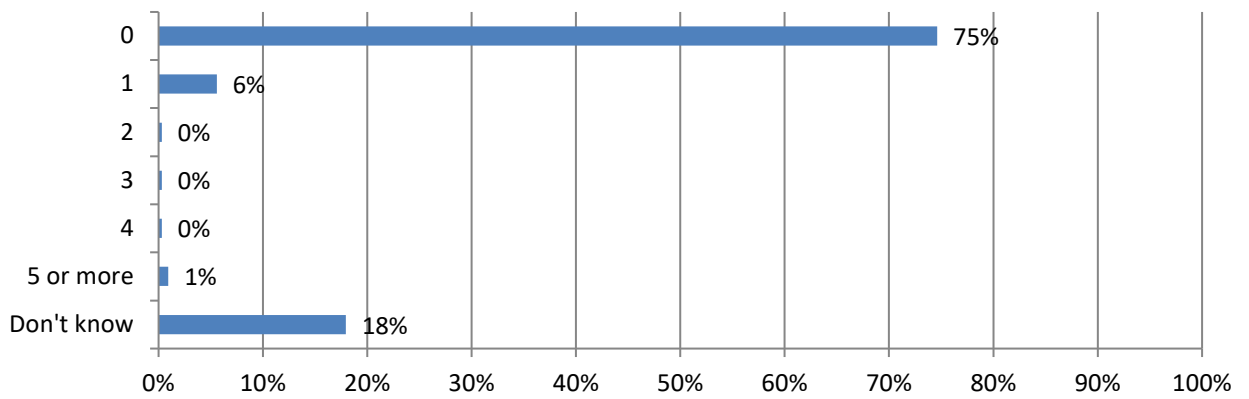
5. How many driver or passenger fatalities resulted from these crashes? (303 Responses)

Answer	Percentage
0	50%
1	7%
2	4%
3	1%
4	0%
5 or more	4%
Don't know	34%
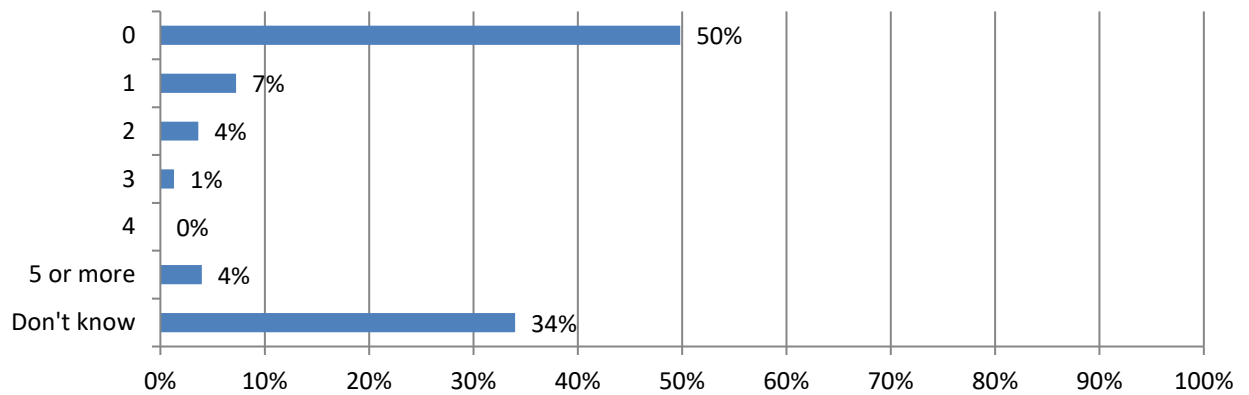
6. How many days have your firm's projects been delayed because of these crashes? (287 Responses)

Answer	Percentage
0	35%
Less than 1	17%
1	8%
2	2%
3	3%
4	1%
5 or more	12%
Don't know	21%
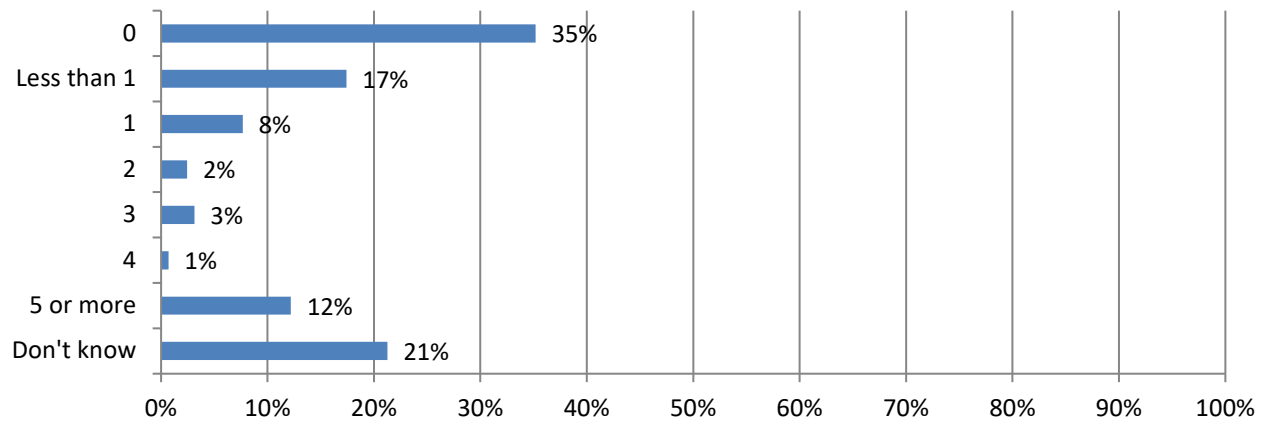
7. Have work zone crashes affected your ability to hire and attract new workers into the industry? (285 Responses)

Answer	Percentage
Yes	17%
No	44%
Don't know	39%
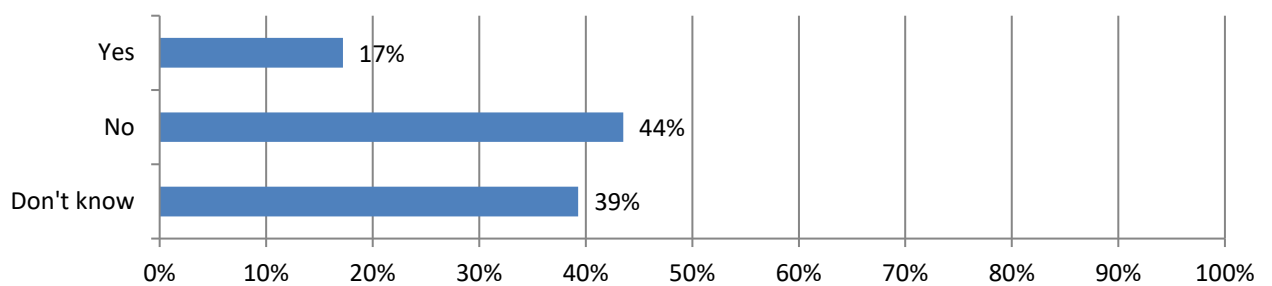
8. How much of a risk are highway work zone crashes now compared to one year ago? (418 Responses)

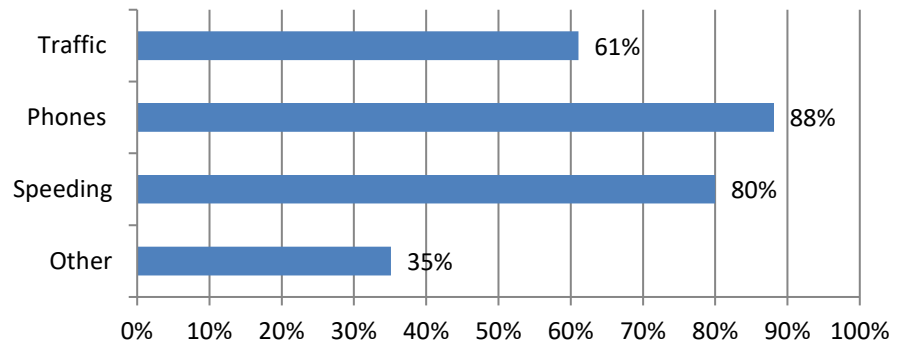| Response	Percentage
Greater risk now	44%
Lesser risk now	3%
About the same risk now	43%
Don't know	10%
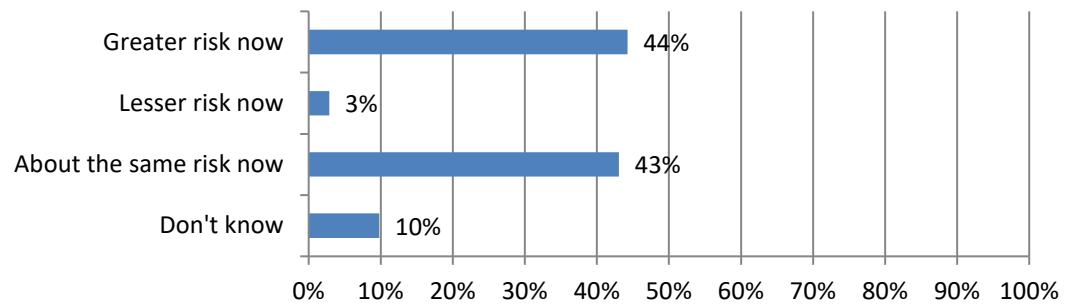
**9. Why do you think highway work zone construction is more dangerous today compared to one year ago? (185 Responses)**

Response	Percentage
Traffic	61%
Phones	88%
Speeding	80%
Other	35%

10. Are the current penalties for moving violations in highway work zones sufficient to deter unsafe driving behaviors in the states where you work? (402 Responses)

Response	Percentage
Yes	17%
No	64%
Unsure	19%
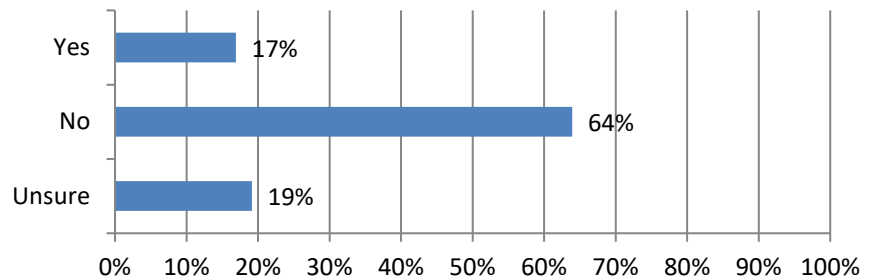
11. Are enforcement efforts – including police presence and/or the use of speeding cameras – currently helping deter unsafe driving behaviors in highway work zones in the states where you work? (395 Responses)

Response	Percentage
Yes	41%
No	41%
Unsure	18%
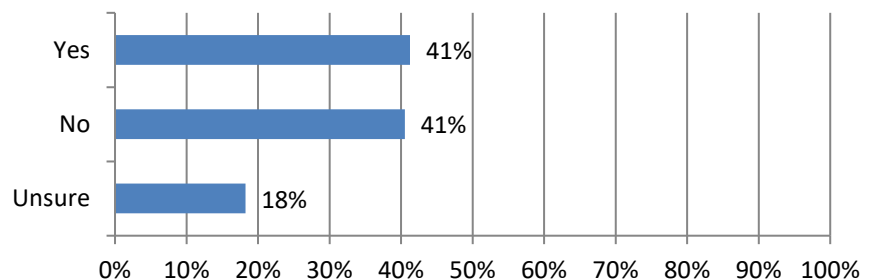
12. Would any of these measures help reduce the number of highway work zone crashes, injuries and/or fatalities? (387 Responses)

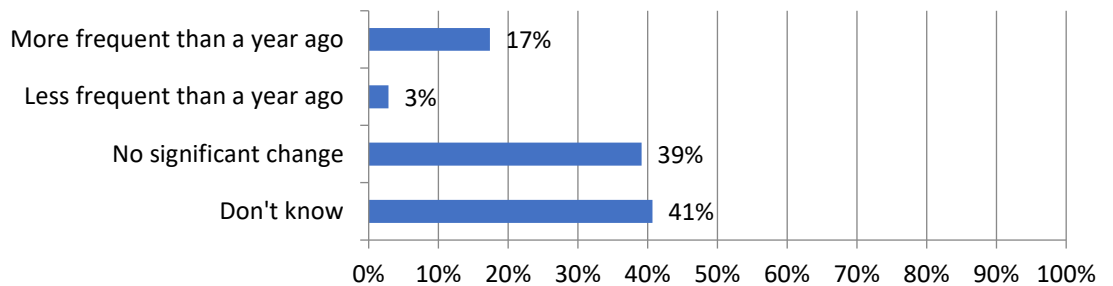| Measure	Percentage
Automatic ticketing for speed violations in work zones	59%
Greater police presence at work zone construction sites	80%
Highway work zone cameras	47%
Tougher laws, fines, and legal penalties for moving violations in work zones	57%
Stricter enforcement of existing laws regarding work zone moving violations	70%
Stricter laws against cell phone usage and distracted driving associated with vehicles in work zone construction sites	64%
Closing roads and detouring traffic	63%
Better or more frequent safety training for construction workers	26%
No changes needed	1%
Don't know	2%
Other	9%

13. Has the frequency of work zone crashes when performing night work changed from a year ago? (386 Responses)

Response	Percentage
More frequent than a year ago	17%
Less frequent than a year ago	3%
No significant change	39%
Don't know	41%

14. If you answered yes, what do you attribute this to? (67 Responses)

Attribution	Percentage
Speeding	75%
Impatience	48%
Distracted driving	81%
Impaired driving	70%
Increased traffic	45%
Other	4%