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# **TRUCKING DRIVES THE ECONOMY** =

270,910

Trucking industry jobs in New York 1 in 27 jobs in the state (2020)

SMALL BUSINESS EMPHASIS

107,350

Trucking companies located in New York. Primarily small, locally owned businesses, these companies are served by a wide range of supporting businesses.



### **COMPETITIVE WAGES**



Total trucking industry wages paid in New York in 2020 exceeded \$16.0 billion, with an average annual trucking industry salary of \$58,886.



Heavy and tractor-trailer truck drivers held 58,280 jobs with an average annual salary of \$55,280.

(U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, 2020)



Percent of manufactured tonnage transported by trucks in New York.

472,400 tons per day (2017)





89.2% of New York communities depend exclusively on trucks to move their goods.

# **SAFETY MATTERS**

# SAFETY FIRST

**Trucking Association of New York** members put safety first through:

- Improved driver training
- Investment in advanced safety technologies
- Active participation in industry safety initiatives at the local, state and national levels

# CONTINUALLY IMPROVING

2019 U.S. fatal crash rate per 100 million Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT):

New York: 1.46 | USA: 1.49

Between 1975 and **2019**, the U.S. large truck fatal crash rate has dropped



# **COMMITMENT TO SHARING THE ROAD**

The Share the Road program sends a team of professional truck drivers to communities around the country to teach car drivers about truck blind spots, stopping distances and how to merge safely around large trucks, all designed to reduce the number of car-truck crashes.





# TRUCKING FAST FACTS





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# TRUCKING PAYS THE FREIGHT =

### THE INDUSTRY

The trucking industry in New York paid approximately

\$1.2 billion

in federal and state roadway taxes (2020)

The industry paid **33%** of all taxes owed by New York motorists ...

... despite trucks representing only **9%** of vehicle miles traveled in the state.



### INDIVIDUAL COMPANIES

As of January 2022, a typical five-axle tractor-semitrailer combination paid:

\$11,697

**state** highway user fees and taxes

\$8,906

**federal** highway use fees and taxes

These taxes were <u>over and above</u> the typical taxes paid by businesses in New York.

# **ROADWAY USE**

114,205

Miles of public roads in New York

Miles driven on public roads:

All Motorists: 102.5 billion

Trucks: 9.2 billion

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# **DELIVERING A CLEANER TOMORROW**

# **EMISSIONS**

- **49%** of U.S. commercial trucks are now powered by the newest-generation, near-zero emissions diesel technology.
- Medium- and heavy-duty trucks contribute just **24.5%** of all transportation-related greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions in the U.S. and represent only **7%** of total U.S. GHG emissions.

# **PARTNERSHIPS**

Through the SmartWay U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) SmartWay Transport Partnership, the trucking industry is working with government and businesses to quantify greenhouse gas emissions and take steps to reduce them.

# **FUEL CONSUMPTION**

The trucking industry continues to improve energy and environmental efficiency even while increasing the number of miles driven. In 2020:



Combination trucks accounted for just **18%** of the total highway transportation fuel consumed.



Combination trucks consumed nearly **113 billion** fewer gallons of fuel than passenger vehicles in the U.S.

