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**Parents Against Tired Truckers and Citizens for Reliable and Safe Highways**

**FACTS ABOUT THE DANGERS OF**

**LARGE TRUCKS IN ARKANSAS**

* Between 2011 and 2015, there were 410 fatalities in crashes involving large trucks in Arkansas. (FARS)
* Motor vehicle crashes cost Arkansas $2.7 billion a year, approximately $923 per capita. (NHTSA 2010)
* Twenty-two percent (22%) of Arkansas’s bridges are structurally deficient or functionally obsolete. (TRIP 2016)
* Eighteen percent (18%) of Arkansas’s major roads have pavements in poor condition. (TRIP 2016)
* Driving on roads in need of repair costs Arkansas motorists $941 million a year in extra vehicle repairs and operating costs-- approximately $445 per motorist. (TRIP 2016)

**KEY:**

**FARS = Fatality Analysis Reporting System 2011-2014 Final, 2015 ARF**

**NHTSA = National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, The Economic Impact of Motor Vehicle Crashes**

**TRIP = The Road Information Program**