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Thanksgiving Safety Tips



Don't leave the oven or stove unattended while cooking.



Ensure your smoke alarms are working. (Idaho State Fire Marshal)



When traveling for Thanksgiving, use your seat belts. (Idaho Transportation Department)

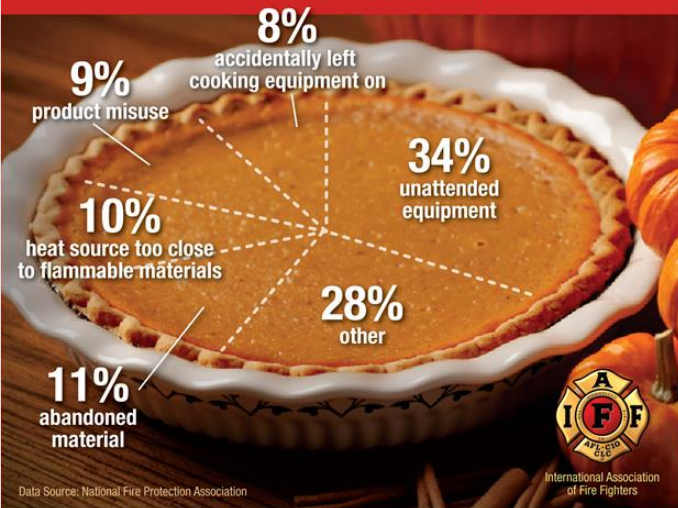


If deep-frying a turkey, use a flat surface outdoors and a safe distance from buildings and other flammable materials. Never use turkey fryers on wooden decks or in garages. Don't overfill the turkey fryer. (National Turkey Federation)



THANKSGIVING SAFETY

Fire fighters say the greatest number of home cooking fires occur on **Thanksgiving Day**. Top causes are:



Helpful Links



Idaho State Fire Marshal's office:
<http://www.doi.idaho.gov/sfm/docs/PSA-Thanksgiving.pdf>



National Turkey Federation:
<http://www.eatturkey.com/consumer/cookinfo/fryturk>



William Shatner on Turnkey Fryer Safety:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EYkRF_FmD40



Idaho Transportation Department:
<http://itd.idaho.gov>





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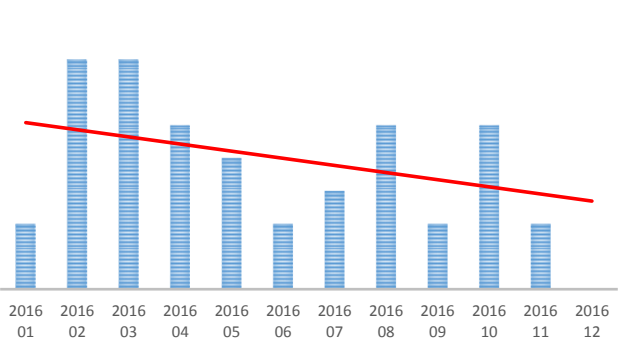
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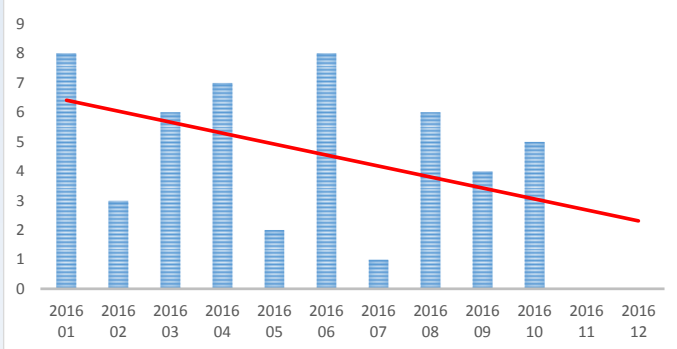
Workplace injury and auto incidents continue to drop in frequency for the County. These reductions in incidents are the results of:

- Clear support of employee safety by our elected officials and department heads
- Significant investments in safety training
- Effective claims management
- A fully supported early return to work/restricted duty program
- Safety conscious employees

2016 REPORTED INJURIES



2016 AUTO CLAIMS



HAVE A SAFE THANKSGIVING ~REMEMBER TURKEY!~



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Thaw turkey at a safe temperature - 40°F or below



U

Use extra caution when frying a turkey and oil-free fryers if possible



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Remember to clean all cooking surfaces regularly



K

Keep children away from hot foods and surfaces, and kitchen utensils



E

Ensure turkey is cooked and has reached minimum temperature of 165°F



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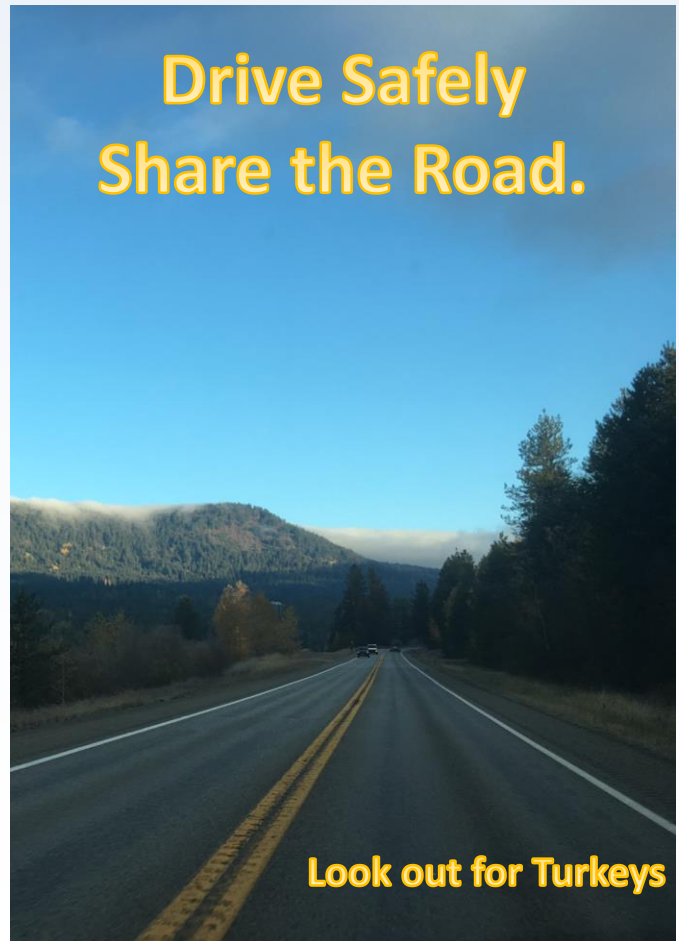
Your smoke detector should be tested prior to cooking



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Look out for Turkeys