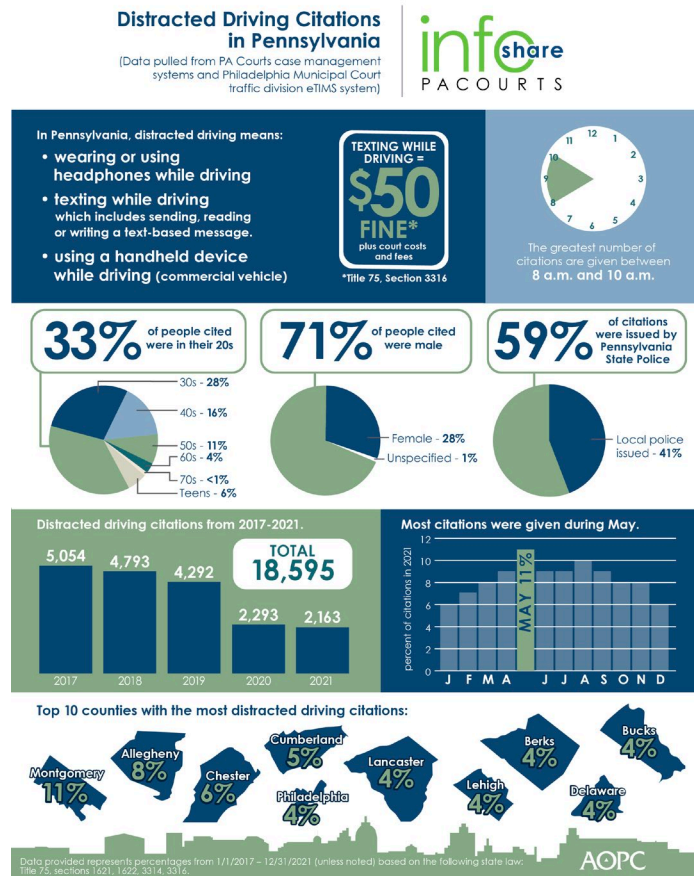**Infographic for Immediate Release**

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Distracted driving citations in Pennsylvania

HARRISBURG – Distracted driving citations in Pennsylvania continue to trend downward as data shows citations **decreased by six percent in 2021**, following a significant **47 percent decrease in 2020.**

Distracted-driving citations in Pennsylvania can be issued for 1) using headphones while driving, 2) using a handheld mobile phone while driving a commercial vehicle or 3) texting while driving. Texting includes sending, reading or writing a text-based message.

The infographic below highlights key data and demographics about distracted drivers in Pennsylvania over the last five years. Detailed county data is available here. A high-resolution file of the graphic is available for download at **www.pacourts.us** under **Media Resources**.

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Editor's Note:

Statewide Count of distracted driving offenses filed from 1/1/2017 through 12/31/2021, as recorded in the Magisterial District Judge System (MDJS) and Philadelphia Municipal Court Traffic Division eTIMS System; Grouped by County

County	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	Total	Percentage of Total
Adams	45	57	55	37	31	225	1.21%
Allegheny	383	384	273	197	219	1,456	7.83%
Armstrong	13	9	17	8	8	55	0.30%
Beaver	38	32	22	15	10	117	0.63%
Bedford	28	41	24	17	11	121	0.65%
Berks	198	189	199	103	83	772	4.15%
Blair	18	22	25	16	18	99	0.53%
Bradford	11	6	10	5	7	39	0.21%
Bucks	294	217	139	60	56	766	4.12%
Butler	51	46	50	35	21	203	1.09%
Cambria	15	18	34	12	11	90	0.48%
Cameron	2	4	1	1	1	9	0.05%
Carbon	30	28	30	18	19	125	0.67%
Centre	39	42	17	13	12	123	0.66%
Chester	339	272	216	116	102	1,045	5.62%
Clarion	42	27	23	16	4	112	0.60%
Clearfield	17	16	10	22	10	75	0.40%
Clinton	31	13	31	12	15	102	0.55%
Columbia	59	89	51	37	25	261	1.40%
Crawford	22	20	22	38	16	118	0.63%
Cumberland	220	189	261	113	95	878	4.72%
Dauphin	86	127	155	106	75	549	2.95%
Delaware	208	157	177	80	95	717	3.86%
Elk	11	53	16	4	16	100	0.54%

Erie	74	56	43	37	44	254	1.37%
Fayette	34	33	27	16	22	132	0.71%
Forest	4	4	5	4	2	19	0.10%
Franklin	72	57	71	59	40	299	1.61%
Fulton	10	15	11	6	3	45	0.24%
Greene	11	12	8	1	5	37	0.20%
Huntingdon	13	8	3	2	4	30	0.16%
Indiana	23	24	18	5	7	77	0.41%
Jefferson	42	17	27	35	10	131	0.70%
Juniata	7	15	16	8	2	48	0.26%
Lackawanna	121	102	99	47	45	414	2.23%
Lancaster	244	214	174	82	58	772	4.15%
Lawrence	42	30	19	8	13	112	0.60%
Lebanon	49	105	93	26	28	301	1.62%
Lehigh	220	163	201	90	78	752	4.04%
Luzerne	84	107	122	83	84	480	2.58%
Lycoming	27	33	40	15	12	127	0.68%
McKean	6	14	12	7	6	45	0.24%
Mercer	33	45	39	27	30	174	0.94%
Mifflin	7	4	4	2	7	24	0.13%
Monroe	45	60	77	46	35	263	1.41%
Montgomery	620	577	443	188	221	2,049	11.02%
Montour	5	3	8	0	3	19	0.10%
Northampton	219	149	110	51	54	583	3.14%
Northumberland	23	23	16	22	8	92	0.49%
Perry	17	22	12	6	10	67	0.36%
Philadelphia	216	255	211	74	61	817	4.39%
Pike	23	11	18	11	12	75	0.40%
Potter	28	22	9	2	7	68	0.37%
Schuylkill	31	34	41	14	28	148	0.80%
Snyder	30	25	26	13	17	111	0.60%
Somerset	28	42	29	16	6	121	0.65%
Sullivan	3	0	1	2	0	6	0.03%
Susquehanna	37	40	21	14	21	133	0.72%
Tioga	11	11	15	3	7	47	0.25%
Union	6	12	13	5	4	40	0.22%
Venango	21	27	45	22	21	136	0.73%
Warren	5	7	2	3	6	23	0.12%
Washington	79	83	62	34	25	283	1.52%
Wayne	9	7	7	5	8	36	0.19%
Westmoreland	74	81	78	39	54	326	1.75%

Wyoming	10	16	16	5	3	50	0.27%
York	191	170	142	77	92	672	3.61%
Grand Total	**5,054**	**4,793**	**4,292**	**2,293**	**2,163**	**18,595**	**N/A**