WE'RE MAKING A DIFFERENCE

You may not believe it but we are making a difference. I just received a booklet from the Florida Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles Department containing the results of their study on motorcycle accidents and deaths. Both accidents and deaths are down in 2009. The number of registered motorcycles in Florida in 2009 has decreased approximately 6.2% since 2008 and the vehicles traveled decreased approximately one percent, and the number of motorcycles registered have decreased by 9.7% percent.

In 2009 there were 8,313 motorcycles crashes in Florida resulting in the deaths of 402 motorcyclists and their passengers with 8,202 injuries.

There were 130 less motorcycle fatalities in 2009 than in 2008 when 532 motorcyclist and passengers died in Florida a 3.4 percent decrease, also in 2009 there were 1,200 less injuries as a result of motorcycle crashes than in 2008 when 9,402 motorcyclists and their passengers were injured a 12.8 percent decrease.

Here in the state of Florida we can ride if we choose three hundred and sixty five days a year with all nationalities of riders and drivers with each one of them having their own way of driving which makes our driving a little more hazardous than in some of the other states. This is exactly why taking all the PLP'S, ERC'S TRC'S that are offered to you is so beneficial to our riders. So come on out and take advantage of this free training and lets set a goal to lower the stats even lower next year.

Till Next We Meet Keep The Shiny Side Up And The Rubber On The Road

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