2026 Emergency Responder Struck-by-Vehicle Fatalities

Date Of Incident	State	City/County	LEO	Fire/EMS	Tow Operators	Road Service Technicians	DOT/SSP	LODD or Off-Duty	Responder Name	Organization	Activity	Link to news story or source
Struck 12/23/2025 Died 01/07/2026	DC	DC	1					LODD	Police Officer Terry Bennett	Metropolitan Police Department	Disabled Vehicle	https://www.odmp.org/officer/27665-police-officer-terry-l-bennett
1/7/2026	MA	Uxbridge	1					LODD	Police Officer Stephen A. LaPorta	Uxbridge Police Dept.	Disabled Vehicle	https://www.odmp.org/officer/27664-police-officer-stephen-a-laporta
2/2/2026	MS	Lee County	1					LODD	Deputy Sheriff Rick Haggard	Lee County Sheriff's Dept.	Directing Traffic	https://www.odmp.org/officer/27708-deputy-sheriff-rick-haggard
2/19/2026	GA	Hihira	1					LODD	Police Officer Caleb Abney	Hahira Police Dept.	Traffic Stop	https://www.walb.com/2026/02/19/hahira-police-officer-killed-i-75-crash/
2/21/2026	TX	West Houston	1					Off-Duty	Fort Bend County Deputy Kenneth Lewis	Fort Bend County Sheriff's Office	Disabled Vehicle	https://www.fox26houston.com/news/fort-bend-county-deputy-kenneth-lewis-dies-after-houston-hit-and-run-crash
2/23/2026	NM	Bernalillo County	1					LODD	Sergeant Michael Schlattman	Bernalillo County Sheriff's Office	Traffic Stop	https://www.facebook.com/BCSONM/posts/pfbid06iCqk8rcMqtnM3jFWJCY6fZN1cd1nMpucBvMApniMev2smS4nEoUoj68gGg5sUVUl
3/11/2026	KY	Daviess County			1			LODD	David Fischer	TBD	Disabled Vehicle	https://www.kentucky.com/news/local/crime/article315015754.html
3/18/2026	TX	Dallas			1			LODD	Guillermo Garcia	TBD	Disabled Vehicle	https://www.fox4news.com/news/tow-truck-driver-killed-i-20-accident-while-fixing-tire
3/23/2026	MI	Macomb County				1		LODD	TBD	TBD	Disabled Vehicle	https://hoodline.com/2026/03/teen-roadside-mechanic-killed-in-late-night-i-696-ramp-tragedy/
		Totals	**6**	**0**	**2**	**1**	**0**	**9**				
		To Date	**LEO**	**Fire/EMS**	**Tow Operators**	**Road Service Technicians**	**DOT/SSP**	**Total**				