



PrePass Fact Sheet

VIRGINIA

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Virginia has been part of the PrePass system since 2001 and currently has PrePass deployed at 16 sites. Across Virginia and the nation, PrePass helps facilitate freight movement by allowing prequalified trucks to be electronically screened and then safely bypass weigh stations at highway speeds.

PrePass is a service offered by PrePass Safety Alliance, formerly HELP Inc., a public private partnership (P3) established in 1993 between states and the trucking industry. The Alliance is the nation's only non-profit P3 established specifically to promote safety and efficiency in commercial transportation. Since 1993, the Alliance has invested over \$900 million nationally to provide PrePass.

PrePass by the numbers

Virginia benefits since 2001



4,415,419¹ hours saved



21,194,061² gallons of fuel saved



46,785³ metric tons of emissions reductions



\$3,914,589 invested in infrastructure & maintenance



52,985,153 successful bypasses using PrePass



\$412,691,002⁴ operational cost savings



1,036,340,848 successful bypasses using PrePass



\$8,011,716,520⁴ operational cost savings



86,361,434¹ hours saved



414,536,339² gallons of fuel saved



915,067⁵ metric tons of emissions reductions

Numbers as of October 31, 2022. ¹Based on a minimum of 5 minutes saved per screening bypass; ²Based on .4 gallons per pull-in; ³Equivalent to removing 8,340 passenger vehicles from the road through October 2022 per US EPA estimates; ⁴Benefits based on studies by the Iowa State University Center for Transportation Research and Education and the FMCSA; ⁵Equivalent to removing 163,114 passenger vehicles from the road through October 2022 per US EPA estimates

To qualify for PrePass, PrePass Safety Alliance electronically reviews carriers' safety and credential eligibility using data from over 100 federal, state and provincial databases, including the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration. Each state determines pull-in rates for PrePass equipped vehicles based on a carrier's Inspection Selection System (ISS) score or other state specific criteria.