

Encourage pvt sector participation to ensure seamless travel: Yogi

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Furthermore, UPSRTC is establishing electric depots in eight cities, equipped with 240-kilowatt capacity universal chargers. The CM instructed the identification of new routes and encouraged private sector participation to ensure seamless transportation.

The CM said that over 7.8 million people benefited from the free travel scheme during the Rakshabandhan festival, which allowed mothers, sisters and one accompanying passenger to travel free for three days.

Discussing the transport department's achievements, officials reported that 37.9 lakh new vehicles were registered in the state for the fiscal year 2024-25, with over 11 lakh registrations by June of the current fiscal year. To promote electric vehicles, tax and fee exemptions exceeding



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Rs942 crore have been granted.

The state has also implemented a 'No Helmet-No Fuel' policy to enhance road safety. The CM stressed the importance of using modern technology and increasing coordination with the police to reduce road accidents.

This strategic focus on local manufacturing and sustainable transportation is expected to significantly contribute to UP's economic and infrastructural development, officials said.