

Burke County Injury crash – Dec. 6th, 2020

What: Injury crash

Where: 9750 block of 97th Ave NW – ½ mile south of Battleview, ND

When: Dec. 6th, 2020 – 3:00 AM (appx.)

Road Conditions: Gravel road – good condition

Type of Crash: One vehicle injury crash involving ditch and rock pile

Agencies Involved: NDHP, Burke County SO, Powers Lake Fire Department

Vehicle No. 1: 2002 Ford Ranger pickup

Driver No. 1: Sharon Forsman, 76-year-old female, serious injuries

Restraints: No seatbelt used

Charges: None

NARRATIVE: Vehicle driven by Sharon Forsman was initially driven off the roadway from Hwy. #50 into a stubble field. The vehicle continued across a gravel road and entered the ditch striking a rock pile. The driver was not restrained and got out of the vehicle and remained by the vehicle overnight until found later in the morning. The vehicle caught fire and was a total loss. Forsman was taken to the Tioga hospital and later air flighted to Trinity Hospital in Minot for undisclosed injuries. The crash remains under investigation by the NDHP.

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