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Motor Vehicle Injury Crash - Grand Forks County

What: Injury Crash

Where: 12th Avenue NE & 16th Street NE - 3 Miles West & 6 Miles South of Grand Forks, ND

When: January 14, 2020 @ 4:30 PM

Road Conditions: Asphalt Roadway Surface - Dry

Weather Conditions: Clear - Wind

Crash Involvement: Vehicle/Vehicle

Type of Crash: Angle

Agencies Involved: ND Highway Patrol, ND Game & Fish Department, Grand Forks County Sheriff Department, Emerado Police Department, Thompson Fire & Rescue, Altru Ambulance Service

Vehicle No. 1: 1995 GMC Sierra

Driver No. 1: Tanner Ault; Male; 26; Grand Forks, ND; Uninjured

Restraints: Seatbelt; Airbag Deployment

Charges: Pending

Passenger No. 1: Emmitt Ault; Male; 21; Reynolds, ND; Injured; non-life-threatening injuries

Restraints: Seatbelt

Vehicle No. 2: 2002 Jeep Cherokee

Driver No. 2: Russell Anderson; Male; 83; Grand Forks, ND; non-life-threatening injuries

Restraints: None; Airbag Deployment

Charges: No Charges Filed

NARRATIVE: Vehicle 1 driven by Ault was traveling southbound on 16th Street NE in a 1995 GMC Sierra. Vehicle 2 driven by Anderson was travelling eastbound on 12th Avenue NE in a 2002 Jeep Cherokee. Ault failed to observe the stop sign posted at the intersection and struck the center drivers side portion of Anderson's vehicle.

Vehicle 1 came to final rest in the intersection of 16th Street NE and 12th Avenue NE. Vehicle 2 came to final rest on its top in the ditch located southeast of the intersection.

The crash remains under investigation by the North Dakota Highway Patrol.



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