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UPDATE I-94 Grant Marsh Bridge (Bismarck/Mandan) 3-vehicle injury crash

What: Injury Crash

Where: Interstate 94 Grant Marsh Bridge between Mandan and Bismarck

When: July 26th, 2020 at approximately 4:00 pm

Road Conditions: Good - Dry

Weather Conditions: Sunny

Crash Involvement: 3-Vehicle Collision

Type of Crash: Rear-end

Agencies Involved: NDHP, Burleigh County Sheriff's Dept, Morton County Sheriff's Dept, Metro Ambulance Service, Bismarck Fire Department, Mandan Fire Department

Vehicle No. 1: 2009 Ford F-150

Driver No. 1: Robert Evans – 22 years old – Newport, WA – Minor Injuries

Restraints: Seatbelt Worn. Airbags Deployed.

Charges: Under Investigation

Vehicle No. 2: 2018 Chevrolet Impala

Driver No. 2: Aerricah Harris – 20 years old – Mandan, ND – Non-life-threatening injuries

Restraints: Seatbelt Worn. Airbags Deployed

Charges: Under Investigation

Passenger No. 1: Zackary Unger – 22 years old – Mandan, ND – Minor Injuries

Restraints: No Seatbelt. Airbags Deployed.

Vehicle No. 3: 1979 Dodge Pickup

Driver No. 3: Clayton Fischer – 18 years old – Mandan, ND – Minor Injuries

Restraints: No Seatbelt. No airbags.

Charges: Under Investigation

NARRATIVE:

July 26th, 2020 at approximately 4:00pm (central time):

The 1979 Dodge Pickup was traveling eastbound on the Interstate 94 Grant Marsh Bridge between Mandan and Bismarck. The Dodge stalled and came to a stop on the eastbound bridge deck. The 2018 Chevrolet Impala was traveling eastbound on the Grant Marsh Bridge and slowed behind the Dodge to change lanes and drive around the Dodge. The 2009 Ford F-150 was traveling eastbound on the Grant Marsh Bridge behind the Chevrolet. The Ford rear-ended the Chevrolet which in turn rear-ended the Dodge. The vehicles came to rest blocking the eastbound roadway. The vehicle occupants were transported by ambulance to Sanford Hospital in Bismarck.

Eastbound I-94 traffic was diverted onto Bismarck Expressway for approximately 1 hour until the scene was cleared.

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

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