

**UPDATE**

**2 Vehicle Fatality Crash in Williston**

**What:** Fatality

**Where:** US Highway 2 MM 14 & 141<sup>st</sup> Ave NW Intersection, in the City of Williston

**When:** 3/18/2020 at 10:38 PM

**Road Conditions:** Snow Covered

**Weather Conditions:** Snowing

**Crash Involvement:** Vehicle/Vehicle

**Type of Crash:** Angle

**Agencies Involved:** ND Highway Patrol, Williams County Sheriff Department, Williston Police Department, Williston Fire Department, Williston Ambulance

**Vehicle No. 1:** 2014 GMC Yukon

**Driver No. 1:** Rachel Sanchez, 35-year-old female from Williston, Minor Injury

**Restraints:** Seatbelt in use, airbag deployed

**Charges:** None

**Passenger No. 1:** Hayley Jirash, 18-year-old female from Williston, Minor Injury

**Restraints:** seatbelt in use, airbag deployed

**Vehicle No. 2:** 2001 Pontiac Bonneville

**Driver No. 2:** Grace Reader, 27-year-old female from Williston, Serious Injury

**Restraints:** unknown seatbelt use, airbag deployed

**Charges:** Under Investigation

**Passenger No. 1:** Sarah Breslin, 35-year-old female from Williston, Fatality

**Restraints:** no seatbelt in use, airbag deployed

**NARRATIVE:** GMC Yukon, driven by Rachel Sanchez, was traveling eastbound on Highway 2. Pontiac Bonneville, driven by Grace Reader, was traveling southbound on 141<sup>st</sup> Ave NW in Williston. Reader failed to stop at the stop sign and entered Highway 2 in front of Sanchez. The Yukon T-boned the Bonneville in the passenger side. Female passenger, Sarah Breslin, of the Bonneville was pronounced deceased on scene. Both drivers and another passenger were transported to CHI St. Alexius Hospital in Williston for their injuries. Crash remains under investigation by the Highway Patrol.

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