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## Fatality Crash I-94 MP 352 Fargo

What: Fatality Crash

Where: I-94 MP 352 Westbound in Fargo

When: 05/19/2020 at 1:11 PM

Road Conditions: Dry Concrete Roadway

Weather Conditions: Daylight/Clear

Crash Involvement: Motor Vehicle

Type of Crash: Two Vehicle Sideswipe

Agencies Involved: North Dakota Highway Patrol, Fargo Police Department, Fargo Fire, FM

Ambulance

Vehicle No. 1: 2017 Toyota Corolla Driver No. 1: Male, 75, Twin Valley MN, fatality Restraints: Unknown Charges: No Charges Filed

**Passenger No. 1:** Female, 75, Mahnomen MN, injured **Restraints:** Seatbelt

Vehicle No. 2: 2015 Freightliner Semi Driver No. 2: Male, 61, Humble TX, uninjured Restraints: Seatbelt Charges: None

**NARRATIVE:** The 2017 Toyota was traveling west on I-94 in the middle lane from Moorhead MN to West Fargo ND. The driver of the Toyota lost control of the vehicle and swerved to the right striking a bridge guardrail. After striking the bridge guardrail, the Toyota veered to the left and struck the trailer of a westbound semi. The Toyota came to rest in the north ditch of I-94. The driver of the Toyota was transported to Essentia Health where he was

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pronounced dead. The passenger of the Toyota was transported to Sanford Medical Center and was treated for non-life-threatening injuries. The driver of the semi was not injured. This crash remains under investigation by the North Dakota Highway Patrol.

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