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Williston Fatal Crash

What: Fatal Crash

Where: 34th St. W and 1st Ave W in Williston, ND

When: September 17, 2020 at approximately 2222hrs CST

Road Conditions: Good

Weather Conditions: Clear

Crash Involvement: One motorcycle and one SUV

Type of Crash: Angle

Agencies Involved: North Dakota Highway Patrol and Williston PD

Vehicle No. 1: 2006 Kawasaki Ninja
Driver No. 1: Male, 34, Williston, ND; Fatal.
Restraints: no helmet worn
Charges: none

Vehicle No. 2: 2008 GMC Yukon
Driver No. 2: Female, 30, Williston, ND; not injured.
Restraints: Seat belt worn
Charges: none

Passenger No. 1: Female, 23, Williston, ND; not injured.
Restraints: Seat belt worn

Narrative: The Kawasaki Ninja was traveling westbound on 34th Street W while the GMC Yukon was traveling northbound on 1st Ave W in Williston, ND. The Kawasaki Ninja operator struck the rear side of the GMC Yukon as he disregarded a stop sign at the intersection of 34th Street W and 1st Ave W. The operator of the Kawasaki Ninja was pronounced dead on scene due to fatal injuries sustained from the crash. The operator of the Ninja was not wearing a
safety helmet. Both occupants in the GMC Yukon were uninjured. The crash remains under investigation by the NDHP.

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