McLean County Fatality Crash

**What:** Fatality  
**Where:** McLean County #33 – 3 miles south of Butte, ND  
**When:** April 2nd, 2021, between 2:30 and 3:00 AM  
**Road Conditions:** Good  
**Weather Conditions:** Good  
**Crash Involvement:** One vehicle rollover  
**Agencies Involved:** NDHP, McLean County S.O.  
  
**Vehicle No. 1:** 1994 Chevy Suburban (totaled)  
**Driver No. 1:** Ronald Riechtner – 67 year old – Butte, ND  
**Restraints:** no seatbelt usage  
**Charges:** none  

**NARRATIVE:** Riechtner was traveling north on McLean County #33 en route from the Turtle Lake area to Butte, ND. The vehicle entered the east ditch and overturned coming to rest on its wheels. During the rollover, Riechtner, who was not wearing a seatbelt, was ejected and died at the scene. The crash remains under investigation by the NDHP.

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