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## **Valley City Pedestrian Versus Vehicle Crash – Updated**

**What:** Pedestrian versus motor vehicle injury crash.

**Where:** 300 Block Main Street E, Valley City, ND.

**When:** 08/13/2021 at approximately 2155 hours.

**Road Conditions:** Construction work zone.

**Weather Conditions:** Seasonal Normal

**Crash Involvement:** Vehicle/Pedestrian

**Type of Crash:** Head on Crash

**Agencies Involved:** Valley City Police Department, Barnes County Sheriff's Department, North Dakota Highway Patrol, Barnes County Ambulance, and Sanford Airmed.

**Vehicle No. 1:** 1991, Ford, F-150.

**Driver No. 1:** Savannah Jo Drake, 19-year-old female, Valley City, ND, no injuries.

**Restraints:** No seatbelt worn, no airbag deployment.

**Charges:** Under investigation.

**Pedestrian:** Conrad D. Hoff

**Hometown:** Oriska, ND

**Gender/Age:** 77-year-old male,

**Injury:** Serious injuries.

**NARRATIVE:** Drake was driving eastbound in the 300 block of Main Street E in Valley City, ND. Hoff was walking southbound in a marked crosswalk when he was struck by the Ford's front bumper. The pedestrian was knocked to the ground and suffered serious injuries. The female driver was uninjured in the collision. Barnes County Ambulance transported Hoff to Mercy Hospital in Valley City. He was later transported by Sanford Airmed life flight to the Fargo Sanford Hospital where he remains in critical condition. The crash remains under investigation by the Highway Patrol.

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