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Update - Williams County Fatal Crash

What: Fatality Crash

Where: Williams County Road 42, about 15 miles Northwest of Ray

When: July 1, 2021 / Time unknown-reported at 5:40 AM

Road Conditions: Good

Weather Conditions: Clear

Crash Involvement: One vehicle

Type of Crash: Overturn/Rollover

Agencies Involved: NDHP, Williams County Sheriff's Office, Ray Fire Dept & EMS, Alamo Fire Dept, Wildrose Fire Dept, Williams County Water Rescue

Vehicle No. 1: 2012 Chevrolet Tahoe

Driver No. 1: Sidney Byron, male, 29, Mont Belvieu, TX, fatal injuries

Restraints: Seat belt not used

NARRATIVE: The Chevrolet was traveling south on Williams County Road 42. The driver, Sidney Byron, failed to negotiate a curve in the roadway and the vehicle drifted onto the west shoulder. The vehicle entered the west ditch, rotated counter-clockwise, and struck a field approach. The vehicle overturned and entered the Little Muddy river. The vehicle came to rest on its top in the river. Mr. Byron was extricated from the vehicle by Fire/EMS. He sustained fatal injuries and was pronounced deceased on scene.

This crash remains under investigation by the NDHP.

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