

**NEWS RELEASE** | **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** | March 26, 2021

## **Injury Crash near Grand Forks on Interstate 29**

**What:** Injury Crash

**Where:** Interstate 29, mile marker 147 (approximately 5 miles north of Grand Forks, ND)

**When:** 03/26/2021, approximately 7:15 AM

**Road Conditions:** Wet and freezing

**Weather Conditions:** Rain and sleet

**Crash Involvement:** 2-vehicle primary crash with 1-vehicle secondary incident

**Type of Crash:** Angle

**Agencies Involved:** NDHP, Manvel Fire & Rescue, Altru Ambulance

**Vehicle No. 1:** 2008 Honda Civic

**Driver No. 1:** Kaitlyn Berglund; female; age 23; of Grand Forks, ND; uninjured

**Restraints:** Seat belt in use, air bags deployed

**Charges:** Care Required

**Vehicle No. 2:** 2020 GMC Terrain

**Driver No. 2:** Deanne Lunski; female; age 53; of Ardoch, ND; non-life-threatening injuries

**Restraints:** Seat belt in use, air bags deployed

**Charges:** none

**NARRATIVE:** Berglund was driving the Honda north on Interstate 29. Lunski was driving the GMC south on Interstate 29. Berglund lost control of the Honda on the wet and icy road surface, and the Honda traveled through the median, into the southbound lanes of Interstate 29. The front of the Honda struck the driver's side of the GMC. The vehicles came to rest on

the southbound shoulder. Berglund was uninjured. Lunski was transported to Altru Hospital in Grand Forks, ND, with non-life-threatening injuries.

The driver of another southbound vehicle took evasive action upon encountering the crash, and the vehicle slid into the west ditch. No injuries resulted.

One lane of southbound traffic was obstructed during the emergency response and cleanup, but the roadway remained opened.

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