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Two vehicle fatality crash on ND Hwy 1806 15 miles north of Watford City

What: Fatality
Where: Jct of 1806 and 40th St NW (county 10)
When: 09-09-2021 at 1910
Road Conditions: Good
Weather Conditions: Sunny
Crash Involvement: 2 Vehicle
Type of Crash: Rear End

Agencies Involved: NDHP, McKenzie County Sheriff, Watford City Fire, Ambulance,

Vehicle No. 1: 2005 GMC Yukon
Driver No. 1: Male, 20 Watford City – Minor Injury
Restraints: Unknown
Charges: Crash still under investigation

Passenger No. 1: Male-22 Watford City (Deceased)
Restraints: Unknown

Vehicle No. 2: 2017 Ford F-250
Driver No. 2: Male- 34 Watford City- Injuries, transported
Restraints: Unknown
Charges: Crash still under investigation

NARRATIVE: The Ford F150 was traveling northbound on Hwy 1806 with the GMC Yukon traveling northbound behind it. The Ford slowed down to make a right turn onto McKenzie County 10 (40th St NW). The driver of the GMC failed to observe the Ford slowing down to
make this turn and struck the rear of the vehicle. The Ford came to rest in the north ditch of 40th St NW. The GMC came to rest on 40th St NW west of 1806.

The driver of Ford sustained minor injuries as a result of the crash and was transported by ambulance to McKenzie County Hospital in Watford City. The driver of the GMC sustained minor injuries but was not transported. The passenger of the GMC was unresponsive at the scene of the crash. They were transported to the McKenzie County Hospital where they were pronounced dead as a result of their injuries sustained in the crash.

This crash is still under investigation by the NDHP. The names of the parties involved will be released after family notifications are made.

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