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Snowmobile Fatality Crash

What: Fatality
Where: Private property near Harvey
When: 16:58 CDST on 4/17/2022
Road Conditions: N/A off road
Weather Conditions: snowing
Crash Involvement: Single snowmobile
Type of Crash: Fixed object
Agencies Involved: NDHP, Harvey Police Department, Wells County Sheriff, Harvey Ambulance, and Harvey Fire Department

Vehicle No. 1: Yamaha Mountain Max
Driver No. 1: Bradley Patzer, 59 yo male, Harvey, ND, fatal injuries
Restraints: none
Charges: none

NARRATIVE: The male was test riding a Yamaha Mountain Max snowmobile. The male was traveling southbound on private property when he hit a berm of packed snow and ice. The Yamaha went airborne, and the rider was ejected. The male was transported to St. Aloisius in Harvey to be treated for his injuries. The male suffered fatal injuries as a result of this crash. The crash remains under investigation by the NDHP.

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