

## Two Vehicle Head-On Crash

**What:** Two vehicle, head-on crash  
**Where:** Hwy. 13 MM 374, Richland County, near Barney  
**When:** August 27<sup>th</sup>, 2022 @ approximately 2:15 am  
**Road Conditions:** Dry  
**Weather:** Dark, not lighted  
**Type of Crash:** Head-on crash

**Agencies Involved:** North Dakota Highway Patrol, Richland County SO, Barney FD, Wyndmere FD, Wyndmere Ambulance and Breck Ambulance

**Vehicle No. 1:** 2009 Toyota Corolla  
**Driver No. 1:** Washington Weanquoi, 47 YOA male, Fargo, ND - Deceased  
**Restraints:** Seat belt worn, air bag deployed  
**Charges:** None

**Vehicle No. 2:** 2011 Nissan Altima  
**Driver No. 2:** Kash Cutler, 19 YOA male, Frederick, SD - serious injuries  
**Restraints:** No seat belt worn, air bag deployed  
**Charges:** Under investigation  
**Passenger No. 1:** William Nordine, 19 YOA male, Aberdeen, SD - serious injuries  
**Restraints:** No seat belt worn, air bag deployed

## **NARRATIVE:**

On August 27<sup>th</sup>, at approximately 2:15 am, a two-vehicle head-on crash occurred on Hwy. 13 MM 374, just east of Barney, ND.

A 2009 Toyota Corolla was traveling eastbound on Hwy. 13 and a 2011 Nissan Altima was traveling westbound on Hwy. 13. Near MM 374 they collided head-on on the roadway.

After the collision, the Nissan came to rest on the westbound shoulder. The Nissan was facing west and was upright. The Toyota came to rest in the north ditch. The Toyota was facing southeast and was upright.

The driver of the Toyota, Washington Weanquoi, was pronounced dead on scene.

The driver and passenger in the Nissan, Kash Cutler and William Nordine, were both injured in the crash and were both transported to Sanford Hospital in Fargo for serious injuries.

The crash remains under investigation by the North Dakota Highway Patrol.

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