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UPDATED Williams County Fatal Crash

What: Fatal Crash

Where: Williams County Road 6 and Love's Travel Center Intersection-North of Williston

When: 05/30/2022 at approximately 10:35AM CST

Road Conditions: Wet

Weather Conditions: Cloudy, Light Rain

Crash Involvement: Vehicle vs. Vehicle

Type of Crash: Angle

Agencies Involved: North Dakota Highway Patrol, Williston Police Department, Williams County Sheriff's Office, Williston Fire and EMS

Vehicle No. 1: 2003 Harley-Davidson

Driver No. 1: **Brandon Burkemo**, Male, 24, Williston, ND, Fatal

Restraints: Helmet

Charges: N/A

Vehicle No. 2: 2018 Chevrolet Silverado

Driver No. 2: Earl Ray, Male, 63, Stanley, ND, Not Injured

Restraints: Seatbelt

Charges: Pending Investigation

NARRATIVE: The Harley-Davidson was travelling east on Williams County Road 6 towards the Love's Travel Center. The Chevrolet Silverado was facing north and turned **left** (west) onto County Road 6 from the travel center. The Harley-Davidson struck the rear of Chevrolet Silverado.

The driver of the Harley-Davidson was transported to CHI-St. Alexius Hospital Williston where he was pronounced deceased. The driver of the Chevrolet Silverado was uninjured.

The crash remains under investigation by the NDHP.

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