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## Grand Forks County Single Vehicle Injury Crash near Ardoch **UPDATE**

**What:** Injury **FATAL crash** Hansel died of his injuries on November 1.

**Where:** 26<sup>th</sup> St. NE, just north of the intersection with 35<sup>th</sup> Ave. NE, 4 miles SW of Ardoch

**When:** October 27<sup>th</sup>, at 10:50 AM CT

**Road Conditions:** Good gravel

**Crash Involvement:** Single Vehicle

**Type of Crash:** Fixed Object

**Agencies Involved:** North Dakota Highway Patrol, Grand Forks Sheriff's Office, Gilby Fire & Rescue, Ferry Township Fire & Rescue, and Altru Ambulance Service

**Vehicle No. 1:** 1996 GMC Sierra

**Driver No. 1:** **Daniel Hansel**, 59 years old; Gilby, ND; Serious injuries

**Restraints:** Seatbelt

**Charges:** DUI

**NARRATIVE:** The GMC Sierra was northbound on 26<sup>th</sup> Street NE, just north of the intersection with 35<sup>th</sup> Avenue NE. The GMC entered the west ditch and struck a tree. The driver, who was pinned in the GMC and required extrication, was then transported by ambulance to Altru Hospital in Grand Forks.

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

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