

NEWS RELEASE FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE June 28, 2023

2 Vehicle Head-On Injury Crash

What: Injury Crash

Where: Centennial Rd & Knudsen Ave, Bismarck

When: 6/28/2023 at 8:19 AM Central Time

Road Conditions: Good

Weather Conditions: Sunny

Crash Involvement: Vehicle/Vehicle

Type of Crash: Head-On Collision

Agencies Involved: Bismarck Police Department, Burleigh County Sheriff Department, Metro

Area Ambulance, Bismarck Fire, ND Highway Patrol

Vehicle No. 1: 2013 Ford Taurus
Driver No. 1: 32-year-old male from Bismarck, Serious Injuries
Restraints: seatbelt on
Charges: Under Investigation

Passenger No. 1: 7-year-old male from Bismarck, Serious Injuries **Restraints:** Not restrained

Vehicle No. 2: 2011 GMC Terrain
Driver No. 2: 22-year-old male from Bismarck, Serious Injuries
Restraints: Not in use
Charges: no charges filed

Passenger No. 1: 40-year-old male from Bismarck, Serious Injuries **Restraints:** Seatbelt in Use



NARRATIVE: At approximately 8:19 AM, the 2013 Ford Taurus was traveling southbound on Centennial Rd in Bismarck. 2011 GMC Terrain was traveling northbound on Centennial Rd. Ford Taurus abruptly swerved across the center line into the northbound lane striking the GMC Terrain Head-On. GMC Terrain started on fire and passing motorists pulled the 2 occupants from the vehicle. Both drivers and both passengers received serious injuries and were transported to Sanford and CHI. St. Alexius hospitals. Centennial Road was closed for approximately 90 minutes until vehicles could be removed. Crash remains under investigation. Names will be released later.

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