

NEWS RELEASE FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE May 11, 2023

Injury Crash – Pickup v. Train – Grand Forks County

What: Injury

Where: 5500 Block of 47th Avenue South, approximately 1 Mi SW of Grand Forks

When: 7:20 AM on 05/11/2023

Road Conditions: Good, gravel

Weather Conditions: Clear/daylight

Crash Involvement: Vehicle v. Train

Type of Crash: Right Angle

Agencies Involved: North Dakota Highway Patrol, Grand Forks Sheriff's Office, and Altru

Ambulance Service

Vehicle No. 1:	2012 Chevrolet Silverado
Driver No. 1:	Male; 60 years old; Grand Forks, ND; minor injuries
Restraints :	Unrestrained
Charges:	Pending
Passenger No. 1:	Male, 52 years old; East Grand Forks, MN; uninjured
Restraints :	Unrestrained

NARRATIVE: The Chevrolet was eastbound on 47th Ave S, at the railroad crossing on the 5500 Block, approximately 1 mile west of Interstate 29. An Amtrak train was northbound on the tracks. The Chevrolet struck the front side of the lead engine. The vehicle came to rest on the west side of the crossing. The driver sustained injuries in the crash and was transported from the scene by ambulance. The crash remains under investigation by the NDHP.

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