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****Update/Correction** Cass County Fatal Crash**
****Name Release****

What: Two vehicle fatal crash

Where: Cass County Road 38 & 6th Ave in Alice, ND

When: November 25, 2023 at 12:15 P.M. Central Time

Road Conditions: Dry asphalt

Weather Conditions: clear skies

Crash Involvement: A Jeep struck a semi head-on.

Agencies Involved: North Dakota Highway Patrol, Cass County Sheriff's Office, and Buffalo Quick Response, Casselton Ambulance, Alice Fire Department, and Casselton Fire Department.

Vehicle No. 1: 2011 Jeep Grand Cherokee

Driver No. 1: Duane V Krivarchka, 71, of Lisbon, ND- fatal

Restraints: Belted

Charges: None

Vehicle No. 2: 2007 International truck

Driver No. 1: Christian Mueller, 25, of Hodgeville, SK Canada

restraints: Belted

Charges: None

Narrative:

On November 25, 2023 at 12:15pm a Jeep Grand Cherokee driven by **Duane V. Krivarchka** was southbound on Cass County Road 38 entering Alice. At that time a 2007 International semi was northbound approaching the Jeep Grand Cherokee. The Cherokee crossed over the centerline into the northbound lane and struck the semi head-on.

Duane Krivarchka was treated on scene by first responders. **Duane** died on scene from injuries he sustained in the crash.

Christian Mueller was uninjured in crash.

Both vehicles came to rest in the northbound lane.

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

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