

NEWS RELEASE | **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** | April 28, 2024

Stutsman County DUI injury crash-Corrected

What: One vehicle DUI injury crash

Where: Eastbound I-94 milepost 252 (6 miles west of Jamestown, ND)

When: April 25th, 2024 at 1:30 P.M. Central Time

Road Conditions: Dry concrete

Weather Conditions: Overcast

Crash Involvement: Vehicle left roadway entering slough.

Agencies Involved: North Dakota Highway Patrol and Jamestown Ambulance

Vehicle No. 1: 2023 Toyota Rav4

Driver No. 1: Dwayne D. Cason, 60yrs old, Dickinson, ND – injured

Restraints: Seatbelt

Charges: Driving under the influence

Vehicle No. 1: 2023 Toyota Rav4

Passenger No. 1: Linda M. Rocha, 39yrs. old, Dickinson, ND – uninjured

Restraints: Unbelted

Charges: None

Narrative:

The Toyota Rav4 driven by Dwayne Cason was eastbound on I-94 driving towards Jamestown. Dwayne lost control of the vehicle leaving the roadway into the south ditch. The vehicle continued into the slough, across open water, and came to rest facing east on its wheels in cattails.

Troopers responded and aided both Dwayne and Linda from the slough where they were treated by EMS.

Dwayne and Linda were transported to the Jamestown Regional Medical Center by the Jamestown Ambulance.

Linda was uninjured in the crash.

Dwayne sustained minor injuries in the crash. He remains in the care of JRMC. Dwayne was arrested for Driving Under the Influence-Drugs.

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

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