

NEWS RELEASE | **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** | December 10, 2024

Cass County multi-vehicle injury crash

What: Five vehicle injury crash

Where: Interstate 94 milepost 343 (near Main Avenue exit for West Fargo)

When: December 10, 2024 at 5:30 P.M. Central Time

Road Conditions: Dark-lighted. Icy roadway

Weather Conditions: snow & wind

Crash Involvement: Pickup lost control and was struck by several other vehicles

Agencies Involved: North Dakota Highway Patrol, West Fargo Rural Fire, and Sanford Ambulance.

Vehicle No. 1: 2004 Ford F-150

Driver No. 1: Lorans Loual, 42, Fargo, ND- injured

Restraints: Seatbelt

Charges: Pending investigation

Vehicle No. 2: 2012 Hyundai Sonata

Driver No. 1: 17yr old female of Casselton, ND- not injured

Restraints: Seatbelt

Charges: None

Vehicle No. 3: 2010 Honda Civic

Driver No. 1: Alexis Johnson, 24, West Fargo, ND- injured

Restraints: Seatbelt

Charges: None

Vehicle No. 4: 2020 Freightliner

Driver No. 1: Aliaksadnr Hubko-Sunny Isles Beach, Florida- not injured

Restraints: Seatbelt

Charges: None

Vehicle No. 5: 2020 Chevrolet Suburban

Driver No. 1: Michelle Halverson, 49, Fargo, ND

Restraints: Seatbelt

Charges: None

Narrative:

The Ford F-150 was eastbound on I-94 near milepost 343 when the driver lost control on an icy bridge deck. The vehicle began rotating and was struck by several other vehicles.

The F-150 became disabled in the roadway until NDHP Troopers were able to quickly clear the vehicle from the lanes of travel.

Sanford Ambulance arrived on scene and treated those involved for minor injuries. No one was transported from the scene by ambulance.

The NDHP would like to remind the public that crashes like this can be avoided by driving distraction free, driving appropriately for the road conditions, and maintaining a safe driving distance. During winter months greater following distances are needed. As a general rule, 8 to 10 seconds during winter months is suggested.

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

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