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UPDATE Fatal Motorcycle Crash

What: Fatal

Where: 3700 block 55th Ave S, Fargo ND

When: June 29th, 2024, 8:28 PM Central

Road Conditions: Good, dry

Weather Conditions: Partly cloudy

Crash Involvement: Motorcycle

Type of Crash: Fixed Object

Agencies Involved: North Dakota Highway Patrol, Fargo Fire, Fargo PD, Sanford Ambulance

Vehicle No. 1: 2020 KTM Juke 390 motorcycle

Driver No. 1: Reese Lewis, Male, 19, Wahpeton, Fatal Injuries

Restraints: Helmet in Use

Charges: None

Vehicle No. 2: 2002 Yamaha V-Star

Driver No. 1: Devin Privratsky, Male, 19, Wahpeton, Non-Life-Threatening Injuries

Restraints: Helmet in Use

Charges: None

NARRATIVE: Reese Lewis was operating the KTM motorcycle east bound on 55th Ave S from 38th St S. Reese lost control of the motorcycle and struck the south curb. Reese was ejected and struck a light pole. Reese was transported to Essentia Health. Reese sustained fatal injuries from the crash. A 2002 Yamaha motorcycle, driven by Devin Privratsky, was following the 2020 KTM. Devin took evasive action to avoid the first crash and overturned his motorcycle. Devin sustained non-life-threatening injuries and was transported to Essentia

Health. These were two separate crashes, and they remain under investigation by the North Dakota Highway Patrol

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