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Fatal Crash near Grandin

What: Fatality

Where: Traill County Road 81 N of Grandin Approximately 1 mile

When: 04:04 AM Central 10/21/2024

Road Conditions: Good

Weather Conditions: Clear/Dark unlit conditions

Crash Involvement: Vehicle/Vehicle

Type of Crash: Head-On

Agencies Involved: Grandin Fire, Grandin Ambulance Service, Traill Sheriff's Office, NDHP

Vehicle No. 1: 2004 Chevrolet Impala

Driver No. 1: Bernardo Martinez Jr.; 40 yo male; Rio Grande City, TX; fatal injuries

Restraints: seatbelt

Charges: none

Vehicle No. 2: 2021 Chevrolet 2500 Silverado pulling a trailer

Driver No. 2: Adrian Paul; 49 yo male; Kindred, ND; minor injuries

Restraints: seatbelt

Charges: none

NARRATIVE: The Impala was northbound on County Road 81 in Traill County. The pickup was southbound pulling a trailer on County 81. The driver of the Impala crossed the centerline and struck the pickup in a head-on collision. The driver of the Impala succumbed to fatal injuries on scene. The crash remains under investigation by the NDHP.



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