

NEWS RELEASE | **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** | June 12, 2025

BENSON COUNTY FATAL CRASH

What: Single vehicle fatal crash

Where: US Highway 2, MM 246, approximately 7 miles east of Leeds

When: Thursday, June 12, 7:42 AM

Road Conditions: Good

Weather Conditions: Good

Crash Involvement: Single vehicle

Type of Crash: Rollover

Agencies Involved: NDHP, Benson County Sheriff's Office, Lake Region Ambulance Service, Leeds Ambulance Service, Leeds Fire Department

Vehicle No. 1: 2001 Chevrolet Tahoe

Driver No. 1: Male, 62, Devils Lake, fatality

Restraints: Seatbelt not in use

Charges: None

NARRATIVE: A 2001 Chevrolet Tahoe was traveling west on US Highway 2 and left the roadway, entered the median, struck an embankment, crossed the roadway and came to rest in a slough, the driver died at the scene. The crash remains under investigation by the North Dakota Highway Patrol.

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