

**NEWS RELEASE** | **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** | June 13, 2025

**MORTON COUNTY INJURY CRASH UPDATE**

**What:** Two Vehicle Injury Crash

**Where:** County Road 90/ 40<sup>th</sup> Street, approximately 2.5 miles south of I-94 exit 97 (Hebron)

**When:** Wednesday, June 11, 2:46 PM

**Road Conditions:** Gravel

**Weather Conditions:** Good

**Crash Involvement:** Chevrolet Impala, Chevrolet Silverado

**Type of Crash:** Head-on

**Agencies Involved:** NDHP, Morton County Sheriff's Office, Hebron Ambulance, Glen Ullin Ambulance, Sanford AirMed, Hebron Fire and Rescue.

**Vehicle No. 1:** 2003 Chevrolet Impala

**Driver No. 1:** Joshua Opp, 48, Hebron, serious injuries

**Restraints:** Seatbelt in use, airbag deployed

**Charges:** Under investigation

**Vehicle No. 2:** 2003 Chevrolet Silverado pulling a trailer

**Driver No. 1:** Justin Heinle, 49, Bismarck, minor injuries

**Restraints:** Seatbelt in use, airbag deployed

**Charges:** Under investigation

**NARRATIVE:** On Wednesday, June 11, at approximately 2:46 PM, Joshua Opp, driving a 2003 Chevy Impala, was traveling north on Morton County Road 90, he was checking visibility to pass a vehicle in dusty conditions. A 2003 Chevy Silverado pulling a trailer driven by Justin Heinle, was traveling south on Morton County Road 90. The Impala hit the Silverado head-on in the southbound lane. Both Opp and Heinle were transported to Sanford Medical Center-Bismarck. The crash remains under investigation by the North Dakota Highway Patrol.

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