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BOTTINEAU COUNTY FATAL CRASH UPDATE

What: Fatal Crash

Where: 93rd St. NW & 18th Ave. NW, approximately 4 miles Northeast of Maxbass

When: Tuesday, September 9, approximately 11:30 AM CT

Road Conditions: Dry

Weather Conditions: Good

Crash Involvement: Two vehicle crash

Type of Crash: T-bone

Agencies Involved: NDHP, Bottineau County Sheriff's Office, Maxbass Fire and Rescue, Westhope Ambulance Service

Vehicle No. 1: 2007 Chevrolet Silverado

Driver No. 1: Randy Fyllesvold, 43, Antler, ND, fatal injuries

Restraints: Seatbelt not in use

Vehicle No. 2: 2015 Case IH 4440 Sprayer

Driver No. 2: Johannes Brits, 43, Kenmare, ND, not injured

Restraints: Seatbelt in use

NARRATIVE: On Tuesday, September 9 at approximately 11:30 AM, a Chevrolet Silverado driven by Randy Fyllesvold, was traveling at a high rate of speed southbound on 18th Ave NW, near Maxbass. A 2015 Case Sprayer driven by Johannes Brits was eastbound on 93rd Street NW. The intersection of 93rd Street NW & 18th Avenue is an uncontrolled intersection. The Silverado collided with the Sprayer, striking the front left side of the sprayer wheel. Fyllesvold was transported to Trinity Health-Hospital by ambulance, where he later died of his injuries. Brits was not injured.

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



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