

Interstate 94 Injury Crash (Mandan, ND) UPDATE

What: Injury Crash

Where: Interstate 94, mile marker 153 (Mandan, ND)

When: June 9, 2019 at approximately 2:17 PM

Road Conditions: Good/Normal – Construction Zone

Weather Conditions: Sunny/Clear

Crash Involvement: Vehicle/Motorcycle

Type of Crash: Rear-end

Agencies Involved: North Dakota Highway Patrol, Mandan Police Department, Morton County Sheriff's Department, Mandan Fire Department, Metro Area Ambulance Service

Vehicle No. 1: 2014 Ford Focus

Driver No. 1: Austin Ellingson, 20, Menoken, ND, not injured

Restraints: Seatbelt

Charges: Under Investigation

Passenger No. 1: Zachary Jensen, 20, Bismarck, ND, not injured

Restraints: Seatbelt

Vehicle No. 2: 2014 Indian Motorcycle

Driver No. 2: Christopher Hill, 52, Dickinson, ND, not injured

Restraints: None. No helmet.

Charges: None

Passenger No. 1: Tammy Burke, 40, Dickinson, ND, injured

Restraints: None. No helmet.

NARRATIVE: The 2014 Ford was traveling eastbound on Interstate 94 near mile marker 153. The 2014 Indian Motorcycle was also traveling eastbound on Interstate 94, in front of the Ford. A vehicle merged into eastbound traffic from Exit 153 which resulted in traffic in front of the motorcycle to brake rapidly and stop. The motorcycle braked and stopped on the roadway. The Ford rear-ended the motorcycle. The motorcycle overturned and the driver and passenger fell onto the roadway. The passenger of the motorcycle was transported by Ambulance to CHI St Alexius Health Bismarck where she was treated for non-life-threatening injuries.

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

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