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2 Vehicle Fatal Crash – McKenzie County - UPDATED

What: Fatal Crash

Where: Highway 23 and 12th St SE Intersection – ½ Mile south of Watford City, ND

When: September 9, 2019 @ 1210 PM

Road Conditions: Wet

Weather Conditions: Cloudy, Raining

Crash Involvement: Vehicle/Vehicle

Type of Crash: Angle

Agencies Involved: NDHP, Watford City Police Department, McKenzie County Sherriff's Department, McKenzie County Ambulance Service, McKenzie County Fire and Rescue

Vehicle No. 1: 2014 Peterbilt semi
Driver No. 1: Pat Coffie, 50 yr old male, Minot, ND, Injured
Restraints: Seatbelt Worn
Charges: None

Vehicle No. 2: 2018 Chevrolet Colorado pickup
Driver No. 2: Brandon Fuller, 20 yr old male, Watford City, ND, Fatal Injuries
Restraints: Seatbelt Worn
Charges: None

Passenger No. 1: 5 yr old male, Watford City, ND, Injured
Restraints: Booster seat

NARRATIVE: Coffie was travelling west on highway 23 in the right-hand lane, towards highway 85. Fuller was stopped at the intersection of Hwy 23 & 12th St SE facing south. Fuller attempted to turn onto highway 23 and travel east, turning out in front of Coffie. Coffie's Peterbilt struck Fuller's Chevrolet on the driver's side at the intersection. Fuller's vehicle came to a rest in the east bound lanes of highway 23 facing southwest. Coffie's vehicle left the roadway to the south and overturned onto the passenger side facing northeast. Fuller died from his injuries sustained in the crash on September 14th, 2019.

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