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## One Injured, One Dies in Walsh County Crash

What: Fatality

Where: ND Hwy 17 at intersection with ND Hwy 18, approximately 8 miles west of Grafton,

ND

When: 09/28/2019 at 4:20 PM

Road Conditions: Good, dry

Weather Conditions: Clear

Crash Involvement: One-vehicle

Type of Crash: Rollover

Agencies Involved: NDHP, Walsh County Sheriff's Office, Park River Fire & Ambulance, Valley

Ambulance Service

**Vehicle No. 1:** 2009 Harley Davidson motorcycle

**Driver No. 1:** male; 50 years of age; of Edinburg, ND; serious injuries

**Restraints:** No helmet

**Charges:** none

Passenger No. 1: female; 43 years of age; of Grafton, ND; deceased

**Restraints:** No helmet

**NARRATIVE:** The Harley Davidson was westbound on ND Hwy 17. At the intersection with ND Hwy 18, the driver took evasive action to avoid colliding with a vehicle that was turning left across the westbound lane. The Harley Davidson overturned, ejecting both the driver and passenger. The driver was transported by ambulance with serious injuries to First Care Medical Center in Park River, ND. The passenger was transported by ambulance to Unity Hospital in Grafton, ND, where she died. Names are being withheld pending notification of family.

The crash remains under investigation by the Highway Patrol.



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