

“Two separate Fatal ATV Crashes in the Rural Sanborn Area”

What: Fatality

Where: **Crash 1**-6 miles northeast of Eckelson **Crash 2**- 5 miles north of Eckelson

When: 9-6-19 Crash 1-around 1930 PM, Crash 2-around 1940 PM

Road Conditions: Dry gravel roads

Weather Conditions: Light wind, partly cloudy

Crash Involvement: ATV's

Type of Crash: Roll Overs

Agencies Involved: NDHP, Barnes County Sheriff's Department, Barnes County ambulance

Vehicle No. 1: 2014 Arctic Cat ATV

Driver No. 1: Kyle Foster, 43, Tucson, AZ, Fatal

Restraints: No helmet

Charges: No charges

Vehicle No. 2: 2014 Arctic Cat ATV

Driver No. 2: Jeremie Foster, 47, Fargo, ND, Fatal

Restraints: No helmet

Charges: No charges

NARRATIVE: On 9-6-19 at approximately 710PM the above two males left Sanborn each driving a 2014 Arctic Cat ATV. They were traveling to a rural farm north of Eckelson. While traveling westbound on 27th ST SE, vehicle 1 lost control, rolling his four-wheeler into a slough on the south side of the gravel road between 106th and 107th Ave SE, which is approximately 6 miles northeast of Eckelson. The driver of vehicle 2 was traveling ahead of vehicle 1 and made it to the farm. Vehicle 2 then began to retrace his path from Sanborn to locate vehicle 1. While

doing so, vehicle 2 was traveling north on 103rd Ave SE and lost control and rolled into the west ditch of the gravel road between 29th and 30th ST SE.

The driver of vehicle 1 was pronounced dead at the scene and the driver of vehicle 2 was pronounced dead in route to Mercy Hospital.

The crashes remain under investigation by the North Dakota Highway Patrol. Alcohol is a factor in both crashes.

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